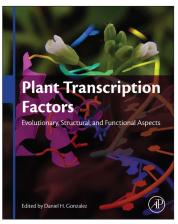
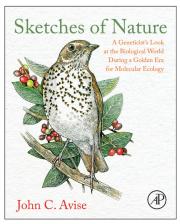
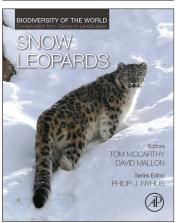
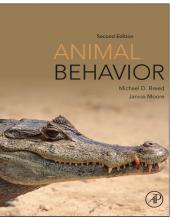


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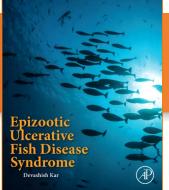
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**Epizootic Ulcerative Fish Disease Syndrome** 

**Devashish Kar** Professor, Department of Life Science and Bioinformatics and Dean, School of Life Sciences, Assam University, Silchar, India



Provides a detailed account of epizootic ulcerative syndrome to improve disease management and research in aquaculture and fisheries

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Examines different manifestations of the disease, and includes different methodologies of studies, such as histopathological, histochemical, bacteriological, mycological, virological, and enzymological
- Provides background information describing fish as a significant food source and avocation, the diversity of fishes in the globe, and the panorama of diseases fish can be exposed to
- Describes all major species affected by EUS and its pattern of spread, along with suggested strategies for control and prevention

### DESCRIPTION

*Epizootic Ulcerative Fish Disease Syndrome* covers both the background and current information on the EUS disease relevant to fisheries and aquaculture delivered in a systematic and succinct way.

The book is an essential resource for the aquaculture and fisheries researcher interested in finding solutions to the spread of the disease across the globe and students in relevant programs, including an in-depth description and analysis of the disease, as well as the structure and composition of the virus, while offering prevention and control methodologies.

Clinical veterinarians, aquaculture disease practitioners, farmers, and those who are interested in aquatic virology will find this book to be a useful guide on the topic.

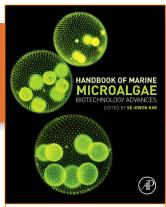
**ISBN:** 978-0-12-802504-8 **PUB DATE:** September 2015

FORMAT: Paperback
PAGES: c. 294
AUDIENCE

fish farmers, aquaculturists, and fish and fishery scientists; research scholars and students in Fishery Science and Aquaculture, Zoology, and Life Science; and administrators and policy makers

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## Handbook of Marine Microalgae Biotechnology Advances

Edited by: Se-Kwon Kim Department of Chemistry and Marine Bioprocess



Complete coverage of microalgae from biology to biotechnology

"Every chapter includes a wealth of valuable citations, and the book serves as an authoritative reference that will be of use to anyone working with microalgae."--Aquaculture Magazine, Handbook of Marine Microalgae

ISBN: 978-0-12-800776-1 PUB DATE: July 2015

FORMAT: Hardback
PAGES: c. 586
AUDIENCE

Researchers in biology, marine biology, aquatic biology, aquaculture, biotechnology, food and nutrition, environmental science, and agricultural engineering.

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Focuses on a comprehensive approach from an organism point of view
- Contains full coverage of all aspects of microalgae from biology through biotechnological and biomedical applications
- Includes biological properties of commercial algal species
- Provides microalgae screening and identification methods, culturing methods and new aspects of processing

### DESCRIPTION

Handbook of Microalgae: Biotechnology Advances offers complete coverage of marine microalgae, including biology, production techniques, biotechnological applications, economic perspectives of applications, and environmental effects of marine microalgae blooms. With contributions from world experts, Handbook of Microalgae: Biotechnology Advances focuses on microalgae from an organism perspective to offer a complete picture from evolution to biofuel.



# Biology and Evolution of the Mexican Cavefish

Edited by Alex C. Keene Masato Yoshizawa Suzanne E. McGaugh



ISBN: 978-0-12-802148-4
PUB DATE: October 2015
FORMAT: Hardback

PAGES: c. 398
AUDIENCE

Senior students to researchers in the general biology field including Evolutionary Biology, Ecology, Developmental Biology, and Neuroscience as well as Fish Biology and Physiology; aquatic biology and evolution courses, and specialized courses in cave biology.

# Biology and Evolution of the Mexican Cavefish

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Suzanne McGaugh Department of Ecology, Evolution, and Behavior, University of Minnesota, St. Paul. MN USA



The only comprehensive work to examine use of the Mexican cavefish as a powerful model system to help further our understanding of basic biological processes

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Includes a mixture of images and illustrations such as the geographical distribution of cave pools and the developmental biology of the nervous system
- Features a companion site with geographical maps
- · Fills a notable gap in the literature on a topic of broad interest to the scientific community
- Presents the recent sequencing of the cavefish genome as a groundbreaking development for researchers working with diverse biological systems

### DESCRIPTION

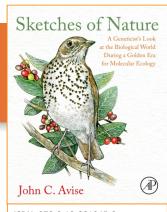
Biology and Evolution of the Mexican Cavefish features contributions by leading researchers in a comprehensive, unique work that examines a number of distinct areas of biology—evolution, development, ecology, and behavior—using the Mexican cavefish as a powerful model system to further understanding of basic biological processes such as eye degeneration, hearing, craniofacial development, sleep, and metabolic function.

These fish are currently being used to better understand a number of issues related to human health, including age-related blindness, sleep, obesity, mood-related disorders, and aging. The recent sequencing of the cavefish genome broadens the interest of this system to groups working with diverse biological systems, and has helped researchers identify genes that regulate sleep, eye degeneration, and metabolic function.

Mexican cavefish are particularly powerful for the study of biological processes because these fish evolved independently in twenty-nine caves in the Sierra de el Abra Region of Northeast Mexico. These fish have dramatic adaptations to the cave environment, and this can be used to identify genes involved in disease-related traits.

This scholarly text will be of interest to researchers and students throughout diverse areas of biology and ecology. It includes photographs of animals and behavior in laboratory and natural settings that will also increase interest and accessibility to non-experts.





ISBN: 978-0-12-801945-0
PUB DATE: September 2015
FORMAT: Hardback

PAGES: c. 268
AUDIENCE

Biologists, geneticists, evolutionary biologists, molecular biologists, developmental biologists, and researchers as well as students and academics in these areas and professional scientists in many subfields of biology, such as science-history, medicine, paleontology, ethology, anthropology, psychology, philosophy, and sociology

### **Sketches of Nature**

A Geneticist's Look at the Biological World During a Golden Era of Molecular Ecology

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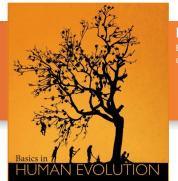
This book provides the only illustrated work encapsulating the research and discoveries of a world-leading scientist who has studied a diverse panorama of creatures ranging from corals, sponges, and other invertebrates, to a wide variety of vertebrate animals.

