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Scientist- in - charge: **Prof. Francesco Gentile Ficetola**

**ISABEL CANTERA**

**CURRICULUM VITAE**

**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Surname	Cantera
Name	Isabel

**PRESENT OCCUPATION**

Appointment	Structure
Postdoctoral researcher, type B fellowship	Dipartimento di Dipartimento di Dipartimento di Scienze e Politiche Ambientali. Università degli Studi di Milano.

**EDUCATION AND TRAINING**

Degree	Course of studies	University	year of achievement of the degree
Degree	Bachelor's degree in Biology and Environment	Paul Sabatier, Toulouse	2014
Specialization			
PhD	Community Ecology	Paul Sabatier, Toulouse	2019
Master	Biodiversity, Ecology and Evolution	Paul Sabatier, Toulouse	2016
Degree of medical specialization			
Degree of European specialization			
Other			



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## REGISTRATION IN PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Date registration	of Association	City

## FOREIGN LANGUAGES

Languages	level of knowledge
Spanish	Native
French	Native
English	Fluent
Italian	Intermediate

## AWARDS, ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS, SCHOLARSHIPS

Year	Description of award
2016-2019	PhD fellowship from the "Laboratoire d'excellence CEBA" (Centre d'étude de la biodiversité amazonienne, CNRS).

## TRAINING OR RESEARCH ACTIVITY

**2021-2023: Postdoctoral position at Dipartimento di Scienze e Politiche Ambientali. Università degli Studi di Milano.**

Successional patterns of soil communities after glacier retreat. A multi-taxa and global approach using environmental DNA to describe the taxonomic and functional diversity of communities in glacier forelands.

*Reference: Prof. Francesco Ficetola (francesco.ficetola@unimi.it).*

**2020: Postdoctoral position at EDB laboratory (Evolution et Diversité Biologique). Toulouse, France.**

Characterizing the spatial signal of environmental DNA (eDNA) in rivers using a community ecology approach. Beta-diversity patterns along upstream-downstream gradients in tropical rivers.

*Reference: Prof. Sébastien Brosse (sebastien.brosse@univ-tlse3.fr).*

**May 2017: 7<sup>th</sup> Metabarcoding School, Porto, Portugal, 2017.** 70h of lectures and practical lessons (bio-informatic analyses, DNA extraction, DNA amplification).

**2016 - 2019: Ph. D. in community ecology at EDB laboratory.**

Effects of human impacts on freshwater fish communities in French Guiana.

- Sampling campaigns to filtrate water to collect environmental DNA.
- Optimization of the eDNA sampling protocol to inventor species-rich rivers and streams.
- Community ecology analyses statistics: null models, multivariate analyses to build functional spaces and functional indices (richness, divergence, evenness and identity).

*Supervisor: Prof. Sébastien Brosse (sebastien.brosse@univ-tlse3.fr).*

**2016: Master project at EDB laboratory.**

Biogeography of the Olive family (Oleaceae).

- Phylogenetic reconstruction, molecular dating and inferences of ancestral geographic range.

*Supervisor: Dr. Guillaume Besnard (guillaume.besnard@univ-tlse3.fr)*



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## 2015: Internship at Auckland University, New Zealand.

*Genomic differentiation between wild and re-introduced populations of an endangered bird, the New Zealand Hihi (*Notiomystis cincta*).*

- Genome assembling (Rad sequencing), SNP detection and localisation analyses (Stacks pipeline).

*Reference: Dr. Anna Santure (a.santure@auckland.ac.nz).*

## 2014: Internship at Centro de Investigación en Biodiversidad y Conservación, Universidad Autónoma del Estado de Morelos, Mexico.

Forest restoration effects on the behaviour of bird communities in a dry forest reserve (*Sierra de Huautla*).

- Creation of the sampling design and video recording of birds.

*Reference: Prof. Marcela Osorio (mosorio@uaem.mx).*

## 2013: Internship at ECOLAB (Laboratory of Functional Ecology and Environment), Toulouse, France and the Angling Association of Tolmin, Slovenia.

Diet characterization of the endangered marble trout (*Salmo marmoratus*).

- Surber sampling, identification and biomass estimation of aquatic invertebrates.

*References: Dr. Camille Musseau (camille.musseau@gmail.com) and Dr. Alain Crivelli (a.crivelli@tourduvalat.org).*

## PROJECT ACTIVITY

Year	Project
2(2019). 020-2023	<b>IceCommunities:</b> Reconstructing community dynamics and ecosystem functioning after glacial retreat; Funded by the European Research Council (ERC; ID project: 772284). Owner of the project: Francesco Ficetola.
2020	<b>eDNA-DistDet:</b> Quantifying the Detection Distance of Fish by Environmental DNA in French Guiana Rivers; funded by the DEAL Guyane (Direction de l'environnement, de l'aménagement et du logement). Owner: Sébastien brosse.
2017-2019	<b>DEBIT:</b> DEcoupling Biodiversity dimensions In Tropical ecosystems. Funded by the French National Research Agency (ANR). Owner: Jérôme Murienne.

