

**Miguel José Teodoro Correia**

**CURRICULUM VITAE**

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# *Curriculum vitae*

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## 1. Personal data

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## 2. Summary

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Miguel José Teodoro Correia started his research career in 2003 when he obtains the BSc degree from the Universidade do Algarve, addressing cuttlefish (*Sepia officinalis*) aquaculture & husbandry. From this study, he published 1 paper as first author. Later in 2006, he graduated in MSc at the Universidade de Lisboa, studying the proper feed for juvenile cuttlefish in laboratory. From this research, he published 2 papers as first author. He started his PhD in 2009 obtained the degree in 2015 with honors (*Summa Cum Laude*) from Universidade do Algarve. His PhD research addressed the conservation and mitigation actions of 2 seahorse species (*Hippocampus guttulatus* and *Hippocampus hippocampus*). More than 400 hours were spent in underwater research. This work resulted in 5 papers as first author. Besides the scientific dissemination, this researcher promoted innumerous media releases, both nationally and internationally, that aimed to raise awareness regarding marine conservation using seahorses as a flagship species. This researcher has been involved in Project Seahorse (<http://www.projectseahorse.org>) as research associate since 2010 to date. He has also been involved in the IUCN Red List assessment regarding seahorse species as a specialist. This researcher has published a total of 16 peer-reviewed papers, he co-supervised 7 MSc students and 2 Undergraduate students. He participated in a total of 6 Research Projects in different capacities. He is a co-founder of SHRIMPPO, lda - a start-up company that breeds aquatic species to the ornamental market.

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### 3. Academic degrees

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Year	Academic degree	Institution	Classification
2015	PhD	Faculdade de Ciências e Tecnologias, Universidade do Algarve - Supervisors: José Pedro Andrade, PhD & Heather Koldewey, PhD	<i>Summa cum laude</i> (with the highest honors)
2007	MSc	Faculdade de Ciências da Universidade de Lisboa - Supervisors: José Pedro Andrade, PhD & Henrique Cabral, PhD	Very Good
2003	Licenciante	Faculdade de Ciências do Mar e do Ambiente, Universidade do Algarve - Supervisors: José Pedro Andrade, PhD & Pedro Domingues, PhD	13/20

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### 4. Previous and current scientific and/or professional activities

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Period	Position or category	Institution(s)
02/03/2018 (ongoing)	Research grant – “HIPPONUTRE” - (Breeding the long-snouted seahorse, <i>Hippocampus guttulatus</i> : zootechnical optimization and assessment of nutritional requirements). Programa Operacional MAR2020, Fundo Europeu dos Assuntos Marítimos e das Pescas (FEAMP) - Project reference: MAR-02.01.01-FEAMP-0054. Tasks include breeding and maintenance of seahorses in captivity and nutritional requirements related experiments.	Universidade do Algarve
01/01/2018 (ongoing)	Awareness campaign regarding the illegal fisheries of seahorse populations in the Ria Formosa lagoon. This campaign has my scientific consultancy and aims to engage all stakeholders and decision makers to tackle the illegal activities that impact seahorses in the Ria. The campaign will include activities in schools and other relevant entities such as Algarve’s Science Centre (Centro de Ciência Viva do Algarve).	Fundação Oceano Azul; Oceanário de Lisboa
10/12/2017 to 15/12/2017	Census of the seahorse populations in Stratoni, Greece. This census was done in cooperation with UFR technical diving team ( <a href="http://www.ufr-team.com">http://www.ufr-team.com</a> ) and aimed to develop a plan to protect a small seahorse population ( <i>H. guttulatus</i> and <i>H. hippocampus</i> ). A documentary was done under my scientific consultancy.	UFRTeam; Project Seahorse

