

EVOLUTION MEGALAB NEWSLETTER: ISSUE 6 NOVEMBER 2008

Thank you to everyone who submitted news for this issue. If you have any news that you would like to be included in a future issue, please email it to Jenny at j.p.worthington@open.ac.uk by the 20th of the month.

PDF TRANSLATIONS

Thank you to all who have sent the translations through of the snail identification guide and recording sheet.

I hoping these will be up on the website in the early New Year.

ADVANCED GUIDE

The advanced identification guide is now ready for translation. It can be accessed here:

www.open.ac.uk/emlsupport/p3.shtml

This guide can be adapted to suit specific needs if required.

FUNDER ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

On the new version of the Evolution MegaLab website there will be a funders section. If you have any funders who you would like to acknowledge can you please let me know. If you would like to include a logo on this page then please send this as well.

WEBSITE DEVELOPMENT

The development work will start on the website on the week commencing 8th December.

EVOLUTION MEGALAB ACTIVITIES: THE NETHERLANDS

The collation of historic data from the Netherlands by Ben Nelemans is almost

complete. The following data sets have been compiled:

- 40 large samples from the Zoological Museum, Amsterdam (3,144 individuals)
- 13 consecutive years of data from an undergraduate population genetics course at the University of Groningen (4,411 individuals) and data from a similar course at Leiden (351 individuals).
- All data deriving from the work by Wolda in the 1960s and 70s
- Samples from the collection at the National Museum of Natural History in Leiden.

If you have historic data that needs submitting or you have any queries about it please contact Mike Dodd (m.e.dodd@open.ac.uk).



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