## PATENTS

Patent

## CONGRESSES AND SEMINARS

Date	Title	Place
2016	Annual meeting of the LabEx CEBA	Cayenne, French Guyana
2017	10 <sup>th</sup> Symposium for European Freshwater Sciences (SEFS)	Olomouc, Czech Republic
2016	Annual meeting of the LabEx CEBA	Cayenne, French Guyana
2019	14 <sup>th</sup> Ecology and behaviour conference	Toulouse, France
2019	2 <sup>nd</sup> International Conference on Community Ecology	Bologna, Italy



2023	3 <sup>rd</sup> Global Soil Biodiversity Conference	Dublin, Ireland
2023	4 <sup>th</sup> International Conference on Community Ecology	Trieste, Italy

## PUBLICATIONS

Books

Articles in reviews
<p><b>Cantera✉, I., Carteron, A., Guerrieri, A., Marta, S., Bonin, A., Ambrosini, R., Anthelme, F., Azzoni, R., Almond, P., Gazitúa, P.A., Cauvy-fraunié, S., Lievano, J.C., Chand, P., Sarma, M.C., Clague, J., Rapre, J.A.C., Compostella, C., Encarnación, R.C., Dangles, O., Eger, A., Erokhin, S., Franzetti, A., Gielly, L., Gili, F., Gobbi, M., Hågvar, S., Khedim, N., Meneses, R., Peyre, G., Pittino, F., Rabaté, A., Urseitova, N., Yang, Y., Zaginaev, V., Zerboni, A., Zimmer, A., Taberlet, P., Diolaiuti, G., Poulenard, J., Thuiller, W., Caccianiga, M., &amp; Ficetola, F.</b> The importance of species addition versus replacement varies over succession in plant communities after glacier retreat. <i>In press at Nature Plants</i>. Preprint: <a href="https://doi.org/10.21203/rs.3.rs-2482972/v1">https://doi.org/10.21203/rs.3.rs-2482972/v1</a></p>
<p>Guerrieri*, A., <b>Cantera✉*, I., Marta*, S., Bonin*, A., Carteron, A., Ambrosini, R., Caccianiga, M., Anthelme, F., Azzoni, R.S., Almond, P., Alviz Gazitúa, P., Cauvy-Fraunié, S., Ceballos Lievano, J.L., Chand, P., Chand Sharma, M., Clague, J., Cochachin Rapre, J.A., Compostella, C., Cruz Encarnación, R., Dangles, O., Deline, P., Eger, A., Erokhin, S., Franzetti, A., Gielly, L., Gili, F., Gobbi, M., Hågvar, S., Khedim, N., Meneses, R.I., Peyre, G., Pittino, F., Proietto, A., Rabaté, A., Urseitova, N., Yang, Y., Zaginaev, V., Zerboni, A., Zimmer, A., Taberlet, P., Diolaiuti, G.A., Poulenard, J., Fontaneto*, D., Thuiller*, W., Ficetola*, G.F. (2024). Local climate modulates the development of soil nematode communities after glacier retreat. <i>Global Change Biology</i> 30, e17057. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1111/gcb.17057">https://doi.org/10.1111/gcb.17057</a></b></p>
<p><b>Cantera✉, I., Jézéquel, C., Dejean, T., Murienne, J., Vigouroux, R., Valentini, A., Brosse, S.</b> (2023). Functional responses to deforestation in fish communities inhabiting Neotropical streams and rivers. <i>Ecol. processes</i> 12, 52. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1186/s13717-023-00463-8">https://doi.org/10.1186/s13717-023-00463-8</a></p>
<p><b>Cantera✉, I., Jézéquel, C., Dejean, T., Murienne, J., Vigouroux, R., Valentini, A., Brosse, S.</b> (2023). Deforestation strengthens environmental filtering and competitive exclusion in Neotropical streams and rivers. <i>Proceedings of the Royal Society B: Biological Sciences</i> 290, 20231130. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1098/rspb.2023.1130">https://doi.org/10.1098/rspb.2023.1130</a></p>
<p>Giachello, S., <b>Cantera, I., Carteron, A., Marta, S., Cipriano, C., Guerrieri, A., Bonin, A., Thuiller, W., Ficetola, G.F.</b> (2023). Toward a common set of functional traits for soil protists. <i>Soil Biology and Biochemistry</i> 109207. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1016/j.soilbio.2023.109207">https://doi.org/10.1016/j.soilbio.2023.109207</a></p>
<p>Ficetola, G.F., Guerrieri, A., <b>Cantera, I., Bonin, A.</b> (2023). In silico assessment of 18S rDNA metabarcoding markers for the characterization of nematode communities. Under revision at <i>PLoS One</i> Preprint: <a href="https://doi.org/10.1101/2023.08.01.551472">https://doi.org/10.1101/2023.08.01.551472</a></p>
<p>Coutant, O., Jézéquel, C., Mokany, K., <b>Cantera, I., Covain, R., Valentini, A., Dejean, T., Brosse, S., Murienne, J.</b> (2023). Environmental DNA reveals a mismatch between diversity facets of Amazonian fishes in response to contrasting geographical, environmental and anthropogenic effects. <i>Global Change Biology</i> 29, 1741-1758. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1111/gcb.16533">https://doi.org/10.1111/gcb.16533</a></p>
<p><b>Cantera*, I., Coutant*, O., Jézéquel, C., Decotte, J.-B., Dejean, T., Iribar, A., Vigouroux, R., Valentini, A., Murienne, J., Brosse, S.</b> (2022). Low level of anthropization linked to harsh vertebrate biodiversity declines in Amazonia. <i>Nature Communications</i> 13, 3290. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1038/s41467-022-30842-2">https://doi.org/10.1038/s41467-022-30842-2</a></p>
<p>Guerrieri, A., Carteron, A., Bonin, A., Marta, S., Ambrosini, R., Caccianiga, M., <b>Cantera, I., Compostella, C., Diolaiuti, G., Fontaneto, D., Gielly, L., Gili, F., Gobbi, M., Poulenard, J., Taberlet, P., Zerboni, A.,</b></p>