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Encapsulates salient genetic findings on a diverse array of creatures in nature
- Recounts the history of technological and conceptual developments in ecological genetics
- Includes approximately 80 beautiful line drawings of the animals themselves
- Provides context by preceding each abstract with an anecdote or historical backdrop
- · Concludes each abstract with an addendum that further contextualizes the research findings
- Written by a world-leading authority in molecular ecology and evolution

### DESCRIPTION

This visually appealing book recounts the history of molecular ecology and evolution as seen through the personal lens of one of its most prolific practitioners, who has studied a panorama of creatures ranging from corals, sponges, and other invertebrates to a wide variety of vertebrate animals including numerous birds, mammals, herps, and fishes. The sketches are of two types: evocative drawings of the animals themselves, and more than 230 written abstracts summarizing the author's eclectic research on ecological-genetic topics spanning the microevolutionary to macroevolutionary. With the abstracts arranged by organismal group and placed in chronological order, the chapters in this book lead readers on a fascinating historical journey into the realm of molecular genetics as applied across the past four decades to intriguing questions in ecology, evolution, animal behavior, and natural history.



**Basics in Human Evolution** 

Edited by: *Michael P Muehlenbein* Department of Anthropology University of Texas at San Antonio San Antonio, TX USA



This book offers comprehensive coverage of human biology from an evolutionary perspective, and is an ideal resource for a nonexpert audience who is looking for accessible and convenient content across this interdisciplinary field.

ISBN: 978-0-12-802652-6

**PUB DATE:** July 2015 **FORMAT:** Hardback

PAGES: c. 568
AUDIENCE

advanced students and professional scientists or academics in many subfields of biology, such as medicine, paleontology, ethology, anthropology, psychology, philosophy, and sociology, and those studying across interdisciplinary fields in biology, genetics, evolutionary biology, anthropology, and developmental biology

### **KEY FEATURES**

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- Offers comprehensive coverage of the wide ranging field of human evolution
- Written for a non-expert audience, providing accessible and convenient content that will
  appeal to numerous readers across the interdisciplinary field
- Provides expertise from leading minds in the field
- Allows the reader the ability to gain exposure to various topics in one publication

### DESCRIPTION

Basics in Human Evolution offers a broad view of evolutionary biology and medicine. The book is written for a non-expert audience, providing accessible and convenient content that will appeal to numerous readers across the interdisciplinary field.

From evolutionary theory, to the cultural evolution, this book fills gaps in the readers' knowledge from various backgrounds and introduces readers to thought leaders in human evolution research.



### BONES AND CARTILAGE

evelopmental and Evolutionary Skeletal Biol



Brian K. Hall



ISBN: 978-0-12-416678-3
PREVIOUS EDITION ISBN:

978-0-12-319060-4

PUB DATE: January 2015

FORMAT: Hardback PAGES: c. 896

AUDIENCE

Biologists, medical researchers, evolutionary biologists, paleontologists, skeletal biologists, and endocrinologists as well as graduate students and clinicians in

all of these areas

### Bones and Cartilage, 2e

**Developmental and Evolutionary Skeletal Biology Brian K. Hall** Department of Biology, Dalhousie University, Halifax NS



The only comprehensive resource covering how bones and cartilage are made and have evolved

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Offers complete coverage of every aspect of bone and cartilage, with updated references and extensive illustrations
- Integrates development and evolution of the skeleton, as well a synthesis of differentiation, growth and patterning
- Treats all levels from molecular to clinical, embryos to evolution, and covers all vertebrates as well as invertebrate cartilages
- Includes new chapters on evolutionary skeletal biology that highlight normal variation and variability, and variation outside the norm (neomorphs, atavisms)
- Updates hypotheses on the origination of cartilage using new phylogenetic, cellular and genetic data
- Covers stem cells in embryos and adults, including mesenchymal stem cells and their use in genetic engineering of cartilage, and the concept of the stem cell niche

### DESCRIPTION

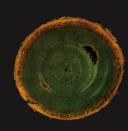
Bones and Cartilage provides the most in-depth review and synthesis assembled on the topic, across all vertebrates. It examines the function, development and evolution of bone and cartilage as tissues, organs and skeletal systems. It describes how bone and cartilage develop in embryos and are maintained in adults, how bone is repaired when we break a leg, or regenerates when a newt grows a new limb, or a lizard a new tail.

The second edition of *Bones and Cartilage* includes the most recent knowledge of molecular, cellular, developmental and evolutionary processes, which are integrated to outline a unified discipline of developmental and evolutionary skeletal biology. Additionally, coverage includes how the molecular and cellular aspects of bones and cartilage differ in different skeletal systems and across species, along with the latest studies and hypotheses of relationships between skeletal cells and the most recent information on coupling between osteocytes and osteoclasts All chapters have been revised and updated to include the latest research.



### SECONDARY XYLEM BIOLOGY

rigins, Functions, and Applications



Ryo Funada, and Adya P. Singh



ISBN: 978-0-12-802185-9
PUB DATE: February 2016
FORMAT: Paperback
PAGES: 6, 400

**AUDIENCE**Grad students, postdocs,
researchers in plant science, wood

science and forestry

Secondary audience: researchers in

biomaterials sciences.

### **Secondary Xylem Biology**

Origins, Functions, and Applications

Yoon Soo Kim Chonnam National University, South Korea Ryo Funada Tokyo University of Agriculture and Technology, Japan Adya, P, Singh Emeritus Scientist, Scion (New Zealand Forest Research Institute). New Zealand



Coverage of the whole scope and breadth of secondary xylem, building on a basic comprehension of xylem structure and development before delving into other important issues such as fungal and bacterial degradation and biofuel conversion

### **KEY FEATURES**

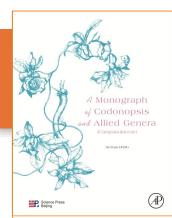
- · Offers an in-depth understanding of biology in woody plants
- Includes topics such as abiotic stresses on secondary xylem formation, fungal degradation of cell walls, and secondary xylem for bioconversion
- Progresses from basic details of wood structure, to dynamics of wood formation, to degradation

### DESCRIPTION

Secondary Xylem Biology: Origins, Functions, and Applications provides readers with many lenses from which to understand the whole scope and breadth of secondary xylem. The book builds on a basic comprehension of xylem structure and development before delving into other important issues such as fungal and bacterial degradation and biofuel conversion.

Chapters are written by recognized experts who have in-depth knowledge of their specific areas of expertise. It is a single information source containing high quality content, information, and knowledge related to the understanding of biology in woody plants and their applications.





A Monograph of Codonopsis and Allied Genera (Campanulaceae)

Deyuan Hong Institute of Botany, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China



Provides comprehensive descriptions and classifications of Codonopsis and allied genera

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Provides comprehensive descriptions and classifications of Codonopsis and allied genera
- Richly illustrated with line drawings and high-quality color photographs
- Delineates and clarifies the relationships of Codonopsis and its allied groups based on the
  analyses using data from external morphology, pollen morphology, chromosomes, and
  molecular biology

### DESCRIPTION

Codonopsis and its allied genera, are a group of plants which are important in economy and horticulture. A Monograph of Codonopsis and Allied Genera (Campanulaceae s. str.) offers its audience comprehensive knowledge of these plants including palynology, cytology, population biology, morphological description, geographical distribution with vouchers cited, excellent ink illustrations, and color photos, and keys to genera and to species.

