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## **EDUCATION**

2012 - Present: PhD in Zoology, Trinity College Dublin - IE

How does including fossils in phylogenetic trees change

our interpretation of present-day biodiversity?

2010 - 2012: Master degree in Palaeontology, Université Montpellier II - FR

with honours, ranking 3/13

2<sup>nd</sup> year project: Molecular clocks and evolutionary rates among primates: a palaeontological and genomic approach. 1<sup>st</sup> year project: Southern France Upper Cretaceous theropod

teeth variability.

2007 - 2010: Bachelor degree in Biology, Université Montpellier II - FR

#### **SCHOLARSHIPS**

2012: Trinity Postgraduate Research Studentship

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### Peer reviewed

2014: Healy, K., Guillerme T., Finlay, S., Kane, A., Kelly, S.B.A., McClean, D., Kelly,

D.J., Donohue, I., Jackson, A.L. and Cooper, N.

Ecology and mode-of-life explain lifespan variation in birds and mammals. *Proceedings of the Royal Society B*, 281(1784). DOI: 10.1098/rspb.2014.0298

*Personal Contributions:* collecting the data, writing the code and running the analysis.

# ACADEMIC SERVICES

Reviewer for the International Journal of Primatology

# COMPUTER SKILLS

Coding: R, Bash, HTML, LaTeX

Phylogenetics: PAUP\*, MrBayes, BEAST, RAxML, PhyloBayes, CoEvol

MACSE, MAFFT, SEAview, Tracer, Mesquite

R{ape}, R{geiger}, R{diversitree}, R{mcmcglmm}, R{caper}

Morphometrics: TPS, R{geomorph}, R{MASS}

Graphics: Adobe Illustrator, Adobe Photoshop, Gimp, Inkscape

## GitHub Repository

# CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

#### **Conferences**

2014: Evolution 2014

Raleigh Convention Center - USA(NC)

Ernst Mayr Symposium presentation: "Total evidence method and missing data"

2014: Challenges in Macroecology: Scaling the Time Barrier

Natural History Museum London - UK

Oral presentation: "Total evidence method and missing data"

2014: 3<sup>r</sup>d Annaul Botany-Zoology Trinity Postgraduate Symposium

Trinity College Dublin - IE

Oral presentation: "Total evidence method and missing data"

2013: European Society for Evolutionary Biology Congress

Lisbon - PT

Posters presentations: "Total evidence method and missing data"

and "Ecology and mode-of-life explain lifespan variation in birds and mammals"

2013: 11th International Mammalogical Conference

Queens University, Belfast - UK

Poster presentation: "Total evidence method and missing data"

2013: BES Macroecology SIG meeting

University of Sheffield - UK

#### Workshops

2013: Introduction to Trinity Centre for High Performance Computing

Paddy Doyle, Trinity College Dublin - IE

2013: Spatial Analysis in R Workshop

Barry Rowlingson, University of Sheffield - UK

2013: Introduction to Morphometrics Workshop

François Gould, Trinity College Dublin - IE

2013: IUCN Red List of Ecosystems Workshop

Edmund Barrow, Trinity College Dublin - IE

# **TEACHING**

#### Academia

2013-14: 2<sup>nd</sup> year MSc students: Statistics with R

Demonstrator, Trinity College Dublin - IE

2013-14: 4<sup>th</sup> year undergraduate students: Evolution

Demonstrator, Trinity College Dublin - IE

2012-13: 4<sup>th</sup> year undergraduate students: Statistics with R

Demonstrator, Trinity College Dublin - IE

2012-13: 1<sup>st</sup> year undergraduate students: Introduction to Biodiversity Evolution and the Environmental Demonstrator, Trinity College Dublin - IE

# **Student supervision**

2014: Maura Judge (4<sup>th</sup> year project): Bite force and diet in mammals.

#### **General Public**

2014: 1<sup>st</sup> Soapbox Science Ireland event (volunteer helper)

Trinity College Dublin - IE

2014: "What can we learn from skeletons", practical lecture on comparative anatomy

Trinity College Dublin - IE

2013: Trinity College Zoological Museum guided tours

Trinity College Dublin - IE

2013: Trinity College Zoological Museum, Culture night and Researcher's night

Trinity College Dublin - IE

2010: Introduction to palaeontological excavations

Musée des Dinosaurs (Espéraza, Aude) - FR

# **MISCELLANEOUS**

#### **Fieldwork**

2013-14: Museum data collection:

Smithsonian (US), AMNH (US), MCZ (US), MNHN (FR)

2011-12: Excavations in Cruzy (FR)

Southern France, Continental Cretaceous

2011: Excavations in Krasiejów (PL)

Southern Poland, Continental Trias

2009-10: Excavations in Espéraza (FR) - Site foreman

Southern France, Continental Cretaceous

#### Outreach

-Regular contributor to EcoEvo@TCD blog.

-Threesis video (thesis explained in three minutes).

# Spoken languages

English, French and Dutch.