# Ricardo Segovia

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EMPLOYMENT

• Institute of Ecology and Biodiversity (IEB-Chile)

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• Forest plots network: I'm an associate researcher in the area of Ecosystem Sciences, lead by Dr. Juan Armesto. The central goal during this stage is creating a forest plot network to study the evolution of biodiversity in the Andean region.

• School of GeoSciences, University of Edinburgh

Edinburgh, UK

Newton International Fellow

Feb 2017 - Jan 2019

• Genus-level phylogeny for trees: This project, funded by *The Royal Society*, was a collaboration with Dr. Kyle Dexter from the University of Edinburgh. We built a global phylogeny for trees in order to unveil the evolutionary structure of biodiversity and to explore the main forces driving the diversification.

• Institute of Ecology and Biodiversity (IEB-Chile)

Santiago, Chile

Postdoc-Fondecyt

Dec 2013 - Nov 2016

• Phylodiversity patterns: During this project, we studied the similarities between phylodiversity pattern across the latitudinal gradient in southern South America, and the elevational gradient in the tropical Andes.

## EDUCATION

• Facultad de Ciencias, Universidad de Chile

PhD in Ecology and Evolutionary Biology

Santiago, Chile

Mar. 2009 - Sep. 2013

• Facultad de Ciencias, Universidad de Chile

Master in Ecology and Evolutionary Biology

Santiago, Chile

Mar. 2007 - Jan. 2009

• Universidad de Concepción

Biologist

Concepción, Chile

Mar. 2002 - Jan. 2007

# Grants

• AI for Earth, Microsoft (2019-2020); PI; Title: "Machine Learning to state the global structure of Biodiversity"; \$15,000

#### BIBLIOMETRIC INFORMATION

• Total number of peer-reviewed publications: 10

• Total number of citations: 100

• H index (overall, not limited to the last 5 years): 5

• i10 index (overall, not limited to the last 8 years): 4

[Source: Google Scholar. For current citation statistics, please visit: http://tiny.cc/segoviara)]

# Publications List

- 1. Segovia, R. A., Pennington, R. T., Baker, T. R., De Souza, F. C., Neves, D. M., Davis, C. C., Armesto, J. J., Olivera-Filho, A. T., and Dexter, K. G. (2020b). Freezing and water availability structure the evolutionary diversity of trees across the americas. *Science Advances*, 6(19):eaaz5373
- 2. Martinez, P. S., Vilalta, J. M., Dexter, K., Segovia, R. A., and Mencuccini, M. (2020). Adaptation and coordinated evolution of plant hydraulic traits. *Authorea, Inc.*
- 3. Neves, D. M., Dexter, K. G., Baker, T. R., de Souza, F. C., Oliveira-Filho, A. T., Queiroz, L. P., Lima, H. C., Simon, M. F., Lewis, G. P., Segovia, R. A., et al. (2020). Evolutionary diversity in tropical tree communities peaks at intermediate precipitation. *Scientific Reports*, 10(1):1–7

- 4. Segovia, R. A., Griffiths, A. R., Arenas, D., Dias, P., and Dexter, K. G. (2020a). Signals of recent tropical radiations in cunoniaceae, an iconic family for understanding southern hemisphere biogeography. bioRxiv
- 5. Anbleyth-Evans, J., Leiva, F. A., Rios, F. T., Segovia, R. A., Häussermann, V., and Aguirre-Munoz, C. (2020). Toward marine democracy in chile: Examining aquaculture ecological impacts through common property local ecological knowledge. *Marine Policy*, page 103690
- 6. Segovia, R. A. (2019). MAT drives the variation in maximum potential species richness and frost organizes the residual variation. *BioRxiv*, (doi: 10.1101/836338)
- 7. Dexter, K. G., Segovia, R. A., and Griffiths, A. R. (2019). Exploring the concept of Lineage Diversity across North American forests. *Forests*, 10(6):520
- 8. Segovia, R. A. and Armesto, J. J. (2015). The Gondwanan legacy in South American biogeography. Journal of Biogeography, 42(2):209–217
- 9. Villagran, C., Segovia, R., and Castillo, L. (2014). Principles of research in historical Natural Sciences: Why is the Natural History of organisms necessary in Biology? *Gayana Botanica*, 71(2):259–266
- 10. Perez, F., Irarrazabal, C., Cossio, M., Peralta, G., Segovia, R., Bosshard, M., and Hinojosa, L. F. (2014). Microsatellite markers for the endangered shrub Myrceugenia rufa (Myrtaceae) and three closely related species. *Conservation Genetics Resources*, 6(3):773–775
- 11. Segovia, R. A., Hinojosa, L. F., Perez, M. F., and Hawkins, B. A. (2013). Biogeographic anomalies in the species richness of Chilean forests: Incorporating evolution into a climatic historic scenario. *Austral Ecology*, 38(8):905–914
- 12. Segovia, R. A., Perez, M. F., and Hinojosa, L. F. (2012). Genetic evidence for glacial refugia of the temperate tree *Eucryphia Cordifolia* (Cunoniaceae) in southern South America. *American Journal of Botany*, 99(1):121–129
- 13. Gonzalez-Teuber, M., Segovia, R., and Gianoli, E. (2008). Effects of maternal diet and host quality on oviposition patterns and offspring performance in a seed beetle (Coleoptera: Bruchidae).

  Naturwissenschaften, 95(7):609–615

## Presentations

• 16 presentations at conferences: 9 talks and 7 posters.

#### PEER REVIEWS COMPLETED

Journal of Biogeography (2), **Molecular Ecology** (1), Molecular Phylogenetics and Evolution (1), **Proceedings of The Royal Society B** (1), Ecology (1).