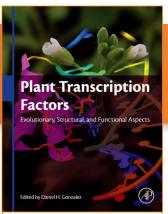
This excellent work will facilitate identification of relevant plants, use of plant resources, assessment of endangered states, the development of conservation strategies, and will promote systematic and evolutionary research of this group.

ISBN: 978-0-12-801933-7

PUB DATE: November 2015

FORMAT: Hardback
PAGES: c. 256
AUDIENCE

Graduates and researchers in plant science, including botanists, horticulturists, ecologists, and pharmacologists. This book also can be used as a reference for biodiversity managers and amateur botanists.



### **Plant Transcription Factors**

**Evolutionary, Structural and Functional Aspects**Edited by: **Daniel H Gonzalez** Molecular and Cellular Biology Section, FBCB, Universidad Nacional del Litoral, Santa Fe, Argentina



A one-stop resource that compiles plant transcription factor families and their complex roles in plant biology

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Provides an entry point for transcription factor literature
- Offers compilation of information into one single resource for rapid consultation on different plant transcription factor features
- Integrates the knowledge about different transcription factors, along with cross-referencing
- Provides information on the unique aspects surrounding plant transcription factors

### DESCRIPTION

Plant Transcription Factors: Evolutionary, Structural and Functional Aspects is the only publication that provides a comprehensive compilation of plant transcription factor families and their complex roles in plant biology.

While the majority of information about transcription factors is based on mammalian systems, this publication discusses plant transcription factors, including the important aspects and unifying themes to understanding transcription factors and the important roles of particular families in specific processes.

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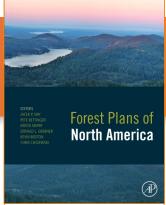
PUB DATE: September 2015

FORMAT: Hardback
PAGES: c. 422

AUDIENCE

Researchers, students and postdocs studying plant biology, cell biology, and genetics.





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PUB DATE: March 2015

FORMAT: Hardback

PAGES: c. 458

Students, practitioners, policy makers, and those interested in learning about the current state and status of forest planning efforts in North America. Additionally, forest management, environmental management, forest planning, and even introductory forestry courses could use the example cases from the work.

### **Forest Plans of North America**

Edited by: Jacek Siry Warnell School of Forestry and Natural Resources, University of Georgia, Athens, GA; Pete Bettinger Warnell School of Forestry and Natural Resources, University of Georgia, Athens, GA, USA; Krista Merry Warnell School of Forestry and Natural Resources, University of Georgia, Athens, GA; Donald L. Grebner Department of Forestry, Mississippi State University, USA; Kevin Boston Department of Forest Engineering, Resources and Management, Oregon State University, Corvellis, OR; Chris Cieszewski Warnell School of Forestry and Natural Resources. University of Georgia. Athens, GA



The only work presenting case studies of forest management plans written by the experts who have developed them

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Presents 40-50 case studies of forest plans developed for a wide variety of organizations, groups, and landowners in North America
- · Illustrates plans that have specifically been developed by landowners and land managers
- Features engaging, clearly written content that is accessible rather than highly technical, while
  demonstrating the issues and methods involved in the development of the plans
- Each chapter contains color photographs, maps, and figures

### DESCRIPTION

Forest Plans of North America presents case studies of contemporary forest management plans developed for forests owned by federal, state, county, and municipal governments, communities, families, individuals, industry, investment organizations, conservation organizations, and others in the United States, Canada, and Mexico. The book provides excellent real-life examples of contemporary forest planning processes, the various methods used, and the diversity of objectives and constraints faced by forest owners.

Chapters are written by those who have developed the plans, with each contribution following a unified format and allowing a common, clear presentation of the material, along with consistent treatment of various aspects of the plans. This work complements other books published by members of the same editorial team (Forest Management and Planning, Introduction to Forestry and Natural Resource Management), which describe the planning process and the various methods one might use to develop a plan, but in general do not, as this work does, illustrate what has specifically been developed by landowners and land managers. This is an in-depth compilation of case studies on the development of forest management plans by the different landowner groups in North America.

The book offers students, practitioners, policy makers, and the general public an opportunity to greatly improve their appreciation of forest management and, more importantly, foster an understanding of why our forests today are what they are and what forces and tools may shape their tomorrow. Forest Plans of North America provides a solid supplement to those texts that are used as learning tools for forest management courses. In addition, the work functions as a reference for the types of processes used and issues addressed in the early 21st century for managing land resources.



# Concise Illustrated Dictionary of Biocontrol Terms

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A portable, illustrated dictionary and guide for use in laboratory and field pest management protocols

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Enables understanding of the terminology used in biological control for professionals, researchers and students in a variety of scientific fields
- Features clear images and photographs to help identify insects and pathogens
- Ideal for in situ use in both the lab and field pest management protocols

### DESCRIPTION

The Concise Illustrated Dictionary of Biocontrol Terms includes basic terminology related to the biological control of pests, together with state-of-the-art scientific and practical terms, for expedient comprehension and analysis of present, forecasted or in situ pest management problems. In addition, it also provides the names of the most common pesticides and predators commercially available in different continents (Americas, Europe, Asia, Australia, Africa), as well as target pests and diseases of these agents, making it a tangible tool for prompt management actions. The dictionary is copiously illustrated with original pictures clarifying the most commonly used terms and the identity of organisms in biocontrol technology, with content that is both scientifically rigorous and clear.

The biological control of pests using living organisms, or products from their activities, is an independent branch of science based on multiple disciplines including general biology, zoology, entomology, phytopathology, microbiology and others. As a result, the field of biological control has its own specific terminology that needs to be understood and applied correctly across this variety of disciplines, including among those approaching the field from a different area of expertise and who may have difficulty understanding the terms used by experts in the field.

This compact illustrated guide will appeal to the scientific community working in integrated pest management disciplines, as well as those researching, studying, and working with interest in protecting natural resources at a global, local, and individual level, in a variety of locations including the lab, garden, field, or forest.

ISBN: 978-0-12-804403-2 PUB DATE: December 2015 FORMAT: Paperback

PAGES: c. 176 AUDIENCE

The scientific community working in integrated pest management disciplines, researchers with interest in protecting natural resources at a global, local and individual level, insect pathologists, biological control and integrated pest management specialists and practitioners in agriculture and plant/crop protection, public health and urban entomologists, undergraduate and graduate students and their instructors in the above areas.

