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## List of Publications by Year in descending order

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|----|---|------|-----------|
| 1  | The Evolution of Modern Eukaryotic Phytoplankton. <i>Science</i> , 2004, 305, 354-360.  | 20.9 | 1,320     |
| 2  | Estimating the timing of early eukaryotic diversification with multigene molecular clocks. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2011, 108, 13624-13629.                       | 7.6  | 778       |
| 3  | STROMATOLITES IN PRECAMBRIAN CARBONATES: Evolutionary Mileposts or Environmental Dipsticks?. <i>Annual Review of Earth and Planetary Sciences</i> , 1999, 27, 313-358.  | 11.0 | 742       |
| 4  | Paleophysiology and end-Permian mass extinction. <i>Earth and Planetary Science Letters</i> , 2007, 256, 295-313.   | 4.4  | 588       |
| 5  | Biomarker evidence for green and purple sulphur bacteria in a stratified Palaeoproterozoic sea. <i>Nature</i> , 2005, 437, 866-870.   | 36.2 | 522       |
| 6  | Statistical analysis of iron geochemical data suggests limited late Proterozoic oxygenation. <i>Nature</i> , 2015, 523, 451-454.  | 36.2 | 518       |
| 7  | The Multiple Origins of Complex Multicellularity. <i>Annual Review of Earth and Planetary Sciences</i> , 2011, 39, 217-239.   | 11.0 | 449       |
| 8  | Morphological and ecological complexity in early eukaryotic ecosystems. <i>Nature</i> , 2001, 412, 66-69.   | 36.2 | 408       |
| 9  | Devonian rise in atmospheric oxygen correlated to the radiations of terrestrial plants and large predatory fish. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2010, 107, 17911-17915. | 7.6  | 353       |
| 10 | Paleobiological Perspectives on Early Eukaryotic Evolution. <i>Cold Spring Harbor Perspectives in Biology</i> , 2014, 6, a016121-a016121.   | 5.4  | 311       |
| 11 | The Ediacaran Period: a new addition to the geologic time scale. <i>Lethaia</i> , 2006, 39, 13-30.  | 1.4  | 302       |
| 12 | Calcified metazoans in thrombolite-stromatolite reefs of the terminal Proterozoic Nama Group, Namibia. <i>Paleobiology</i> , 2000, 26, 334-359.   | 2.7  | 296       |
| 13 | Testate amoebae in the Neoproterozoic Era: evidence from vase-shaped microfossils in the Chuar Group, Grand Canyon. <i>Paleobiology</i> , 2000, 26, 360-385.  | 2.7  | 280       |
| 14 | Secular Change in Chert Distribution: A Reflection of Evolving Biological Participation in the Silica Cycle. <i>Palaios</i> , 1989, 4, 519.   | 1.4  | 262       |
| 15 | Early photosynthetic eukaryotes inhabited low-salinity habitats. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2017, 114, E7737-E7745.   | 7.6  | 255       |
| 16 | GEOLOGY: A New Period for the Geologic Time Scale. <i>Science</i> , 2004, 305, 621-622.   | 20.9 | 252       |
| 17 | Controls on development and diversity of Early Archean stromatolites. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2009, 106, 9548-9555.  | 7.6  | 241       |
| 18 | The Meaning of Stromatolites. <i>Annual Review of Earth and Planetary Sciences</i> , 2013, 41, 21-44.   | 11.0 | 232       |

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| 19 | TEM evidence for eukaryotic diversity in mid-Proterozoic oceans. <i>Geobiology</i> , 2004, 2, 121-132.   | 2.6  | 222       |
| 20 | Strontium isotopic variations of Neoproterozoic seawater: Implications for crustal evolution. <i>Geochimica Et Cosmochimica Acta</i> , 1991, 55, 2883-2894.  | 3.9  | 208       |
| 21 | Anatomical and ecological constraints on Phanerozoic animal diversity in the marine realm. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2002, 99, 6854-6859. | 7.6  | 204       |
| 22 | The timetable of evolution. <i>Science Advances</i> , 2017, 3, e1603076.   | 10.9 | 203       |
| 23 | Evolutionary Trajectories and Biogeochemical Impacts of Marine Eukaryotic Phytoplankton. <i>Annual Review of Ecology, Evolution, and Systematics</i> , 2004, 35, 523-556.                                | 8.6  | 201       |
| 24 | MACROSCOPIC CARBONACEOUS COMPRESSIONS IN A TERMINAL PROTEROZOIC SHALE: A SYSTEMATIC REASSESSMENT OF THE MIAOHE BIOTA, SOUTH CHINA. <i>Journal of Paleontology</i> , 2002, 76, 347-376.                   | 1.0  | 198       |
| 25 | Macroscopic carbonaceous compressions in a terminal Proterozoic shale: A systematic reassessment of the Miaohu biota, south China. <i>Journal of Paleontology</i> , 2002, 76, 347-376.                   | 1.0  | 184       |
