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Education

Ph.D. Candidate, Individualized Program, Concordia University, Montreal, Qc (Sept. 2007-present)//Expected date of completion: Jan. 2013

Thesis Working Title: Reconciling Indigenous and Scientific Fisheries Knowledge in the Context of the Tropical Rock Lobster Fishery, Torres Strait, Northern Australia

Graduate Diploma, Environmental Impact Assessment, Concordia University, Montreal, Qc (Sept. 2005 – May 2007)

M.Sc., Biological Sciences, Université du Québec à Montréal, Montreal Qc. Graduated with Honours. (Sept. 1998 – Jan. 2002)

Thesis: Characterization of juvenile grey seals' immune response: effects of mercury and of the parasite *Otostrongylus circumlitus*. (In French)

The completion of my thesis was delayed by acute illness (Pertussis)

B.Sc., Biology, Université du Québec à Trois-Rivières, Trois-Rivières, Qc (Sept. 1995. - May 1998)

Publications

- van Putten, I., **Lalancette**, **A**., Bayliss, P., Dennis, D., Hutton, T., Norman-López, A., et al. (2013). A Bayesian model of factors influencing indigenous participation in the Torres Strait tropical rocklobster fishery. Marine Policy, 37(1), 96–105.
- Hearn A, Muiño R., Pita P., Lalancette A. and Moreno J. (2008). Spatial Management of Spiny Lobsters in the Galapagos Islands (Ecuador). Galapagos, Ecuador: Charles Darwin Foundation, Universidade da Coruña and Recursos Marinos y Pesquerías. (In Spanish)
- Castrejón M., Hearn A., Murillo J.C., **Lalancette A.**, Reyes H., Gaibor N., Chalén X., Espinoza E., and Avendaño U. (2007). Target Reference Points for the Sea Cucumber Fishery (*Isostichopus fuscus*) in the Galapagos Marine Reserve. Reporte de la Comisión Técnica de la Junta de Manejo Participativo. Galapagos, Ecuador. (In Spanish)
- Fournier M., Lalancette A., Ménard L., Christin-Piché, MS., De Guise S., Brousseau P., 2004. Immunological Biomarkers Applied to Ecotoxicology. Écotoxicologie moléculaire: Principes fondamentaux et perspectives de développement (pp. 401-450). Pelletier E., Campbell G.C. and Denizeau F. (Editors). Presses de l'Université du Québec. (In French)
- Lalancette A., Morin Y., Measures L., Fournier M., 2003. Contrasting Changes of Sensitivity by Lymphocytes and Neutrophils to Mercury in Developing Grey Seals. Developmental and Comparative Immunology, 27 (8): 735-47

Selected Presentations:

- Lalancette A. (2012). Understanding the Human Dimension of an Indigenous Fishery: Potential and Limits of Some Participatory Methods. 10th International Conference Coastal Zone Canada, Rimouski, Qc, June 9-14, 2012 and Canadian Association of Geographers AGM, Congress of the Social Sciences and Humanities, University of Waterloo, May 26-June 1, 2012.
- Lalancette A. (2012) Integrating Indigenous Perspectives into Fisheries Management: Challenges and Opportunities in Torres Strait, Australia. 1st Fishery Dependent Information Conference. Galway, Ireland, 2010, August 23-26, 2010.
- Lalancette A. (2009). Understanding the Context of an Indigenous Fishery in Torres Strait, Australia: the ParFish Preference Interview Approach. Ocean Management Research Network National Conference. Ottawa, ON, October 21-24, 2009. Poster presentation.

Scholarships and Awards

Doctoral Fellowship, Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC), 2010-2011

Financial support, Fishery Dependent Information Conference, 2010

Endeavour Research Fellowship, Australian Government's Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations, 2009

Doctoral Fellowship, Quebec's Fund for Research on Society and Culture (FQRSC), 2007-2010

Frederick Lowy Scholars' Fellowship, Concordia University, 2007-2010

Doctoral Tuition Fee Remission Award, Concordia University, 2007-2011

Students for Development Award, Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada (AUCC), 2006

Student Mobility Programme, Quebec's Ministry of Education (MEQ), 2006

M.Sc. Fellowship in Research, Quebec's Fund for Research on Nature and Technologies (FQRNT), 1998-2000

Experience

Part-time Faculty, Concordia University, September 2010 – present **Courses:**

- Community Participation in Environmental Conservation (HENV 675): graduate level course
- Environmental Management (GEOG 470/670): undergraduate and graduate course

Professional Volunteer, Charles Darwin Research Station, Galapagos Marine Reserve (GMR), Ecuador, February 2007 – August 2007

- Investigations on the distribution and recruitment of spiny lobsters in the GMR (interviews with 66 local fishers and GIS mapping)
- Scientific diver in the ecological subtidal monitoring of the sea cucumber *Isostichopus horrens*
- Evaluation of the participatory fisheries management system particular focus on the development of the new Fishing Calendar and Management Plan

Graduate Diploma Internship, Charles Darwin Research Station, Galapagos Marine Reserve (GMR), Ecuador, July 2006 – December 2006

- Evaluation of the participatory fisheries management system particular focus on the development of the new Fishing Calendar and Management Plan
- Scientific diver in the ecological subtidal monitoring of the coastal zonation of the GMR
- Participation in a demonstrative participatory field trip for GMR users and local media
- Evaluation of different projects proposals to be undertaken in the GMR according to EIA requirements
- Monitoring of sea lion colonies between tourism and non-tourism sites
- Oceanographic and plankton sampling
- Literature Reviews

Experience (continued)

Teacher Assistant, Research Methods (GEOG 360), Concordia University, fall 2005

- Designed and taught the statistics laboratory section of the course
- Wrote the laboratory exams and graded students for the laboratory section of the course

Research Assistant, Neuropsychology, McGill University, Dr. Karim Nader, 2005

- Fear conditioning studies on memory (rats and mice)
- Stereotaxic surgeries, perfusions, molecular biology techniques and statistical analysis
- Supervised and trained honours students
- General laboratory management

Research Assistant, Environmental Immunotoxicology, INRS-Armand-Frappier Institute, Dr. Michel Fournier, 2002-2003

- Co-authored a chapter on immunological biomarkers applied in ecotoxicology
- Supervisory role, including training Ph.D. and other students
- Effects of municipal wastewater discharge on fish immune response study
- General laboratory management

Teacher Assistant, Université du Québec à Montréal, January 1999 – May 2000

Courses: Immunology (BIO 5123) and Zoology (BIO 1040)

- Taught the laboratory section of the course
- Prepared material and animals for each course
- Wrote the requirements for the questionnaires and laboratory reports and graded students for the experimental section of the course

Other Relevant Experience

President and Co-General Director, Dance Company Corpus Rhésus, Trois-Rivières, March 2001-September 2002

- Insured continuity and long-term development of the company
- Renewed a partnership with the city of Trois-Rivières
- Recruited all members of the Administration Council
- Hired and supervised an accountant/secretary and a development agent
- Wrote grant proposals and searched for funding

Dance Teacher, 1996-2004

- Classical ballet, modern, and creative dance (age 3 to adult) in different private dance schools, kindergartens, and summer camps, 1996-2004
- Movement exploration to theatre college students, Cégep de Trois-Rivières, 2000
- Week long workshop at the Dance company CoDanza, Holguin, Cuba, 2000
- Week long workshop at the Primary School for the Arts, Holguin, Cuba, 1999
- Amateur Troop (15 to 25 years old), Corpus Rhésus, Trois-Rivières, 2001-2002 and 1997-1998