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University of Waterloo, Waterloo, ON Canada	Aquatic ecology	Ph.D, 2010
Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources, ON Canada	Invasion ecology	Postdoc, 2011-2012
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#### **PUBLICATIONS**

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