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Fluctuating Asymmetry in Evolutionary Biology

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Message from the Guest Editors

Dr. Danijela P. Miljković Dear Colleagues,

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Deadline for manuscript submissions: closed (31 December 2023) The evolution of populations, in variable environmental conditions is the result of adaptations under the influence of complex environmental stress (combination of abiotic and biotic factors), which directly affects the genetic structure of individuals and biodiversity as a whole. Evolutionary patterns of variation reflect the integration of multilevel variation caused by environmental and genetic stress. The state of population adaptation is estimated by the existence of a developmental noise that is quantified by fluctuating asymmetry. Fluctuating asymmetry represents intra-individual morphological variability and a phenotypic outcome of instability in the development of a particular genotype in the particular environment, resulting from random deviations in the development of one or morphological traits from their more expected developmental pathways...



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