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Untangling rock-wallaby relationships across Australia

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Rock-wallabies (*Petrogale*) are a group of unique Australian macropodids which have been the focus of evolutionary genetic studies since the 1980's. Molecular research has focused on understanding speciation processes, resolving relationships and clarifying their taxonomy. *Petrogale* have undergone a recent and rapid diversification, with inter-relationships of many taxa remaining unclear. This talk will overview research from my PhD which focused particularly on the phylogeography of rock-wallabies from northern Australia, as well as more recent research focused on understanding introgression and speciation in recently derived species in Queensland.

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