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Behavioral and Reproductive Strategies of Birds under Natural Selection and Global Changes

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Birds are among the most widely studied organisms on earth. Their colorful plumage, diversified behavior and sophisticated nest structures have fascinated and inspired not only natural scientists but also the general public. Today's global environment is facing increasing challenges due to human activities and climate change, with birds representing a sensitive indicator group for determining the effects of these global changes. Accordingly, this Special Issue aims to reveal the behavioral and breeding strategies of birds in response to natural selection and global changes, which will help enrich the theory of life-history evolution. Manuscripts within the scope of this Special Issue, either original research or review articles, are welcome to be submitted.

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