USU researchers found velvet ants (pictured), a type of wasp, have the longest stinging organs for their body length among the species studied. Credit: Joseph S. Wilson, USU.

USU Entomologist Emily Sadler, in collaboration with Drs. James Pitts and Joseph Wilson recently published findings in the PeerJ, the Journal of Life and Environmental Sciences, indicating a positive correlation between sting length (sting"er" is technically wrong) and the amount of pain inflicted by it.

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