# BARK BEETLES BIOLOGY AND ECOLOGY OF NATIVE AND INVASIVE SPECIES Edited by Fernando E. Vega and Richard W. Hofstetter

ISBN: 978-0-12-417156-5 PUB DATE: January 2015 FORMAT: Hardback

PAGES: c. 620 AUDIENCE

Scientists, faculty members, forest managers, and students in the fields of entomology, ecology, forestry, evolutionary biology, and mycology. Secondary: As a text for courses in entomology and forestry, and a reference in entomology, ecology, invasive species, landscape ecology, and climate change courses

### **Bark Beetles**

Biology and Ecology of Native and Invasive Species

Edited by: Fernando E. Vega Sustainable Perennial Crops Laboratory,
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An up-to-date, authoritative reference on all aspects of bark beetles, including their important economic role in agriculture

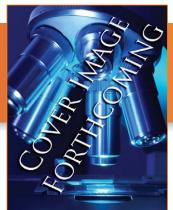
### **KEY FEATURES**

- Provides the only synthesis of the literature on bark beetles
- Features chapters exclusively devoted to some of the most economically important bark beetle genera, such as Dendroctonus, Ips, Tomicus, Hypothenemus, and Scolytus
- Includes copious color illustrations and photographs that further enhance the content

### DESCRIPTION

Bark Beetles: Biology and Ecology of Native and Invasive Species provides a thorough discussion of these economically important pests of coniferous and broadleaf trees and their importance in agriculture. It is the first book in the market solely dedicated to this important group of insects, and contains 15 chapters on natural history and ecology, morphology, taxonomy and phylogenetics, evolution and diversity, population dynamics, resistance, symbiotic associations, natural enemies, climate change, management strategies, economics, and politics, with some chapters exclusively devoted to some of the most economically important bark beetle genera, including Dendroctonus, Ips, Tomicus, Hypothenemus, and Scolytus.

This text is ideal for entomology and forestry courses, and is aimed at scientists, faculty members, forest managers, practitioners of biological control of insect pests, mycologists interested in bark beetle-fungal associations, and students in the disciplines of entomology, ecology, and forestry.



The Anatomy of Dolphins

Insights into Body Structure and Function

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Helmut A Oelschläger Institute of Anatomy III (Dr. Senckenbergische Anatomie Johann Wolfgang Goethe University, Frankfurt, Germany



This book is the most comprehensive work on the anatomy of dolphins, featuring the latest expertise on macroscopic anatomy, histology, embryology, functional morphology, and evolutionary biology covers a number of delphinid species and serving as a useful complement for expanding trends in molecular biology and genetics

ISBN: 978-0-12-407229-9

PUB DATE: July 2016
FORMAT: Hardback

### AUDIENCE

marine biologists; naturalists; veterinarians; PhD students; bioacousticians; comparative neuroscientists

### **KEY FEATURES**

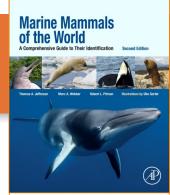
- Includes high-quality illustrations, drawings, halftone artwork, photographic documentations, microphotos, and tables detailing dolphin anatomy, function, and morphology
- Facilitates education and training of students of all basic research and applied sciences dedicated to marine biology and the medical care of marine mammals
- Brings together the current knowledge and information on this topic, including those in obscure past or non-English publications, or scattered in short chapters in volumes
- Covers a number of delphinid species and serves as a useful complement for expanding trends in molecular biology and genetics

### DESCRIPTION

The Anatomy of Dolphins: Insights into Body Structure and Function is a precise, detailed, fully illustrated, descriptive, and functionally oriented text on the anatomy and morphology of dolphins. It focuses on a number of delphinid species, with keynotes on important dolphin-like genera, such as the harbor porpoise. It also serves as a useful complement for expanding trends and emphases in molecular biology and genetics.

The authors share their life-long expertise on marine mammals in various disciplines. Written as a team rather than being prepared as a collection of separate contributions, the result is a uniform and comprehensive style, giving each of the different topics appropriate space. Many color figures, which use the authors' access to wide collections of unique dolphin and whale material, round out this exceptional offering to the field.





Marine Mammals of the World, 2e

A Comprehensive Guide to Their Identification Thomas A. Jefferson Clymene Enterprises, Lakeside, CA, USA

Marc A. Webber Golden Gate Cetacean Research, Corte Madera, CA USA Robert Pitman NOAA Fisheries, Southwest Fisheries Science Center, La



The only comprehensive resource for marine mammal identification

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Contains superb photographs of every species of marine mammal for accurate identification
- Authors possess nearly 80 years of collective experience with almost all of the species and distinctive geographic forms described in the guide
- Provides the most detailed and anatomically accurate illustrations currently available, including more than 750 new illustrations
- Special emphasis is placed on the identification of species in "problem groups," such as the beaked whales, long-beaked oceanic dolphins, and southern fur seals
- Includes a detailed list of sources for more information
- Contains updated taxonomy including four new species

### DESCRIPTION

This new edition of Marine Mammals of the World describes and illustrates newly discovered and rarely photographed species, making it the most comprehensive and up-to-date identification guide available.

This edition continues to meet the research-focused needs of marine biologists and conservation biologists by providing a tremendous influx of new photos, taking advantage of advances in digital and auto-focusing photography, and the emergence of marine mammal studies and "whalewatching" around the world. The book encompasses cetacean, pinniped, and sirenian species, as well as extinct species, and describes basic biology and taxonomic groupings of marine mammals.

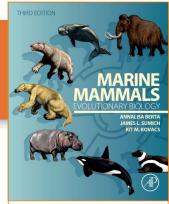
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Marine biologists and ecologists, comparative biologists and physiologists, conservation biologists, and upper UG/grad/postdoc students in these

areas.



### Marine Mammals, 3e

Evolutionary Biology

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### The must-have reference on marine mammals

"We should thank the authors for the great effort they have made to gather all the diverse information available and to present it in a highly comprehensive book, and one that can only be recommended to all readers interested in this challenging field."--M. S. Fischer, Jena, in JOURNAL OF ZOOLOGICAL SYSTEMATICS AND EVOLUTIONARY RESEARCH

"...deals with the evolution of marine mammals in detail, and the remainder of the book is a good, solid guide to their complex biology. That said, Marine mammals: evolutionary biology will certainly be popular with students, because it is clearly and concisely written, and intelligently illustrated."--in CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY PRESS

"...the book does represent a good reference source that I will certainly use myself, and it will serve those who teach these themes extremely well. Berta et al. deserve to be congratulated for this comprehensive tome - it is a thorough, precise and clearly written reference that will serve admirably those interested in the evolution of marine mammals."--Corey J.A. Bradshaw, School for Environmental Research, Charles Darwin University, in POLAR RESEARCH

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Comprehensive, up-to-date coverage of the biology of all marine mammals
- Provides a phylogenetic framework that integrates phylogeny with behavior and ecology
- Features chapter summaries, further readings, an appendix, glossary and an extensive bibliography
- Exciting new color photographs and additional distribution maps

### DESCRIPTION

Marine Mammals: Evolutionary Biology, Third Edition is a succinct, yet comprehensive text devoted to the systematics, evolution, morphology, ecology, physiology, and behavior of marine mammals.

Earlier editions of this valuable work are considered required reading for all marine biologists concerned with marine mammals, and this text continues that tradition of excellence with updated citations and an expansion of nearly every chapter that includes full color photographs and distribution maps.



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Vertebrate zoologists,

students and advanced

many related disciplines

mammalogists, marine biologists,

and those interested in the natural

history, evolution, systematics, and

behavior of marine mammals. Researchers, faculty, graduate

undergraduates interested in

mammals, marine biology, and

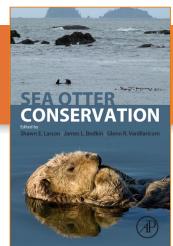
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LIFE SCIENCES MARINE







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AUDIENCE

scientists studying sea otters, researchers across marine biology, marine ecology and marine conservation.