| 26 | Evolution caused by extreme events. <i>Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society B: Biological Sciences</i> , 2017, 372, 20160146.   | 4.2  | 181       |
| 27 | Phosphatized multicellular algae in the Neoproterozoic Doushantuo Formation, China, and the early evolution of florideophyte red algae. <i>American Journal of Botany</i> , 2004, 91, 214-227.           | 1.9  | 162       |
| 28 | VASE-SHAPED MICROFOSSILS FROM THE NEOPROTEROZOIC CHUAR GROUP, GRAND CANYON: A CLASSIFICATION GUIDED BY MODERN TESTATE AMOEBAE. <i>Journal of Paleontology</i> , 2003, 77, 409-429.                       | 1.0  | 160       |
| 29 | The geological consequences of evolution. <i>Geobiology</i> , 2003, 1, 3-14.   | 2.6  | 157       |
| 30 | The Geological Succession of Primary Producers in the Oceans. , 2007, , 133-163.   |      | 154       |
| 31 | Vase-shaped microfossils from the Neoproterozoic Chuar Group, Grand Canyon: A classification guided by modern testate amoebae. <i>Journal of Paleontology</i> , 2003, 77, 409-429.                       | 1.0  | 152       |
| 32 | Evolution of developmental potential and the multiple independent origins of leaves in Paleozoic vascular plants. <i>Paleobiology</i> , 2002, 28, 70-100.  | 2.7  | 147       |
| 33 | Large spinose microfossils in Ediacaran rocks as resting stages of early animals. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2009, 106, 6519-6524.         | 7.6  | 146       |
| 34 | Divergence time estimates and the evolution of major lineages in the florideophyte red algae. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , 2016, 6, 21361.  | 3.4  | 143       |
| 35 | Decimetre-scale multicellular eukaryotes from the 1.56-billion-year-old Gaoyuzhuang Formation in North China. <i>Nature Communications</i> , 2016, 7, 11500.   | 13.2 | 140       |
| 36 | Cyanobacteria and biogeochemical cycles through Earth history. <i>Trends in Microbiology</i> , 2022, 30, 143-157.  | 7.7  | 131       |

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| 37 | Biom mineralization: Integrating mechanism and evolutionary history. <i>Science Advances</i> , 2022, 8, eabl9653.  | 10.9 | 118       |
| 38 | Micropaleontology of the lower Mesoproterozoic Roper Group, Australia, and implications for early eukaryotic evolution. <i>Journal of Paleontology</i> , 2017, 91, 199-229.                            | 1.0  | 117       |
| 39 | The Ecological Physiology of Earth's Second Oxygen Revolution. <i>Annual Review of Ecology, Evolution, and Systematics</i> , 2015, 46, 215-235.  | 8.6  | 114       |
| 40 | Life: the first two billion years. <i>Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society B: Biological Sciences</i> , 2016, 371, 20150493.  | 4.2  | 108       |
| 41 | Clay mineralogy, organic carbon burial, and redox evolution in Proterozoic oceans. <i>Geochimica Et Cosmochimica Acta</i> , 2010, 74, 1579-1592.   | 3.9  | 98        |
| 42 | Character diversification and patterns of evolution in early vascular plants. <i>Paleobiology</i> , 1984, 10, 34-47.   | 2.7  | 97        |
| 43 | Neoproterozoic microfossils from the northeastern margin of the East European Platform. <i>Journal of Paleontology</i> , 2009, 83, 161-196.  | 1.0  | 94        |
| 44 | Neoproterozoic origin and multiple transitions to macroscopic growth in green seaweeds. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2020, 117, 2551-2559. | 7.6  | 92        |
| 45 | Micropaleontology across the Precambrian–Cambrian boundary in Spitsbergen. <i>Journal of Paleontology</i> , 1987, 61, 898-926.   | 1.0  | 79        |
| 46 | Biom mineralization by particle attachment in early animals. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2019, 116, 17659-17665.                          | 7.6  | 79        |
| 47 | Si isotope variability in Proterozoic cherts. <i>Geochimica Et Cosmochimica Acta</i> , 2012, 91, 187-201.  | 3.9  | 78        |
| 48 | Plastid phylogenomics with broad taxon sampling further elucidates the distinct evolutionary origins and timing of secondary green plastids. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , 2018, 8, 1523.                | 3.4  | 75        |
| 49 | A coupled model of episodic warming, oxidation and geochemical transitions on early Mars. <i>Nature Geoscience</i> , 2021, 14, 127-132.  | 11.9 | 74        |