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01/08/2017 to 30/09/2017	Census of the seahorse populations in Fuseta under the programme “Levantamento da situação ecológica na área de intervenção do projeto de reforço do cordão dunar das ilhas da Armona e Tavira - praia da Fuseta-mar e extremo poente da ilha de Tavira - Monitorização das Comunidades Biológicas”. This census was done under my responsibility and aimed to inform local authorities in decision making regarding the dredging activities to maintain the navigation channels.	Polis Litoral Ria Formosa; CCMAR
03/02/2017	Co-founder of SHRIMPPO, lda., a start-up company from Universidade do Algarve/CCMAR that aims to breed several aquatic organisms for commercial purposes. This company is the first to introduce <i>Hippocampus hippocampus</i> and <i>Hippocampus guttulatus</i> as a new species in the marine ornamental market, with the respective CITES documents.	SHRIMPPO, lda.
11/07/2015 to 31/08/2015	Implementation of a plan of translocation of seahorses ( <i>Hippocampus guttulatus</i> and <i>Hippocampus hippocampus</i> ) in 2 areas of intervention of dredging activities in the Ria Formosa lagoon. This plan included scientific diving for seahorse population census; seahorse capture, transportation and release. This intervention aimed to protect a seahorse population from the effects of dredging for main channel maintenance. All tasks were performed in the Ria Formosa lagoon.	Polis Litoral Ria Formosa; Bioinsight
01/04/2014 to 30/06/2015	Research grant – “HIPPOSAFE” – From abundance to disappearance. Identifying causes for <i>Hippocampus guttulatus</i> population decrease in the Ria Formosa. Fundação para a Ciência e Tecnologia (FCT). Project reference: PTDC/MAR/122616/2010. Tasks included scientific diving for seahorse population monitoring; deployment of artificial structure for habitat enrichment, seahorse maintenance and indoor experiments. All indoor tasks were performed at Ramalhete Experimental Field Station and outdoor tasks in the Ria Formosa lagoon.	Universidade do Algarve - CCMAR
01/04/2013 to 30/09/2013	Research grant – “HIPPOFIN” - Breeding and sampling techniques for genetic analysis of long-snouted seahorses ( <i>Hippocampus guttulatus</i> ). This grant was funded by University of Turku and was supervised by Dr. Erica Leder and Dr. Charlotta Kvarnemo. Tasks included designing and building a breeding system set-up for <i>H. guttulatus</i> ; feeding, breeding and maintaining <i>H. guttulatus</i> in captivity; collect skin tissue samples for DNA analysis; photo-identification. All tasks were performed at Ramalhete Experimental Field Station.	Universidade do Algarve – CCMAR; University of Turku, Finland

25/03/2013 to 28/03/2013	Organizing committee of the 2nd Syngnathid Biology International Symposium held at University of Algarve, Faro, Portugal ( <a href="http://syngbio.org/">http://syngbio.org/</a> ). The Symposium theme was “Multidisciplinary Approaches to Syngnathid Biology” and aimed to embrace several aspects of seahorse, pipefish and seadragon biology. Topics varied from physiology, phylogenetics, phylogeography, genomics, sexual selection and mating systems, behaviour, Syngnathid breeding programs and aquaculture, and conservation and management. This meeting gathered most of the field’s researchers, straightening the bonds between all research groups.	Universidade do Algarve - CCMAR
01/06/2012 to 30/06/2012	Reviewer of “Woodall, L. 2012. <i>Hippocampus hippocampus</i> . The IUCN Red List of Threatened Species. Version 2015.2. < <a href="http://www.iucnredlist.org">www.iucnredlist.org</a> >.” <a href="http://dx.doi.org/10.2305/IUCN.UK.2012.RLTS.T10069A17338787.en">http://dx.doi.org/10.2305/IUCN.UK.2012.RLTS.T10069A17338787.en</a>	International Union for Conservation of Nature - IUCN
01/06/2012 to 30/06/2012	Reviewer of “Woodall, L. 2012. <i>Hippocampus guttulatus</i> . The IUCN Red List of Threatened Species. Version 2015.2. < <a href="http://www.iucnredlist.org">www.iucnredlist.org</a> >.” <a href="http://dx.doi.org/10.2305/IUCN.UK.2012.RLTS.T41006A16997706.en">http://dx.doi.org/10.2305/IUCN.UK.2012.RLTS.T41006A16997706.en</a>	International Union for Conservation of Nature - IUCN
01/01/2009 to 31/12/2012	PhD grant: “Trends in seahorse abundance in the Ria Formosa, South Portugal: recent scenario and future prospects“ – Fundação para a Ciência e Tecnologia (FCT) – Grant reference: SFRH/BD/41020/2007. Tasks included seahorse maintenance in captivity for laboratory experiments; scientific diving for seahorse ( <i>Hippocampus guttulatus</i> and <i>Hippocampus hippocampus</i> ) population and habitat monitoring; artificial holdfast design, production, deployment and monitoring; photo-identification indoor testing and applied to capture-recapture methodology; scientific writing in peer-reviewed journals and dissemination in international meetings. All indoor tasks were performed at Ramalhete Experimental Field Station and outdoor tasks in the Ria Formosa lagoon.	Universidade do Algarve - CCMAR; Zoological Society of London - ZSL
01/10/2008 to 30/11/2008	Field technician grant – “Project Seahorse”. This grant was funded by Project Seahorse ( <a href="http://www.projectseahorse.org">http://www.projectseahorse.org</a> ). Tasks included support of Iain Caldwell’s PhD workplan as skipper; scientific diver for underwater seahorse population monitoring; liaison and translator to local authorities and media; responsible for requesting all the necessary permits. All tasks were performed in the Ria Formosa lagoon.	Project Seahorse, University of British Columbia, Canada