### Sea Otter Conservation

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An overview of the status and preservation of sea otter populations

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Covers scientific, cultural, economic and political components of sea otter conservation
- Provides guidance on how to manage threats to the sea otter populations in the face of future global changes
- Highlights the effects that interactions of coastal animals have with the marine ecosystem

### DESCRIPTION

Sea otters are good indicators of ocean health. In addition, they are a keystone species, offering a stabilizing effect on ecosystem, controlling sea urchin populations that would otherwise inflict damage to kelp forest ecosystems. The kelp forest ecosystem is crucial for marine organisms and contains coastal erosion. With the concerns about the imperiled status of sea otter populations in California, Aleutian Archipelago and coastal areas of Russia and Japan, the last several years have shown growth of interest culturally and politically in the status and preservation of sea otter populations.

Sea Otter Conservation brings together the vast knowledge of well-respected leaders in the field, offering insight into the more than 100 years of conservation and research that have resulted in recovery from near extinction. This publication assesses the issues influencing prospects for continued conservation and recovery of the sea otter populations and provides insight into how to handle future global changes.



### Oral Communication Skills for Scientific Presentations

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A practical, compact guidebook covering the 'nuts and bolts' of effective public speaking

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Discusses best practices in putting together an effective talk
- Focuses on leveraging the speaker's existing skill sets to develop the delivery style that works best for that individual
- Features one-page quick reference guides for giving formal oral and informal poster presentations
- Addresses cross-cultural communication as well as particular concerns for non-native English speakers
- Includes a companion site with tools and video examples of formal and informal presentations for further self-guidance

### DESCRIPTION

Oral Communication Skills for Scientific Presentations is intended for inexperienced speakers as well as those aspiring to improve their communication skills in making either formal or informal presentations on a technical subject. A complement to having good organization for a technical presentation is to have an effective delivery style. This book provides a template for organizing a technical talk that will include a discussion of various ways to effectively develop each part of a technical presentation.

A special feature of *Oral Communication Skills for Scientific Presentations* is the focus on making presentations to a cross-cultural audience. This relates to relatively minor considerations such as how to list the names of the co-authors on your presentation as well as to more substantive considerations such as how to handle eye contact and use humor, both of which can differ across the global spectrum of cultures. The cross-cultural focus of this book relates not only to the audience, but also to the speaker. This book also includes helpful tips for non-native English speakers.

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Students and researchers across the sciences interested in improving their oral communication skills; in particular non-native English

speakers

AUDIENCE



Graduate Research, 4e

A Guide for Students in the Sciences

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This newly revised go-to resource is for graduate researchers at all stages of study and covers a range of topics including writing and preparation of research proposals, developing and refining teaching skills, and ethics and compliance areas such as research involving human subjects and animals

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PAGES: c. 288 AUDIENCE

Graduate student, graduate advisors, and mentors across the

Sciences

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Discusses a broad range of topics including time management, library and literature work, and grant support
- Includes a new chapter on career planning and development with advice on careers in academia, government, and the private sector
- Contains chapters that promote the development of a varied set of communication skills
- Greatly expanded treatment of graduate study and research in international settings

### DESCRIPTION

Graduate Research is an all-in-one resource for prospective and matriculated graduate students in the sciences. The newly revised edition includes updates to every chapter. Graduate Research covers a range of topics including writing and preparation of research proposals, developing and refining teaching skills, and ethics and compliance areas such as research involving human subjects and animals.

*Graduate Research* helps readers navigate the multidimensional and interdisciplinary world of scientific research and it is an invaluable resource for graduate researchers as well as those in advising or mentoring roles.

# ORAL EXAMS PREPARING FOR AND PASSING CANDIDACY, QUALIFYING, AND GRADUATE DEFENSES

A. LEE FOOTE

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Graduate students, postdoctoral fellows and faculty in every

discipline

AUDIENCE

### **Oral Exams**

Preparing For and Passing Candidacy, Qualifying, and Graduate Defenses

Lee A Foote Professor and Director, Devonian Botanic Garden, University of Alberta, Edmonton, AB, Canada



This book provides students with a great resource to help them prepare for oral comprehensive and viva voca exams, and is also valuable for faculty as they prepare new questions.

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Describes in detail the general format of oral comprehensive exams, viva voce examinations and defenses, what to expect, and what the requirements are that students need to fulfill to pass.
- Includes appendices with numerous practice questions sourced from a range of disciplines and countries for individual or group learning
- Useful for Early Career academics that are supervising, supporting, and examining PhD students

### DESCRIPTION

Oral Exams: Preparing For and Passing Candidacy, Qualifying, and Graduate Defenses provides guidance on how to prepare for oral comprehensive and viva voce exams.

Topics discussed include the supervisory committee, preparing the seminar, arranging content, mental preparation, question framing, and the types of questions to expect.

At its core, the book prepares students to be the best they can be by offering insights into how to interpret and appropriately respond to explicit and implied oral comps questions.

This book benefits faculty by helping them prepare new questions, also providing tips on how to mentor their students in preparation for exams.

The training included can be used to prepare for intensive qualifying or certification exams, job interviews, and presentations.



COMMUNICATE SCIENCE PAPERS, PRESENTATIONS, AND POSTERS EFFECTIVELY



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AUDIENCE

Graduate students, research fellows, post-docs, professors, scientists and researchers in STEM fields.

# Communicate Science Papers, Presentations, and Posters Effectively

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The tools readers need to become better writers, presenters, and communicators

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Covers how to accurately and clearly exhibit results, ideas, and conclusions
- Identifies phrases common in scientific literature that should never be used
- Discusses the theory of presentation, including "before and after" examples highlighting best practices
- Provides concrete, step-by-step examples on how to make camera ready graphs and tables

### DESCRIPTION

Communicate Science Papers, Presentations, and Posters Effectively is a guidebook on science writing and communication that professors, students, and professionals in the STEM fields can use in a practical way. This book advocates a clear and concise writing and presenting style, enabling users to concentrate on content.

The text is useful to both native and non-native English speakers, identifying best practices for preparing graphs and tables, and offering practical guidance for writing equations. It includes content on significant figures and error bars, and provides the reader with extensive practice material consisting of both exercises and solutions.



# Success Strategies From Women in STEM, 2e A Portable Mentor

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PAGES: c. 460 AUDIENCE

Women pursuing careers or involved in careers in science, technology, engineering and mathematics

A comprehensive and accessible manual that provides valuable strategies, tools, and sucess tips for women pursuing and involved in STEM careers

"...we need women to fully participate in this industry...morally and ethically, it's simply the right thing to do. This book will undoubtedly help."--Network Security, Success Strategies from Women in STEM, Second Edition

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Preserves the style and tone of the first edition by bringing together mentors, trainees and early-career professionals in a series of conversations about important topics related to careers in STEM fields, such as leadership, time stress, negotiation, networking, social media and more
- Identifies strategies that can improve career success along with stories that elucidate, engage, and inspire
- Companion website provides authoritative information from successful women engaged in STEM careers, including annotated links to key organizations, associations, granting agencies, teaching support materials, and more

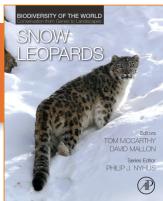
### DESCRIPTION

Success Strategies from Women in Stem: A Portable Mentor, Second Edition, is a comprehensive and accessible manual containing career advice, mentoring support, and professional development strategies for female scientists in the STEM fields.

