

## Emma Pooley

<b>Nationality</b>	GBR
<b>City</b>	Zürich (SUI)
<b>Birth date</b>	03.10.1982
<b>Age</b>	27
<b>Height</b>	
<b>Weight</b>	
<b>Pro since</b>	2008
<b>Cervélo since</b>	2009
<b>Previous teams</b>	2006 – 2006: Team FBUK 2007 – 2008: Team Specialized Designs for Women
<b>Career highlights</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 TT National Championships (GBR) 2009</li> <li>1 World Cup GP Plouay (FRA) 2009</li> <li>4 Giro d'Italia (ITA)</li> <li>1 Grande Boucle (FRA) 2009</li> <li>1 Stage 3 Grande Boucle (FRA) 2009</li> <li>1 Stage 1 Grande Boucle (FRA) 2009</li> <li>1 World Cup Montréal (CAN) 2009</li> <li>1 GP Costa Etrusca (ITA) 2009</li> <li>1 Tour de Bretagne (FRA) 2008</li> <li>1 World Cup Trofeo Alfredo Binda (ITA) 2008</li> <li>1 Stage 3 Thüringen-Rundfahrt (GER) 2007</li> </ul>

### Biography

A cornerstone of the Cervélo TestTeam, Pooley is capable of winning on all terrain, from time trials to mountaintop finishes. A former runner at Cambridge University, Pooley didn't start racing on the road until 2005. She quickly became one of the most reliable riders on the circuit. The versatile British rider started the 2009 season off with a bang, snagging the first victory of her seven-win season. Not only did she win the British national time trial jersey, she also won World Cup rounds in Canada (Montreal World Cup) and France (GP de Plouay), all capped by the prestigious Grande Boucle after claiming two stages. For 2010, Pooley will enjoy the sweet spot of her career and continue to rack up victories.

### Hobbies:

Drinking tea, cooking, running, swimming, sleeping...

### Field of study:

Geotechnical engineering

### Favorite charity:

[Amnesty International](#)

### Favorite training ride:

Tuesday night ASVZ ride from Zürich, or the Tuesday night chaingang from Cambridge, or the ride through Mundaring Weir near Perth

### Favorite race?

### Favorite Cervélo bike?

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R3

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**Product development goal for 2010:**

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To work with Fizik on developing a saddle to complement their range...which suits me

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**Personal cycling goal for 2010?**

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**Personal career highlight?**

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The Olympic time trial in Beijing

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**How and when did you begin riding?**

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I took up cycling to cross-train when I was injured running in 2003.

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**When did you know you wanted to be a pro?**

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**What was the proudest moment in your life?**

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**Why do you want to be part of Cervélo TestTeam?**

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Because we have excellent equipment and we get to work directly with sponsors to make it even better. Also because I like my teammates and our team ethos that combines friendliness with ambition.

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**Favorite cycling moment?**

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