01/04/2007 to 28/02/2008	Research grant – Sea Horse Applied Research (“SHAR”) “seahorse culture programme”. Establishing a breeding and rearing protocol for <i>Hippocampus guttulatus</i> . Tasks included designing and building a breeding system set-up for <i>Hippocampus guttulatus</i> ; feeding, breeding and maintaining <i>Hippocampus guttulatus</i> in captivity; testing different diets to improve juvenile seahorse survival; optimize and establish a protocol for breeding and maintaining seahorses in captivity and assess its commercial viability. All tasks were performed at Ramalhete Experimental Field Station.	Universidade do Algarve - CCMAR; Lusoreef®
01/01/2003 to 31/07/2005	Research grant – “AQUASEPIA” - Development of aquaculture techniques for the cuttlefish, <i>Sepia officinalis</i> . Projectos I&D em Consórcio – ADI. Project reference: P0009/POCTI 2.3/OUT.01. Tasks included designing and building a breeding system set-up for <i>Sepia officinalis</i> ; feeding, breeding and maintaining the complete life cycle of <i>Sepia officinalis</i> in captivity; testing the optimal culture density; production of <i>Palaemonetes varians</i> as food source for cuttlefish. All tasks were performed at Ramalhete Experimental Field Station.	Universidade do Algarve - CCMAR
04/04/2003 to 05/04/2003	Teaching assistant in “Oceanographic Chemistry” classes in the “Marine Biology and Fisheries” course. Tasks included preparing equipment and logistic support; teaching methodologies related to water sampling and analysis. All tasks were performed in the Ria Formosa lagoon.	Faculdade de Ciências do Mar e Ambiente - Universidade do Algarve
01/06/2003 to 30/06/2003	Scientific course in Aquaculture at Aquaculture Research and Development Facility (ARDF). Tasks included supporting the every-day routines such as culture system checking; tanks maintenance; rotifer and <i>Artemia</i> production; fish feeding ( <i>Hippoglossus stenolepis</i> ; <i>Gadus microcephalus</i> ; <i>Anarhichas denticulatus</i> ); sampling <i>Gadus microcephalus</i> broodstock (sperm collection).	Ocean Science Centre, Memorial University of Newfoundland, Canada
01/05/2001 to 31/12/2001	Field technician – “HALOBATRACHUS” project (Cadmium and vanadium compounds interactions with sarcoplasmic reticulum calcium pump). Project reference: POCTI/QUI/38191/2001. Tasks included capture (SCUBA diving and traditional fishing method) and sampling of <i>Halobatrachus didactylus</i> . All tasks were performed in the Ria Formosa lagoon.	Grupo de Fisiopatologia Cardiovascular Comparada - Universidade do Algarve
30/11/2001 to 01/12/2001	Scientific technician – “SIRIA” (Situação de Referência na Região Costeira Algarvia Influenciável pela Barragem do Alqueva). Fundação das Universidades Portuguesas/ Ministério da Defesa. Project reference: OC2104/00410/C. Tasks included collection of water samples in several off-shore sites along the south coast of Portugal; sample analysis (sediment, oxygen, etc.). All the tasks were performed while live-aboard NRP D. Carlos I ship.	Instituto Hidrográfico; Universidade do Algarve

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## 5. Area of scientific activity

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Marine Biology; Marine Ecology; Aquaculture;