This updated text contains new and essential chapters on leadership and negotiation, important coverage of career management, networking, social media, communication skills, and more. The work is accompanied by a companion website that contains annotated links, a list of print and electronic resources, self-directed learning objects, frequently asked questions, and more.

With an increased focus on international relevance, this comprehensive text contains shared stories and vignettes that will help women pursuing or involved in STEM careers develop the necessary professional and personal skills to overcome obstacles to advancement.





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AUDIENCE

snow leopard and large carnivore conservationists and researchers, academics and graduate students in the fields of wildlife conservation, captive breeding, habitat management and conservation biology, worldwide, and decision makers in governments within snow leopard range states which include Afghanistan, Bhutan, China, India, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Mongolia, Nepal, Pakistan, Russia, Tajikistan and Uzbekistan

### **Snow Leopards**

### Biodiversity of the World: Conservation from Genes to Landscapes

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As part of a new series, *Biodiversity of the World: Conservation from Genes to Landscapes*, which includes titles focused on specific species or taxa across disciplinary boundaries and spatial scales, this book presents the latest information on the elusive snow leopard, including its biology, behavior, and ongoing efforts for conservation

A Volume in the Biodiversity of the World: Conservation from Genes to Landscapes Series.

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Serves as the first and only comprehensive book on the biology, behavior, and conservation status of the snow leopard
- Brings together the most current scientific knowledge, documents the most pressing conservation issues, and shares success stories in alleviating the broad threats that now jeopardize the long-term survival of this species
- Brings current knowledge of the species, not only to researchers and conservationists, but also to decision makers, academics, and students
- Edited by recognized snow leopard experts, with more than 50 years of collective experience in research and conservation of the species

### DESCRIPTION

Snow Leopards: Biodiversity of the World: Conservation from Genes to Landscapes is the only comprehensive work on the biology, behavior, and conservation status of the snow leopard, a species that has long been one of the least studied, and hence poorly understood, of the large cats.

Breakthroughs in technologies and methodologies to study this elusive cat have come rapidly, including non-invasive genetics, camera traps, and GPS-satellite collaring. The book begins with chapters on the genetic standing and taxonomy of the snow leopard, followed by chapters on their behavior and ecology. Additional contributions follow on the current and emerging threats to the species, which include longstanding concerns, such as poaching and conflicts with livestock, and new and emerging threats such as mining and climate change.

A section on conservation solutions, backed by valuable case studies, starts with an overview of the important role mountain communities play in assuring the snow leopard's long-term persistence. In addition, chapters on the role of captive snow leopards for the conservation of the species, state-of-the-art techniques and technologies for studying and monitoring snow leopards, status reports from around the region, and future perspectives, such as transboundary conservation initiatives, international conventions (CITES, CMS, etc.), the role of the IUCN Cat Specialist Group and the Snow Leopard Network, and undertakings such as the Global Snow Leopard Forum facilitated by the World Bank are also included.



### ECOTOXICOLOGY ESSENTIALS

Environmental Contaminants and Their Biological Effects on Animals and Plants

DONALD W CDADLING



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Upper level undergraduate and graduate students taking a course in ecotoxicology or wildlife toxicology, from Biology, Zoology, Natural Resource, Wildlife Biology, Environmental Science, Public Health, Geology, Chemistry, or Agriculture Departments; academics and students in wildlife-related study and veterinary schools; researchers and professionals in regulatory agencies looking for a foundational reference on the subject in these areas and evolutionary, conservation, behavioral and ecological biology and ecology; wildlife management; agriculture and natural resources management including those obtaining certification from professional societies in these areas.

### **Ecotoxicology Essentials**

Environmental Contaminants and Their Biological Effects on Animals and Plants

**Donald W. Sparling** Cooperative Wildlife Research Laboratory and Department of Zoology, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, IL, USA **Greg Linder** 



As a thorough guide to the study of environmental contaminants and their effect on the planet's ecology, this book provides a comprehensive analysis of their impact on microbes, plants and animals, and entire ecosystems, also citing ways that humans can be affected through serious illnesses and even death

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Uses examples from both aquatic and terrestrial environments and species
- Includes datasets with worked examples of environmental risk assessments at the individual, population, and community levels
- Focuses on the effects of contaminants on wildlife while containing enough chemistry to allow
  a detailed understanding of the contaminant groups
- Emphasizes natural examples and 'real' species, rather than laboratory studies on only a handful of organisms
- Features case histories that include aspects of how the contamination occurred and its effects on wildlife
- Written in a friendly, approachable style with a minimum amount of technical jargon

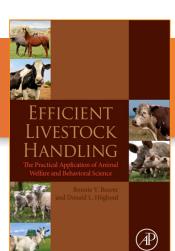
### DESCRIPTION

Ecotoxicology Essentials: Environmental Contaminants and Their Biological Effects on Animals and Plants provides a comprehensive analysis of environmental contaminants and they ways they affect all aspects of the planet's ecology, from microbes, to plants and animals and entire ecosystems. Humans are not immune from the effects of these contaminants and exposure can inflict serious illnesses and even death.

This book is the latest contribution to our understanding of how contaminants move through the environment and the effects that they can produce at all levels. In these pages, the authors cover a broad range of topics, including the major types of contaminants, how they move through the environment, and how organisms, including humans, are exposed and affected.

Much emphasis is placed on specific mechanisms of injury to organisms, populations, and communities. The text is clearly written and geared to students who have had some chemistry, ecology, and physiology. Numerous pictures and graphs help clarify topics and stimulate interest in the subject matter.





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FORMAT: Paperback

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AUDIENCE

Professors, practitioners, researchers and advanced students in animal behavior, ethology, applied animal behavior, and behavioral biology, psychology and ecology; veterinarians working in mixed or large animal practice; veterinary students with an interest in learning techniques of humane handling; secondarily for students enrolled in elective courses in large animal handling in veterinary, vet technician, and animal science programs; and livestock producers

### **Efficient Livestock Handling**

The Practical Application of Animal Welfare and Behavioral Science

Bonnie V. Beaver Professor, Department of Small Animal Clinical Sciences, Texas A&M

**Don Höglund** Dairy Stockmanship Company. Teaches Dairy Stockmanship for Virginia Polytech and State University, Department of Dairy Science, Blacksburg, VA USA



This book brings together animal behavior and animal welfare research to demonstrate how knowledge of the former can promote the latter, and includes discussions on cattle and horses, swine, sheep, and goats.