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Thuiller, W., Ficetola, G.F. (2022). Metabarcoding data reveal vertical multitaxa variation in topsoil communities during the colonization of deglaciated forelands. *Molecular Ecology*. <https://doi.org/10.1111/mec.16669>

Cantera✉, I., Decotte, J., Dejean, T., Murienne, J., Vigouroux, R., Valentini, A., Brosse, S. (2022). Characterizing the spatial signal of environmental DNA in river systems using a community ecology approach. *Molecular Ecology Resources* 22, 1274-1283. <https://doi.org/10.1111/1755-0998.13544>

Coutant, O., Cantera, I., Cilleros, K., Dejean, T., Valentini, A., Murienne, J., Brosse, S. (2021). Detecting fish assemblages with environmental DNA: Does protocol matter? Testing eDNA metabarcoding method robustness. *Environmental DNA* 3, 619-630. <https://doi.org/10.1002/edn3.158>

Cantera✉, I., Cilleros, K., Valentini, A., Cerdan, A., Dejean, T., Iribar, A., Taberlet, P., Vigouroux, R., Brosse, S. (2019). Optimizing environmental DNA sampling effort for fish inventories in tropical streams and rivers. *Scientific Reports* 9. <https://doi.org/10.1038/s41598-019-39399-5>

Olofsson, J.K., Cantera, I., Van de Paer, C., Hong-Wa, C., Zedane, L., Dunning, L.T., Alberti, A., Christin, P.-A., Besnard, G. (2019). Phylogenomics using low-depth whole genome sequencing: A case study with the olive tribe. *Molecular Ecology Resources* 19, 877-892. <https://doi.org/10.1111/1755-0998.13016>

Murienne, J., Cantera, I., Cerdan, A., Cilleros, K., Decotte, J.-B., Dejean, T., Vigouroux, R., Brosse, S. (2019). Aquatic eDNA for monitoring French Guiana biodiversity. *BDJ* 7, e37518. <https://doi.org/10.3897/BDJ.7.e37518>

Musseau C., Vincenzi S., Jesensek D., Cantera I., Boulêtreau S., Santoul F., Crivelli A.J. Direct and indirect effects of environmental factors on dietary niches in size-structured populations of a wild salmonid. (2015). *Ecosphere* 6, 1-15. <https://doi.org/10.1890/ES15-00109.1>

## Congress proceedings

[title, structure, place, year]

## OTHER INFORMATION

Teaching experience in Multivariate analyses. Master level (Ecology degree), Paul Sabatier University (2017-2018).

Computer skills: Statistical analyses (R language), Phylogenetic and biogeographic analyses (BEAST, RAxML, BioGeoBEARS), Unix language. Basic use of Geographic Information Systems (QGIS) and LaTeX.

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