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## 6. Domain of specialization

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### Domain of specializations

Aquaculture; Ecology

### Present research interests

Aquaculture, ecology and behaviour of *Sepia officinalis*

Aquaculture, ecology, behaviour and conservation of seahorses (*Hippocampus guttulatus* and *Hippocampus hippocampus*)

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## 7. Supervising experience

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**Undergraduate Students:** Sandra Ramos (UAlg - N°45130), Gonçalo Lourenço (ERASMUS – Bangor University)

**MSc Students:** Joana Teixeira (Universidade de Lisboa), Magda Frade (UAlg - N°38966), Alyona Shulika (UAlg - N°46213), Diana Novac (UAlg - N°44277), Inga Silva (UAlg – N°33872), Gonçalo Araújo (ERASMUS - EMBC), Jana Rajnohova (ERASMUS - EMBC).

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## 8. Participation in research projects

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2018-2020 – HIPPONUTRE (Breeding the long-snouted seahorse, *Hippocampus guttulatus*: zootechnical optimization and assessment of nutritional requirements). Programa Operacional MAR2020, Fundo Europeu dos Assuntos Marítimos e das Pescas (FEAMP) - Project reference: MAR-02.01.01-FEAMP-0054

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2012-2015 – HIPPOSAFE (From abundance to disappearance. Identifying causes for *Hippocampus guttulatus* population decrease in the Ria Formosa). Fundação para a Ciência e Tecnologia (FCT). Project reference: PTDC/MAR/122616/2010

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2008 – “Project Seahorse” as scientific technician. Project Seahorse, UBC, Canada.

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2007/2008 - SHAR (Sea Horse Applied Research) as assistant researcher. Lusoreef & CCMAR

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2004/2005 - AQUASEPIA (Development of aquaculture techniques for the cuttlefish, *Sepia officinalis*). Projectos I&D em Consórcio – ADI. Project reference: P0009/POCTI 2.3/OUT.01.

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2001/2002 - HALOBATRACHUS (Cadmium and vanadium compounds interactions with sarcoplasmic reticulum calcium pump). Project reference: POCTI/QUI/38191/2001

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## 9. Prizes and awards

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2014 – “Ideias em Caixa 2013 – Concurso de Ideias de Negócio” for SHRIMPPO CRIA – Divisão de Empreendedorismo e Transferência de Tecnologia (UAIG).  
(<http://www.cria.pt/empreendedorismo/concursos-de-ideias/ideias-em-caixa-2013/>)

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2010 – “InAqua” Prize (Oceanário de Lisboa, National Geographic Channel and Throttleman). 1st place.  
Title: “Cavalos-marinhos em risco na Ria Formosa?” ([www.oceanario.pt/conservacao/inaqua/](http://www.oceanario.pt/conservacao/inaqua/))

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## 10. Publications

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### Thesis

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2015 - PhD's Thesis: "Trends in seahorse abundance in the Ria Formosa, South Portugal: recent scenario and future prospects"

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2007 - MSc's Thesis: “Feeding requirements of cultured juvenile cuttlefish, *Sepia officinalis* (Linnaeus, 1758)”

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2003 - Degree's Thesis: "Efeito da densidade de cultivo no crescimento e na reprodução de *Sepia officinalis* (Linnaeus, 1758)"

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### List of publications (peer reviewed)

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**Correia, M.**, Campoy, A., Madeira, C. & Andrade, J. P. (2018). Is filament clipping an effective tool for tissue sampling in *Hippocampus guttulatus*? *Environmental Biology of Fishes*. In press.

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**Correia, M.**, Koldewey, H., Andrade, J. P., Esteves, E. & Palma, J. (2018). Identifying key environmental variables of two seahorse species (*Hippocampus guttulatus* and *Hippocampus hippocampus*) in the Ria Formosa Lagoon, South Portugal. *Environmental Biology of Fishes*. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1007/s10641-018-0782-7>

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Woodall, L. C., Otero-Ferrer, F., **Correia, M.**, Curtis, J. M. R., Garrick-Maidment, N., Shaw, P. W. & Koldewey, H. J. (2018). A synthesis of European seahorse taxonomy, population structure, and habitat use as a basis for assessment, monitoring and conservation. *Marine Biology* **165**, 1-19. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1007/s00227-017-3274-y>