| 50 | Ediacaran reorganization of the marine phosphorus cycle. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2020, 117, 11961-11967.                              | 7.6  | 67        |
| 51 | Oxygen and animals in Earth history. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2014, 111, 3907-3908.  | 7.6  | 66        |
| 52 | Needs and opportunities in mineral evolution research. <i>American Mineralogist</i> , 2011, 96, 953-963.   | 2.4  | 64        |
| 53 | The Global Iron Cycle. , 2012, , 65-92.  |      | 62        |
| 54 | Iron minerals within specific microfossil morphospecies of the 1.88 Ga Gunflint Formation. <i>Nature Communications</i> , 2017, 8, 14890.  | 13.2 | 61        |

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| 55 | A bottom-up perspective on ecosystem change in Mesozoic oceans. <i>Proceedings of the Royal Society B: Biological Sciences</i> , 2016, 283, 20161755.  | 2.8  | 60        |
| 56 | A persistently low level of atmospheric oxygen in Earth's middle age. <i>Nature Communications</i> , 2021, 12, 351.  | 13.2 | 59        |
| 57 | A physiologically explicit morphospace for tracheid-based water transport in modern and extinct seed plants. <i>Paleobiology</i> , 2010, 36, 335-355.  | 2.7  | 58        |
| 58 | Paleobiological Perspectives on Early Microbial Evolution. <i>Cold Spring Harbor Perspectives in Biology</i> , 2015, 7, a018093.   | 5.4  | 58        |
| 59 | Veneers, rinds, and fracture fills: Relatively late alteration of sedimentary rocks at Meridiani Planum, Mars. <i>Journal of Geophysical Research</i> , 2008, 113, .                             | 3.3  | 57        |
| 60 | High concentrations of manganese and sulfur in deposits on Murray Ridge, Endeavour Crater, Mars. <i>American Mineralogist</i> , 2016, 101, 1389-1405.  | 2.4  | 56        |
| 61 | Bacterial Biomineralization. , 2012, , 105-130.  |      | 55        |
| 62 | Nacre tablet thickness records formation temperature in modern and fossil shells. <i>Earth and Planetary Science Letters</i> , 2017, 460, 281-292.   | 4.4  | 54        |
| 63 | Carbonates before skeletons: A database approach. <i>Earth-Science Reviews</i> , 2020, 201, 103065.  | 9.4  | 53        |
| 64 | Modeling fluid flow in <i>Medullosa</i> , an anatomically unusual Carboniferous seed plant. <i>Paleobiology</i> , 2008, 34, 472-493.   | 2.7  | 52        |
| 65 | Non-Skeletal Biomineralization by Eukaryotes: Matters of Moment and Gravity. <i>Geomicrobiology Journal</i> , 2010, 27, 572-584.   | 1.9  | 52        |
| 66 | Thermal performance of the European flat oyster, <i>Ostrea edulis</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) explaining ecological findings under climate change. <i>Marine Biology</i> , 2020, 167, 1.                | 1.5  | 52        |
| 67 | Cycling phosphorus on the Archean Earth: Part II. Phosphorus limitation on primary production in Archean ecosystems. <i>Geochimica Et Cosmochimica Acta</i> , 2020, 280, 360-377.                | 3.9  | 47        |
| 68 | Scale microfossils from the mid-Neoproterozoic Fifteenmile Group, Yukon Territory. <i>Journal of Paleontology</i> , 2012, 86, 775-800.   | 1.0  | 46        |
| 69 | Active Ooid Growth Driven By Sediment Transport in a High-Energy Shoal, Little Ambergris Cay, Turks and Caicos Islands. <i>Journal of Sedimentary Research</i> , 2018, 88, 1132-1151.            | 1.7  | 46        |
| 70 | Archean photoautotrophy: Some alternatives and limits. <i>Origins of Life and Evolution of Biospheres</i> , 1979, 9, 313-327.  | 0.6  | 44        |
| 71 | Stratigraphic evolution of the Neoproterozoic Callison Lake Formation: Linking the break-up of Rodinia to the Islay carbon isotope excursion. <i>Numerische Mathematik</i> , 2015, 315, 881-944. | 1.5  | 44        |
| 72 | Cycling phosphorus on the Archean Earth: Part I. Continental weathering and riverine transport of phosphorus. <i>Geochimica Et Cosmochimica Acta</i> , 2020, 273, 70-84.                         | 3.9  | 41        |

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| 73 | Surface processes recorded by rocks and soils on Meridiani Planum, Mars: Microscopic Imager observations during Opportunity's first three extended missions. <i>Journal of Geophysical Research</i> , 2008, 113, .   | 3.3  | 40        |
