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Sensors-Assisted Observation of Wildlife

Message from the Guest Editors

As threats to species and ecosystems accelerate, the development and implementation of technology for the monitoring, protection, and conservation of biodiversity has become increasingly important. Conventional methods to observe and quantitatively monitor wildlife can be limited in scope and logistically challenging; only in recent years have developments in remote, sensorassisted wildlife monitoring enabled us to start mitigating these limitations. These cutting-edge approaches, such as advanced biologgers, accelerometers, satellite tags, and remote cameras, are revolutionizing the field of biology and greatly advancing global conservation efforts. For this Special Issue, we invite articles on the application of sensor technology in wild animal studies, including individual detection, population surveys, and behavioural and physiological studies, as well as the development of novel sensorbased conservation solutions. Additionally, we welcome submissions that investigate the limitations and obstacles to the widespread adoption of these tools.

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