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**Correia, M.**, Koldewey, H., Andrade, J. P. & Palma, J. (2016). A novel underwater visual census: seahorse population survey as a case study. *Regional Studies in Marine Science* **8** (3), 454-458. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.rsma.2015.10.003>

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**Correia, M.**, Palma, J. & Andrade J.P. (2016) Growth performance of the early life stages of broad-nosed pipefish, *Syngnathus typhle* (L.) fed different live or frozen diets. *Aquaculture Research* **47** (5), 1652-1660. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1111/are.12635>

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**Correia, M.**, Caldwell, I., Koldewey, H., Andrade, J. P. & Palma, J. (2015). Seahorse (Hippocampinae) population fluctuations in the Ria Formosa Lagoon, south Portugal. *Journal of Fish Biology* **87**, 679-690. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1111/jfb.12748>

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**Correia, M.**, Koldewey, H., Andrade, J. P. & Palma, J. (2015). Effects of artificial holdfast units on seahorse density in the Ria Formosa lagoon, Portugal. *Journal of Experimental Marine Biology and Ecology* **471**, 1-7.

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<http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.jembe.2015.05.012>

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**Correia, M.**, Palma, J., Koldewey, H. & Andrade, J. P. (2014). The use of a non-invasive tool for capture-recapture studies on a seahorse *Hippocampus guttulatus* population. *Journal of Fish Biology* **84**, 872-884. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1111/Jfb.12304>

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**Correia, M.**, Palma, J., Koldewey, H. & Andrade, J. P. (2013). Can artificial holdfast units work as a habitat restoration tool for long-snouted seahorse (*Hippocampus guttulatus* Cuvier)? *Journal of Experimental Marine Biology and Ecology* **448**, 258-264. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.jembe.2013.08.001>

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Caldwell, I. R., **Correia, M.**, Palma, J. & Vincent, A. C. J. (2011). Advances in tagging syngnathids, with the effect of dummy tags on behaviour of *Hippocampus guttulatus*. *Journal of Fish Biology* **78**, 1769-1785. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1111/j.1095-8649.2011.02983.x>

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Sykes, A. V., Domingues, P. M., Gonçalves, R., **Correia, M.** & Andrade, J. P. (2011). On the aquaculture potential of cephalopod species: the European cuttlefish as a showcase. *Journal of Shellfish Research* **30** (3), 1021-1021. <http://dx.doi.org/10.2983/035.030.0342>

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Palma, J., Bureau, D. P., **Correia, M.** & Andrade, J. P. (2009). Effects of temperature, density and early weaning on the survival and growth of Atlantic ditch shrimp *Palaemonetes varians* larvae. *Aquaculture Research* **40** (13), 1468-1473. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1111/j.1365-2109.2009.02245.x>

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Palma, J., Stockdale, J., **Correia, M.** & Andrade, J. P. (2008). Growth and survival of adult long snout seahorse (*Hippocampus guttulatus*) using frozen diets. *Aquaculture* **278**, 55-59. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.aquaculture.2008.03.019>

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**Correia, M.**, Palma, J. & Andrade, J. P. (2008) Effects of live prey availability on growth and survival in early stages of cuttlefish *Sepia officinalis* (Linnaeus, 1758) life cycle. *Aquaculture Research* **39**, 33-40. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1111/j.1365-2109.2007.01858.x>

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**Correia, M.**, Palma, J., Kirakowski, T. & Andrade, J. P. (2008) Effects of prey nutritional quality on the growth and survival of juvenile cuttlefish, *Sepia officinalis* (Linnaeus, 1758). *Aquaculture Research* **39**, 869-876. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1111/j.1365-2109.2008.01940.x>

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Palma, J., **Correia, M.** & Andrade, J. P. (2008). Usefulness of flat bottom tanks on the settlement of spider crab (*Maja squinado*, Herbst) larvae. *Aquaculture Research* **39**, 1005-1008. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1111/j.1365-2109.2008.01943.x>

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Sykes, A. V., Domingues, P. M., **Correia, M.** & Andrade, J. P. (2006) Cuttlefish Culture – state of the art and future trends. *Vie et Milieu – Life & Environment* **56** (2), 129-137.