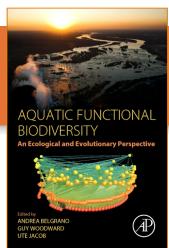
### **KEY FEATURES**

- Incorporates a clear, approachable style for researchers and practitioners alike, facilitating understanding of the techniques described
- Features supplementary video content on a companion site, providing practical demonstration of the topics discussed in the work and a useful tool for learning the concepts presented
- Includes extensive references, increasing the book's utility for serious researchers as well as those who want to implement better handling practices

### DESCRIPTION

Efficient Livestock Handling: The Practical Application of Animal Welfare and Behavioral Science brings together the science-based disciplines of animal behavior and welfare to discuss how knowledge of one area (behavior) can be used to promote the other. Emphasis is on cattle and horses, but swine, sheep, and goats are also covered.

Three major areas are included and integrated into a practical approach to working with the various species. Basic behavior as it applies to handling is discussed, with differences noted between species. The connections of behavior and handling are covered, and practical applications discussed, both with a liberal use of pictures and videos to bring the concepts to life.



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FORMAT: Paperback

PAGES: c. 290 AUDIENCE

Graduate students, academics and researchers in theoretical and applied ecology; conservation ecology and biology; evolutionary biology; marine and aquatic biology; food web structures; and ecosystem management science.

### **Aquatic Functional Biodiversity**

An Ecological and Evolutionary Perspective

Edited by: Andrea Belgrano Department of Aquatic Resources, Institute of Marine Research, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences, Lysekil, Sweden; and Swedish Institute for the Marine Environment (SIME), Gothenburg, Sweden Guy Woodward Department of Life Sciences, Imperial College London, UK Ute Jacob Institute for Hydrobiology and Fisheries Science, University of Hamburg, Germany



The only resource that addresses current challenges in aquatic biodiversity research with an ecoevolutionary perspective

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Defines common theoretical grounds in terms of terminology and conceptual issues
- · Connects theory and practice in ecology and eco-evolutionary sciences
- Provides examples for successful biodiversity conservation and ecosystem service management

### DESCRIPTION

Aquatic Functional Biodiversity: An Ecological and Evolutionary Perspective provides a general conceptual framework by some of the most prominent investigators in the field for how to link eco-evolutionary approaches with functional diversity to understand and conserve the provisioning of ecosystem services in aquatic systems. Rather than producing another methodological book, the editors and authors primarily concentrate on defining common grounds, connecting conceptual frameworks and providing examples by a more detailed discussion of a few empirical studies and projects, which illustrate key ideas and an outline of potential future directions and challenges that are expected in this interdisciplinary research field.

Recent years have seen an explosion of interest in using network approaches to disentangle the relationship between biodiversity, community structure and functioning. Novel methods for model construction are being developed constantly, and modern methods allow for the inclusion of almost any type of explanatory variable that can be correlated either with biodiversity or ecosystem functioning. As a result these models have been widely used in ecology, conservation and eco-evolutionary biology. Nevertheless, there remains a considerable gap on how well these approaches are feasible to understand the mechanisms on how biodiversity constrains the provisioning of ecosystem services.



# Animal Vigilance

Monitoring Predators and Competitors







Guy Beauchamp



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advanced undergraduates and graduate students in animal behavior, biology and behavioral ecology, and faculty and researchers

interested in vigilance

The only comprehensive review of animal vigilance, authored by a top expert in the field

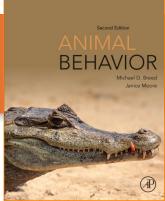
### **KEY FEATURES**

- Tackles vigilance from all angles, theoretical and empirical, while including the broadest range
  of species to underscore unifying themes
- Discusses several newer developments in the area, such as vigilance copying and effect of food density
- Highlights recent challenges to assumptions of traditional models of vigilance, such as the
  assumption that vigilance is independent among group members, which is reviewed during
  discussion of synchronization and coordination of vigilance in a group
- Written by a top expert in animal vigilance

### DESCRIPTION

Animal Vigilance builds on the author's previous publication with Academic Press (Social Predation: How Group Living Benefits Predators and Prey) by developing several other themes including the development and mechanisms underlying vigilance, as well as developing more fully the evolution and function of vigilance.

Animal vigilance has been at the forefront of research on animal behavior for many years, but no comprehensive review of this topic has existed. Students of animal behavior have focused on many aspects of animal vigilance, from models of its adaptive value to empirical research in the laboratory and in the field. The vast literature on vigilance is widely dispersed with often little contact between models and empirical work and between researchers focusing on different taxa such as birds and mammals. *Animal Vigilance* fills this gap in the available material.



### **Animal Behavior, 2e**

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CO, USA



Authors who combine almost 60 years of experience, cover the broad sweep of animal behavior from its neurological basis to the importance of behavior in conservation

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### PREVIOUS EDITION ISBN:

978-0-12-372581-3 **PUB DATE:** July 2015

FORMAT: Paperback

PAGES: c. 538

Intermediate and advanced undergraduate students in animal behavior courses

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Provides a rich resource for students and professors from a wide range of life science disciplines
- Updated and revised chapters, with at least 50% new case studies and the addition of contemporary in-text examples
- Expanded and updated coverage of animal welfare topics
- Includes behavior and homeostatic mechanisms, behavior and conservation, and behavioral aspects of disease
- Available lab manual with fully developed and tested laboratory exercises
- Companion website includes newly developed slide sets/templates (PowerPoints) coordinated with the book

### DESCRIPTION

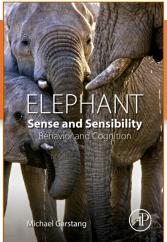
Animal Behavior, Second Edition, covers the broad sweep of animal behavior from its neurological underpinnings to the importance of behavior in conservation. The authors, Michael Breed and Janice Moore, bring almost 60 years of combined experience as university professors to this textbook, much of that teaching animal behavior.

An entire chapter is devoted to the vibrant new field of behavior and conservation, including topics such as social behavior and the relationship between parasites, pathogens, and behavior. Thoughtful coverage has also been given to foraging behavior, mating and parenting behavior, anti-predator behavior, and learning.

This text addresses the physiological foundations of behavior in a way that is both accessible and inviting, with each chapter beginning with learning objectives and ending with thought-provoking questions.

Additionally, special terms and definitions are highlighted throughout. *Animal Behavior* provides a rich resource for students (and professors) from a wide range of life science disciplines.





### **Elephant Sense and Sensibility**

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A succinct yet comprehensive overview of the mind and behavior of an elephant

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Covers a variety of aspects that relate to behavior, ranging from brain function and sensory input to communication, learning, and intelligence
- Features a comprehensive treatment of elephant behavior supported by the extensive literature, anecdotal information, and striking photographic material, providing an overview not available in any other text
- Features an interdisciplinary approach to behavior, with vital information included and integrated from several key disciplines

### DESCRIPTION

Elephant Sense and Sensibility is a comprehensive treatment of the full range of elephant behavior. Beginning with chapters on evolution and the elephant's brain, this book is an integrated presentation of the elephant's capacity for memory, morality, emotion, empathy, altruism, language, intelligence, learning and teaching. Grounded primarily in scientific research, the book also draws upon anecdotal and visual evidence showing elephants thinking, acting, feeling and behaving in ways that we, as humans, recognize. This complete treatment of elephant behavior supported by the extensive literature, along with anecdotal and photographic material, provides an overview not available in any other text.

