# **Adam Charette-Castonguay**

Curriculum Vitae

## **EDUCATION**

## PhD Water Management

2015-Present

Monash University, Melbourne, Australia

Graduate Research Interdisciplinary Program (GRIP) on Water and Sustainability in Asia. Thesis: Modelling the adoption of water technologies: An agent-based approach.

#### MSc. Environmental Management

2011-2014

University of Kiel, Kiel, Germany

Thesis: Assessment of resilience and adaptability of social-ecological systems - a case study of the Banaue rice terraces

#### **BSc.** International Relations

2007-2011

Laval University, Quebec, Canada

Thesis: Agricultural protectionism in international trade: the case of U.S. cotton production support (in French).

# **WORK EXPERIENCE**

Research officer 2015-present

CRC for Water Sensitive Cities, Clayton, Australia

Provide a diagnostic and best practice knowledge to guide investment programs linked with the Asian Development Bank operations and private sector partners in developing cities of the Asia-Pacific region. Apply the Water Sensitive Cities Index in Mandalay (Myanmar) and Suva (Fiji).

Intern 2013

Secretariat of the Convention on Biological Diversity, Montreal, Canada Internship on the contribution to the 4th Global Biodiversity Outlook (GBO-4). Review literature on Aichi Targets 6 (global fisheries) and 9 (invasive alien species). The information gathered in the literature review was summarized and published in the GBO-4 in 2014.

## Collaborative research fellow

2013

German Society for International Cooperation (GIZ), Los Banos, Philippines

Research stay for master's thesis at the Crop and Environmental Science Division of the International Rice Research Institute (IRRI). The research was part of the LEGATO Project and was funded by the Advisory Service on Agricultural Research for Development (BEAF) of GIZ.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

Peer-reviewed article

• Castonguay, A. C., B. Burkhard, F. Müller, F. G. Horgan, and J. Settele. 2016. Resilience and adaptability of rice terrace social-ecological systems: a case study of a local community's perception in Banaue, Philippines. *Ecology and Society* 21(2):15.

### Book

• Castonguay, A.C. 2014. Assessment of resilience and adaptability of social-ecological systems: a case study of the Banaue rice terraces. AV Akademikerverlag (ISBN: 978-3639720297).

## **SHORT COURSES**

## Erasmus Intensive Programme on hydrobiology

2012

Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznan, Poland

Ecological state of Lake Durowskie during restoration measures.

#### Summer exchange program

2009

Pontificia Universidad Catolica del Peru, Lima, Peru Introduction to business administration in Latin America.

## Summer exchange program

2008

Nankai University, Tianjin, China Chinese language and culture course.

# **SKILLS**

Languages French (mother tongue)

English (fluent)

Spanish (Limited proficiency)

Software R, Python, SQL, LATEX, ArcGIS, QGIS