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**Correia, M.**, Domingues, P., Sykes, A. & Andrade, J. P. (2005) Effects of culture density on growth and broodstock management of the cuttlefish, *Sepia officinalis* (Linnaeus, 1758). *Aquaculture* **245** (1-4), 163- 173. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.aquaculture.2004.12.017>

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## List of publications (other)

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Andrade, J. P., Madeira, C., **Correia, M.** & Palma, J. (2016) Assigning *Hippocampus guttulatus* recruits to the populations of origin using microsatellites: results from a field study in the Ria Formosa (south Portugal).

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**Correia, M.** & Palma J. (2015) Cavalo-marinho europeu: já dá para criar em aquário. *Cães & Cia*, **431**: 30-33.

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**Correia, M.** (2015) Cultivo de cavalos-marinhos em aquário. *PetCenter, Groom Brasil*, **173**: 40-41.

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## Oral presentations in conferences

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**Correia, M.**, Andrade, J. P. & Palma, J. “Feeding strategy of two Syngnathid species, *Hippocampus guttulatus* and *Syngnathus typhle*”. VII Iberian Congress of Ichthyology (SIBIC2018), Faro, Portugal, 12-15 June 2018. (<https://www.sibic2018.org>)

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**Correia, M.**, Campoy, A., Madeira, C. & Andrade, J. P. “Is filament clipping an effective tool for tissue sampling in *Hippocampus guttulatus*?”. VII Iberian Congress of Ichthyology (SIBIC2018), Faro, Portugal, 12-15 June 2018. (<https://www.sibic2018.org>)

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**Correia, M.**, Campoy, A. & Andrade, J. P. “Is filament clipping an effective tool for tissue sampling in *Hippocampus guttulatus* Cuvier?”. Third Syngnathid Biology International Symposium (SYNGBIO 2017), Tampa, USA, 14-19 May 2017. (<http://syngbio.squarespace.com>)

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**Correia, M.**, Koldewey, H., Andrade, J. P. & Palma, J. “Spatial and temporal variation in the abundance of two sympatric seahorse species (*Hippocampus guttulatus* and *Hippocampus hippocampus*)”. Third Syngnathid Biology International Symposium (SYNGBIO 2017), Tampa, USA, 14-19 May 2017. (<http://syngbio.squarespace.com>)

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Palma, J., **Correia, M.** & Andrade, J. P. “Climate induced temperature effects on growth performance and fecundity of *Hippocampus guttulatus*”. Third Syngnathid Biology International Symposium (SYNGBIO 2017), Tampa, USA, 14-19 May 2017. (<http://syngbio.squarespace.com>)

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Palma, J., Magalhães, M., **Correia, M.** & Andrade, J. P. “The effect of anthropogenic noise as a source of acoustic stress in wild populations of *Hippocampus guttulatus* in the Ria Formosa lagoon, South Portugal”. Third Syngnathid Biology International Symposium (SYNGBIO 2017), Tampa, USA, 14-19 May 2017. (<http://syngbio.squarespace.com>)

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**Correia, M.**, Caldwell, I., Koldewey, H., Andrade, J. P. & Palma, J. “Seahorse population fluctuations in the Ria Formosa Lagoon, South Portugal”. Mares Conference on Marine Ecosystems Health and Conservation 2016 (MARES 2016), Olhão, Portugal, 1-5 February 2016. (<http://www.maresconference.eu>)

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**Correia, M.**, Andrade, J. P. & Palma, J. “Artificial Holdfast Units: Accessing their usefulness for the recovery and conservation of seahorse populations in the Ria Formosa lagoon, south Portugal”. Mares Conference on Marine Ecosystems Health and Conservation 2016 (MARES 2016), Olhão, Portugal, 1-5 February 2016. (<http://www.maresconference.eu>)

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Palma, J., **Correia, M.** & Andrade, J. P. “Artificial Holdfast Units: Accessing their usefulness for the recovery and conservation of seahorse populations in the Ria Formosa lagoon, south Portugal”. International Conference on Biodiversity, Ecology and Conservation of Marine Ecosystems 2015 (BECOME 2015), The University of Hong Kong, China, 1-4 June 2015. (<http://www.biosch.hku.hk/become>)