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FORMAT: Paperback PAGES: c. 138

AUDIENCE

scientists and students in the disciplines of animal behavior, behavioral ecology, neuroscience, ethology and conservation biology, and a global audience of wildlife conservation and management professionals interested in and

working with elephants



Advances in Botanical Research, Vol 79

Artificial Photosynthesis



This comprehensive work on artificial photosynthesis features a wide range of reviews by recognized experts on all aspects of plant genetics, biochemistry, cell biology, molecular biology, physiology, and ecology

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FORMAT: Hardback

PAGES: c. 270
AUDIENCE

Postgraduates and researchers in plant sciences, including botany, plant biochemistry, plant physiology, plant pathology, virology, entomology, and molecular biology

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Publishes in-depth and up-to-date reviews on a wide range of topics in plant sciences
- Presents the latest information on artificial photosynthesis
- Features a wide range of reviews by recognized experts on all aspects of plant genetics, biochemistry, cell biology, molecular biology, physiology, and ecology

### DESCRIPTION

Artificial Photosynthesis, the latest edition in the Advances in Botanical Research series, which publishes in-depth and up-to-date reviews on a wide range of topics in the plant sciences features several reviews by recognized experts on all aspects of plant genetics, biochemistry, cell biology, molecular biology, physiology, and ecology.



### Advances in Insect Physiology, Vol 50

Pine Bark Beetles

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This essential reference source for invertebrate physiologists, neurobiologists, entomologists, zoologists, and insect chemists provides an interdisciplinary review of the latest available data and research relating to insect physiology, with a comprehensive review of pine bark beetles highlighting this latest release.

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FORMAT: Hardback

PAGES: c. 300
AUDIENCE

Entomologists, zoologists, insect biochemists, insect physiologists

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Contains important, comprehensive, and in-depth reviews on insect physiology
- Provides an essential reference source for invertebrate physiologists and neurobiologists, entomologists, zoologists, and insect biochemists
- First published in 1963, this serial is ranked second in the highly competitive ISI category of entomology

### DESCRIPTION

*Pine Bark Beetles*, the latest release in the *Advances in Insect Physiology* series provides readers with the latest interdisciplinary reviews on the topic. It is an essential reference source for invertebrate physiologists, neurobiologists, entomologists, zoologists, and insect chemists.



Advances in Botanical Research, Vol 78
Genomes and Evolution of Charophytes, Bryophytes and
Ferns

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The 78th volume of this series features in-depth and up-to-date reviews by recognized experts on a range of topics related to the genomes and evolution of charophytes, bryophytes, lycophytes, and ferns, discussing how the sequencing of genomes of various species in both the animal and plant kingdoms has greatly informed our understanding of evolution.

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Postgraduates and researchers in plant sciences, including botany, plant biochemistry, plant physiology, plant pathology, virology, entomology, and molecular biology

### KEY FEATURES

- Features reviews by recognized experts on all aspects of plant genetics, biochemistry, cell biology, molecular biology, physiology, and ecology
- · Focuses on the genomes and evolution of charophytes, bryophytes, lycophytes, and ferns
- Offers a first time compilation on non-flowering plant genomes
- Helps unravel how land plants evolved

### DESCRIPTION

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### BOTANICAL RESEARCH

NITRIC OXIDE AND SIGNALING IN PLANTS



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Nitric Oxide and Signaling in Plants

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The 77th volume of this book features a wide range of reviews by recognized experts on nitric oxide and signaling in plants

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PLANT MICROBE INTERACTIONS



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Plant Microbe Interactions

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Janine Sherrier Delaware Biotechnology Institute, University of Delaware,



The book highlights the importance of beneficial microbes for improving agricultural practices.

### **KEY FEATURES**

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- Contains commentary by recognized experts on all aspects of plant genetics, biochemistry, cell biology, molecular biology, physiology, and ecology
- This volume features reviews of the fast moving field of plant microbe interactions

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### **Advances in Botanical Research, Vol 76**

**Plant Cyclotides** 

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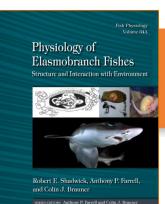
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Physiology of Elasmobranch Fishes: Structure and Interaction with Environment

Fish Physiology

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A detailed synthesis of the physiology of elasmobranchs, comparing them to other fish groups and highlighting areas of future research interest and prospective problems

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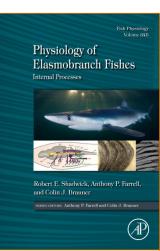
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# Physiology of Elasmobranch Fishes: Internal Processes

Fish Physiology

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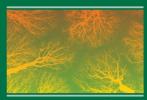
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AUDIENCE

Researchers in grapevine, fruit trees and forest trees extension services

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Land Plants - Trees

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Anne-Françoise Adam-Blondon Unit of Research in Genomic-Info, INRA,



Features a wide range of reviews updating knowledge related to plant biology for the main traits of forest and fruit trees, and the tools available for their study

#### **KEY FEATURES**

- Provides an update of the knowledge related to plant biology for the main traits for forest and fruit trees
- Provides an update about the tools available for the study of this category of plants
- Gives a general view of research results obtained in two separate research communities, fruit trees and forest trees

#### DESCRIPTION

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students and researchers in the fields of physiology, behavior, and genomics, evolutionary biologists interested in how sociality evolves, and geneticists studying complex traits.

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Genomics, Physiology and Behaviour of Social Insects
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This text provides comprehensive information on the social insect groups described, including new and unique reviews on emerging model social organisms.

#### **KEY FEATURES**

- Provides the latest research on the genomics, behavior and physiology of social insects
- Presents diverse and authoritative syntheses on the relationship between genomics, physiology, and the fascinating behavior of social insects
- Takes an in-depth look of the current state of social insect research and its future path

#### DESCRIPTION

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### **Advances in Botanical Research, Vol 73**

Plant Nematode Interactions

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- · Publishes in-depth and up-to-date reviews on a wide range of topics in plant sciences
- This volume features reviews of the fast moving field of compatible interaction between plants and sedentary endo-parasitic nematodes
- A strong focus on molecular and physiological aspects of nematode feeding site development and includes specific chapters on nematode effectors as well as plant responses

#### DESCRIPTION

Advances in Botanical Research publishes in-depth and up-to-date reviews on a wide range of topics in plant sciences. Currently in its 73rd volume, the series features several reviews by recognized experts on all aspects of plant genetics, biochemistry, cell biology, molecular biology, physiology and ecology. This thematic volume features reviews on molecular and developmental aspects of the compatible plant-nematode interaction. The contributors all actively work in the field of molecular genetics and genomics of plant parasitic nematodes and nematode feeding sites. Reviews focus on molecular and physiological aspects of nematode feeding site development and includes specific chapters on nematode effectors as well as plant responses.

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Edited by: David Craik The University of Queensland, QLD, Australia



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