Special Issue

Updates on Primate Anatomy

Message from the Guest Editor

Primates living in zoos and research facilities sometimes need medical care after being injured. In the case of medical imaging and surgery, for instance, expertise in specific primate anatomy is essential. As comprehensive publications on primate anatomy are sparse, responsible veterinarians constrainedly rely on studies that examine companion animals. However, this reliance hampers the development of primate-focused medicine that safeguards the welfare of the captive animals.

We are, therefore, pleased to invite contributions to this Special Issue, which aims to share recent advances and updates on primate anatomy research. Contributions that focus on any primate species will be considered, although priority will be given to extant species that are housed in zoos or research facilities and which could, therefore, be subjected to medical attention. Both original research articles and case reports are welcome. Contributions should describe the anatomical systems of a primate species for the first time, revisit primate anatomy by using state-of-the-art techniques and nomenclature, or present novel insights into biomechanics.

We look forward to receiving your contributions.

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