

# Andrea BETTERLE



## PERSONAL DATA

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PLACE AND DATE OF BIRTH: Camposampiero (Padova), Italy - 20 June 1988  
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## EDUCATION

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- APRIL 2015 PHD POSITION NO. 15, MARIE SKLODOWSKA-CURIE ITN HYPOTRAIN
- APRIL 2015 PhD Candidate  
SWISS FEDERAL INSTITUTE OF AQUATIC SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (EAWAG)  
**Department of Water Resources and Drinking Water,**  
Dübendorf, Zürich (Switzerland)  
Supervisor: Prof. Mario SCHIRMER  
Advisor: Prof. Gianluca BOTTER
- NOVEMBER 2014 Italian State Exam to practice as Civil-Environmental engineer.
- OCTOBER 2014 Master degree in ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING,  
**University of Padova**, Padova (Italy)  
Thesis: "Water Balance Modeling In The Eastern United States"  
Topic: Hydrology  
Advisor: Prof. Gianluca BOTTER  
Final Grade: 110/110
- 2012/2013 Exchange Year  
**University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences (BOKU)**  
Vienna (Austria)
- JULY 2012 Bachelor Degree in ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING  
**University of Padova**, Padova (Italy)  
Thesis: "Subsidence Limitation In The Mobile Gates System In Venice "  
Topic: Geotechnics  
Advisor: Paolo CARRUBBA  
Final Grade: 96/110
- JULY 2007 Diploma from **Liceo Scientifico "G. B. Quadri"**, Vicenza (Italy)  
Final Grade: 88/100

## EXPERIENCES AND RESEARCH INTERESTS

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Development and application of analytical and numerical models aimed to address large scale ecohydrological and socially relevant environmental issues.

Experience in groundwater and surface water monitoring, partly gathered in the field during the 2 joint field experiments conducted within the EU's ITN Hypotrain.

## PUBLICATIONS

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**Betterle A., Schirmer M., Radny D., Botter G., (2017), What do they have in common? Drivers of streamflow spatial correlation and prediction of flow regimes in ungauged locations , *Water Resources Research*, doi:10.1002/2017WR021144**

Doulatyari B., **Betterle A., Radny D., Alessi Celegon E., Fanton P., Schirmer M., Botter G., (2017), Patterns of streamflow regimes along the river network: The case of the Thur river, *Environmental Modelling & Software*, doi:10.1016/j.envsoft.2017.03.002**

**Betterle A., Schirmer M., Botter G., (2017), Characterizing the spatial correlation of daily streamflows, *Water Resources Research*, doi:10.1002/2016WR019195**

Doulatyari B., **Betterle A., Basso S., Biswal B., Schirmer M., Botter G., (2015), Predicting streamflow distributions and flow duration curves from landscape and climate, *Advances in Water Resources*, doi:10.1016/j.advwatres.2015.06.013**

## CONFERENCE CONTRIBUTIONS

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11-15 DECEMBER 2017 - NEW ORLEANS

AMERICAN GEOSCIENCES UNION GENERAL ASSEMBLY, AGU

What Do They Have in Common? Physical Drivers of Streamflow Spatial Correlation and Prediction of Flow Regimes at Ungauged Locations in the Contiguous United States (Poster Presentation)

23-28 APRIL 2017 - VIENNA

EUROPEAN GEOSCIENCES UNION GENERAL ASSEMBLY, EGU

Characterizing the spatial correlation of streamflows (Oral + Poster Presentation)

12-16 DECEMBER 2016 - SAN FRANCISCO

AMERICAN GEOSCIENCES UNION GENERAL ASSEMBLY, AGU

Spatial Correlation Of Streamflows: An Analytical Approach (Poster Presentation)

17-22 APRIL 2016 - VIENNA

EUROPEAN GEOSCIENCES UNION GENERAL ASSEMBLY, EGU

Analytical characterization of the spatial correlation of streamflows (Oral Presentation)

## AWARDS

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BEST POSTER AWARD: CHARACTERIZING THE SPATIAL CORRELATION OF DAILY STREAMFLOWS

ETH catchment transport processes summer school (organizers: P. Burlando, J. Kirchner)

## COURSES AND SCHOOLS

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ADVANCED STATISTICS AND DATA ANALYSIS - University of Padova - 12-23 March 2018

COMSOL APP BUILDER WORKSHOPS - ETH Zurich - 27 February 2018

SUMMER SCHOOL: CATCHMENT TRANSPORT PROCESSES - ETH Zurich 2-7 July 2017

SUMMER SCHOOL: PRINCIPLES OF CATCHMENT-SCALE HYDROLOGICAL MODELLING - University of Salento, Lecce - 26-30 June 2017

SUMMER SCHOOL: ENVIRONMENTAL TRACERS - UNIVERSITY OF NEUCHÂTEL - 31 May -2 June 2017

RIVER RESTORATION AND SOIL BIOENGINEERING - University of Barcelona - 30 Gen-1 Feb 2017

