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Education

Arizona State University	Anthropology (Archaeology)	Ph.D., 2017
University of Victoria	Anthropology (Archaeology)	M.A., 2011
McGill University	Anthropology major, Hispanic studies minor	B.A., 2009

Relevant professional experience

2023-present	Research Scientist , Center for Applied Fire and Ecosystem Science, New Mexico Consortium (USA)
2022-2023	Data Science Specialist , ASU Enterprise Partners (USA)
2017-2022	Postdoctoral Research Scholar , Institute of Human Origins, ASU (USA)

Recent publications

- Sparacello V. S., Goude G., Varalli A., Dori I., **Gravel-Miguel C.**, Riel-Salvatore J., Palstra S. W. L., Moggi J., Negrino F., and E. Starnini. (2023) *Human remains from Arma di Nasino (Liguria) provide novel insights into the paleoecology of early Holocene foragers in northwestern Italy*. *Scientific Report* 13(1): 16415
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- Fernandez Lopez de Pablo, J., M. Hamilton, **C. Gravel-Miguel**, A. Migliano, F. Riede, M. Derex, E. Gjesfjeld, V. Romano, S. Lozano Pérez. (2022) To understand cultural evolution in Hunter-Gatherers, we need to adopt 'Network Thinking', *TREE*
- Torrese P., F. Zucca, S. Martini, S. Benazzi, D. Drohobytsky, **C. Gravel-Miguel**, J. Hodgkins, D. Meyer, C. Miller, M. Peresani, C. Orr, J. Riel-Salvatore, D.S. Strait, F. Negrino. (2022) *Ground-truth validated 3D electrical*

- resistivity imaging of the Archaeological deposits at Arma Veirana Cave (Northern Italy).* Journal of Quaternary Science.
- Hodgkins J., C.M. Orr, **C. Gravel-Miguel**, J. Riel-Salvatore, L. Bondioli, E. Cristiani, L. Mancini, A. Nava, F. Lugli, S. Silvestrini, M. Romandini, S. Arrighi, F. Baruffaldi, G. Pothier-Bouchard, D. Meyer, D. Drohobytsky, S. Talamo, H.M. Keller, R. Belén Griggs, C.E. Miller, M. Peresani, D.S. Strait, S. Benazzi, F. Negrino. (2021) *Infant funeral rites and female personhood in early Mesolithic Europe*, Scientific Reports 11: 23735
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Recent projects

- Research Scientist: *Advancing LiDAR applications for DoD cultural resource management through machine learning algorithms for archaeological survey and risk modeling for cultural resource hazard assessments* (DoD Environmental Security Technology Certification Program (2024-2027)
- Research Scientist: *Cultural Resource Detection using Light Detection and Ranging for Management during Pre-planning in Timber and Fire Activities* (USDA Forest Service Cooperative Agreement, 2022-2025)
- Principal Investigator: *Documenting forager adaptations to dramatic climate change at the Pleistocene-Holocene transition in Liguria (Italy)* (Insight Grant, Social Science and Humanities Research Council, 2021-2026)
- Principal Investigator: *Contextualizing the Upper Paleolithic burial from Arma Veirana* (Insight Development Grant, Social Science and Humanities Research Council, 2018-2022)
- Project lead: *Portable Art and Social Networks: A Study of Raw Material Sources in the Production of Engraved Stone Plaquettes and Figurines around the Last Glacial Maximum* (Joseph-Armand Bombardier Canada Graduate Scholarship: Doctoral Scholarship, 2011-2015)
- Project lead: *Portable art as communication device around the Last Glacial Maximum* (Joseph-Armand Bombardier Canada Graduate Scholarship: Master's Scholarship, 2010)