

Special Issue

Ecology and Genetics of Wild Cats

Message from the Guest Editor

Asia has a high diversity of wild cat species, encompassing small, meso-, and large felids across a wide range of ecosystems. Many of these species are increasingly threatened by climate change, habitat loss and fragmentation, prey depletion, illegal wildlife trade, and escalating human–wildlife conflict. Despite their ecological importance and concerns regarding conservation, substantial gaps remain in our understanding of the ecology, distribution, population status, evolutionary history, and genetic structure of many Asian wild cat species, particularly at regional and transboundary scales.

This Special Issue aims to provide a focused platform for advancing and synthesizing research on the ecology and genetics of wild cats in Asia. We welcome the submission of original research articles, reviews, and short communications that address species ecology, population status and trends, genetic diversity, population structure, and evolutionary processes, as well as their implications for conservation across Asian landscapes.

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