SCIENTIFIC WRITING - EAWAG ZURICH - 15-16 Sept 2016

SUMMER SCHOOL: RUNOFF PREDICTION IN UNGAUGED BASINS - TU Vienna 4-8 July 2016

COUPLED STREAM-GROUNDWATER MODELING - UFZ LEIPZIG - 27-29 Jan 2016

COMMUNICATING SCIENCE TO STAKEHOLDERS - UFZ LEIPZIG - 25-26 Jan 2016

SAMPLING AND MEASUREMENT TECHNIQUES, DESIGNING EXPERIMENTS IN THE HYPORHEIC ZONE - University of Birmingham - 2-6 Nov 2015

MODELING HYDROLOGIC PROCESSES - KTH STOCKHOLM - 28-30 Oct 2015  
THE CHALLENGE OF COMMUNICATING IN SCIENCE - University of Stockholm - 26-27 Oct 2015  
ADVANCED ANALYSIS WITH MODELBUILDER IN ARCGIS - ETH Zurich - 16 Sept 2015

## INFORMATIC SKILLS

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Good skills in : Microsoft Office Suite (ECDL certificate), AutoCAD (certificate),  
ArcGIS, LATEX, Matlab, Adobe Photoshop, GeoStudio,  
Hec-RAS, Straus7, Linux (Ubuntu), SPSS, Mathematica,  
Adobe Illustrator, FORTRAN, C++, R, Modflow, COMSOL.

## OTHER SCHOLARLY ACTIVITIES

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Reviewer for:  
Geophysical Research Letters  
Hydrological Processes

## INTERESTS AND ACTIVITIES

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Music, Technology, Reading, Philosophy, History, Sailing, Cycling and Bikes,  
Skiing, Physics, Photography, Cars & Motorbikes, Animals (especially Dogs),  
Tennis, Table Tennis, Traveling, Running, Cinema,  
Environment and Environmental policies.

## LANGUAGES

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ITALIAN: Mother-tongue  
ENGLISH: Fluent  
GERMAN: Good  
SPANISH: Basic

## OTHER

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European B driving license

## CONTACTS FOR REFERENCES

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**Prof. Gianluca Botter**  
Department of Civil, Environmental and Architectural Engineering (ICEA)  
University of Padua, Italy  
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**Prof. Mario Schirmer**  
Department Water Resources and Drinking Water  
EAWAG, Switzerland  
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## Transcript of Records

### Master Degree in ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING, UNIVERSITY OF PADOVA

EXAM	CREDIT ECTS
Geology and Geochemistry	6
Waste Water Treatment	9
River Engineering	9
Soil Protection: Project Work	6
Environmental Geotechnics	6
Coastal Management and Protection	6
Groundwater Hydrology	6
Design Of Structures For Environmental Protection	6
 Master Thesis	 24
Total	78

### Exchange Year at UNIVERSITY OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND LIFE SCIENCES (BOKU), VIENNA

EXAM	CREDIT ECTS
Computing Seminar On Hydraulics And Rural Water Management	4.5
Computer Based River Modeling	3
Soil Water Management	3
Seminar In Environmental Biotechnology	3
Risk Management And Vulnerability Assessment	3
Ecologically Oriented Methods And Monitoring In River Engineering	3
Game Theory In Environmental And Natral Resource Management	3
Water Resources Planning And Management	3
Statistical And Numerical Methods In Water Management	3
Remote Sensing And GIS In Natural Resources Management (Practical)	3
Remote Sensing And GIS In Natural Resources Management (Theoretical)	3
Integrated Flood Risk Management	3
Planning And Design In Water Supply And Waste Water Treatment	3
Application Of GIS In Hydrology And Water Management	3
Atmospheric Pollution And Climate Change	3
Statistical Data Analysis With SPSS	3
GIS In Riverscape Planning	2
Statistical Data Analysis With SPSS	3
Landslide Risk Assessment And Zoning	2
Irrigation Design	3
Biology, Chemistry And Microbiology For Civil Engineering	3
Total	59.5

## Bachelor Degree In ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING, UNIVERSITY OF PADOVA

EXAM	CREDIT ECTS
English Language	2
Calculus 1 *	7
Calculus 2 *	7
Calculus 3 *	7
Mathematics For Physics *	8
Mathematical Methods *	5
Computer Science For Physics *	4
Physics 1 *	7
Physics 2 *	7
Physics 3 *	7
Physics 5 *	4
Laboratory Of Physics 1 *	5
Laboratory Of Physics 2 *	4
Laboratory Of Physics 3 *	4
Laboratory Of Physics 4 *	5
Laboratory Of Physics 1 *	6
Fluid Dynamics *	5
Linear Algebra And Geometry	9
Chemistry	12
Technical Drawing	6
Hydrology	5
Hydraulics	12
Building Science	12
Thermal Physics And Heat Transfer	6
Elements Of Biology And Microbiology	6
Numerical Calculus	9
Transport Phenomena	6
Environmental Sanitary Engineering	12
Geotechnics	12
Bachelor Thesis	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>204</b>

A star (\*) indicates that the course was taken at the  
**Department Of Physics GALILEO GALILEI, Padova, ITALY**