

Special Issue

Phylogenetics of Aquatic Mollusks

Message from the Guest Editors

Mollusks represent one of the most diverse and ecologically important groups of animals, with most of them living in aquatic environments. Their evolutionary history, complex morphological adaptations, and ecological roles make them ideal candidates for in-depth phylogenetic analysis. This Special Issue invites contributions that utilize molecular techniques—including DNA barcoding, mitochondrial genomes, and nuclear gene sequences—to unravel the evolutionary relationships and diversification of aquatic mollusks, shedding light on their biodiversity and systematics. Whether through new methodologies for molecular data acquisition or the application of these tools to test specific phylogenetic hypotheses, manuscripts should provide clear scientific questions or hypotheses. The goal is to generate research that moves beyond the accumulation of genetic data, offering meaningful insights into mollusk phylogeny, taxonomy, and the evolutionary history of phenotypic characteristics.

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