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Ecologist, evolutionary biologist & botanist

Sep 2023–	Research, Publishing & Training Officer	C4 EcoSolutions
Feb–Aug 2023	Research & Publishing Intern	
Feb 2023	MSc in Biological Sciences	University of Cape Town
2015–2022	Teaching Assistant & Tutor (various) Departments of Biological Sciences, Mathematics & Applied Mathematics, Statistical Sciences	
	Research Assistant (various) Department of Biological Sciences	
2017	BSc Hons in Biological Sciences <i>With distinction</i>	
2016	BSc in Ecology & Evolution, Applied Biology <i>With distinction in both majors & the degree as a whole</i>	

Languages	English, Afrikaans, R
Tools	R Markdown, L ^A T _E X, bash, git, GitHub, MS Office
Skills	Statistical modelling, data manipulation, visualisation, GIS (in R), phylogeny inference & comparative methods, functional programming

Recent publications

Van Mazijk, Cramer, & Verboom. 2021. Environmental heterogeneity explains contrasting plant species richness between the South African Cape & southwestern Australia. *J. Biogeog.* 48. 10.1111/jbi.14118.

Elliott, **van Mazijk**, Barrett, Bruhl, Joly, Muthaphuli, Wilson, & Muasya. 2021. Global dispersal & diversification of the genus *Schoenus* (Cyperaceae) from the Western Australian biodiversity hotspot. *J. Syst. Evol.* 59(4). 10.1111/jse.12742.