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Andrade, J. P., Madeira, C., **Correia, M.**, & Palma, J. “Assigning *Hippocampus guttulatus* recruits to the populations of origin using microsatellites: Results from a field study in the Ria Formosa (south Portugal)”. *International Conference on Biodiversity, Ecology and Conservation of Marine Ecosystems 2015* (BECOME 2015), The University of Hong Kong, China, 1-4 June 2015. (<http://www.biosch.hku.hk/become>)

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**Correia, M.**, Palma, J., Koldewey, H. & Andrade, J. P. The use of a non-invasive tool for capture- recapture studies on a seahorse (*Hippocampus guttulatus*) population. *Second Syngnathid Biology International Symposium* Faro, Portugal, 25-28 March 2013. (<http://syngbio.org>)

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Andrade, J. P., Madeira, C., Novac, D., Gomes, J., **Correia, M.**, Birch, S. & Palma, J. Tracking *Hippocampus guttulatus* recruits within artificial holdfast units in the Ria Formosa using microsatellites. *Second Syngnathid Biology International Symposium* Faro, Portugal, 25-28 March 2013. (<http://syngbio.org>)

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**Correia, M.**, Palma, J., Koldewey, H. & Andrade, J. P. Can artificial holdfast units work as a habitat restoration tool for long-snouted seahorse (*Hippocampus guttulatus* Cuvier)? *Second Syngnathid Biology International Symposium* Faro, Portugal, 25-28 March 2013. (<http://syngbio.org>)

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**Correia, M.**, Palma, J., Koldewey, H. & Andrade, J.P. Use of artificial holdfast units as habitat enrichment for seahorses (*Hippocampus guttulatus*) in the Ria Formosa lagoon, South Portugal. *Fifth International Public Aquarium Husbandry Series - Husbandry, Management and Conservation of Syngnathids Symposium*, Chicago, USA, 1-7 November 2011. (<http://www.sheddaquarium.org/3625.html>)

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## 11. Referee assignment

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Aquaculture Research (ISSN: 1365-2109) – (1)  
Aquatic Conservation: Marine and Freshwater Ecosystems (ISSN: 1099-0755) – (1)  
Chinese Journal of Oceanology and Limnology (ISSN: 0254-4059) – (1)  
Environmental Biology of Fishes (ISSN: 1573-5133) – (1)  
Estuarine Coastal and Shelf Science (ISSN: 0272-7714) – (1)  
Hydrobiologia (ISSN: 0018-8158) – (1)  
ICES Journal of Marine Science (ISSN: 1054-3139) - (1)  
Journal of Experimental Biology and Ecology (ISSN: 0022-0981) – (1)  
Journal of Fish Biology (ISSN: 1095-8649) – (1)  
Marine Biodiversity Records (ISSN: 1755-2672) – (1)  
Marine Ecology Progress Series (ISSN 0171-8630) – (1)  
National Geographic (Grant) – (1)

Publons profile: <https://publons.com/a/1271377/>

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## 12. Additional training

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“R for absolute beginners” - CCMAR, Universidade do Algarve, 2015  
Laboratory Animal Sciences – Aquatic Organisms Practical Approach by Aquatic Organisms Bioterium (BOGA – CIIMAR) – CCMAR, Portugal, 2015  
Ciências de Animais de Laboratório – Online course by Sociedade Portuguesa de Ciências em Animais de Laboratório – CCMAR, Portugal, 2012  
Curso Prático de Construção, Gestão e Monitorização de Charcos Para a Vida Selvagem – RIAS / ICNB, Portugal, 2011  
Guia de Observação de Aves – Course by In Loco, S. Brás de Alportel, Portugal, 2008

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### **13. Other skills**

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Certificate (under European law) to perform procedures on animals (article 31º through Decree-Law nº 113/2013 of August 7) – Universidade do Algarve (2015)  
Gas Blender CMAS (#000259) – Universidade do Algarve (2013)  
Bird Banding Credential #149 – Ministério da Agricultura do Mar, do Ambiente e do Ordenamento do Território (2013)  
Boat Skipper (#146965) – O Nauta, Olhão (2008)  
Nitrox Diver (#207271) – Hidroespaço, Faro (2006)  
Scuba Diver CMAS - P1- (POR/F00/P1/2000 000844) - Alfa Sub, Olhão (2000)  
Driver’s license Cat. B (L-1576820-2) - Algés (1996)

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