| 74 | Grazers and Phytoplankton Growth in the Oceans: an Experimental and Evolutionary Perspective. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2013, 8, e77349.   | 2.5  | 40        |
| 75 | Model for the Formation of Single-Thread Rivers in Barren Landscapes and Implications for Pre-Silurian and Martian Fluvial Deposits. <i>Journal of Geophysical Research F: Earth Surface</i> , 2019, 124, 2757-2777. | 2.8  | 39        |
| 76 | Food for early animal evolution. <i>Nature</i> , 2017, 548, 528-530.   | 36.2 | 38        |
| 77 | 11. Biomineralization and Evolutionary History. , 2003, , 329-356.   |      | 37        |
| 78 | The Sedimentary Geochemistry and Paleoenvironments Project. <i>Geobiology</i> , 2021, 19, 545-556.   | 2.6  | 30        |
| 79 | The Great Oxygenation Event as a consequence of ecological dynamics modulated by planetary change. <i>Nature Communications</i> , 2021, 12, 3985.  | 13.2 | 29        |
| 80 | Aluminosilicate haloes preserve complex life approximately 800 million years ago. <i>Interface Focus</i> , 2020, 10, 20200011.   | 3.2  | 27        |
| 81 | Patterns of evolution in the Archean and Proterozoic Eons. <i>Paleobiology</i> , 1985, 11, 53-64.  | 2.7  | 26        |
| 82 | New window on Proterozoic life. <i>Nature</i> , 1989, 337, 602-603.  | 36.2 | 26        |
| 83 | The Global Carbon Cycle: Geological Processes. , 2012, , 20-35.  |      | 25        |
| 84 | The Global Nitrogen Cycle. , 2012, , 36-48.  |      | 23        |
| 85 | Biomarkers: Informative Molecules for Studies in Geobiology. , 2012, , 269-296.  |      | 23        |
| 86 | The Global Sulfur Cycle. , 2012, , 49-64.  |      | 22        |
| 87 | The Rhynie chert. <i>Current Biology</i> , 2019, 29, R1218-R1223.  | 4.0  | 21        |
| 88 | A morphospace of planktonic marine diatoms. I. Two views of disparity through time. <i>Paleobiology</i> , 2015, 41, 45-67.   | 2.7  | 20        |
| 89 | Testate Amoebae in the 407-Million-Year-Old Rhynie Chert. <i>Current Biology</i> , 2019, 29, 461-467.e2.   | 4.0  | 20        |
| 90 | Sands at Gusev Crater, Mars. <i>Journal of Geophysical Research E: Planets</i> , 2014, 119, 941-967.   | 3.6  | 19        |

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| 91  | A Geobiological View of Weathering and Erosion. , 2012, , 205-227.   |      | 18        |
| 92  | Skeletons and Ocean Chemistry: The Long View. , 2011, , .  |      | 16        |
| 93  | Microstructures in metasedimentary rocks from the Neoproterozoic Bonahaven Formation, Scotland: Microconcretions, impact spherules, or microfossils?. Precambrian Research, 2013, 233, 59-72.  | 2.9  | 14        |
| 94  | The Fossil Record of Microbial Life. , 2012, , 297-314.  |      | 13        |
| 95  | Precambrian-Cambrian Boundary: the spike is driven and the monolith crumbles. Paleobiology, 1983, 9, 199-206.  | 2.7  | 12        |
| 96  | Geobiology of the Proterozoic Eon. , 2012, , 371-402.  |      | 12        |
| 97  | The Global Oxygen Cycle. , 2012, , 93-104.   |      | 11        |
| 98  | A tale of two eras: Phytoplankton composition influenced by oceanic paleochemistry. Geobiology, 2018, 16, 498-506.   | 2.6  | 11        |
| 99  | Deep Carbon through Deep Time. , 2019, , 620-652.  |      | 11        |
| 100 | The coevolution of life and environments. Rendiconti Lincei, 2009, 20, 301-306.  | 2.2  | 10        |
| 101 | Non-lithifying microbial ecosystem dissolves peritidal lime sand. Nature Communications, 2021, 12, 3037.   | 13.2 | 10        |
| 102 | Lynn Margulis, 1938â€“2011. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America, 2012, 109, 1022-1022.   | 7.6  | 9         |
| 103 | Reply to Nakov et al.: Model choice requires biological insight when studying the ancestral habitat of photosynthetic eukaryotes. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America, 2017, 114, E10608-E10609. | 7.6  | 9         |
| 104 | Early impacts of climate change on a coastal marine microbial mat ecosystem. Science Advances, 2022, 8, .  | 10.9 | 9         |
| 105 | Stable Isotope Geobiology. , 2012, , 250-268.  |      | 7         |
| 106 | Mineralogical Coâ€“Evolution of the Geosphere and Biosphere. , 2012, , 333-350.  |      | 6         |
| 107 | Geobiology of the Archean Eon. , 2012, , 351-370.  |      | 6         |
| 108 | A morphospace of planktonic marine diatoms. II. Sampling standardization and spatial disparity partitioning. Paleobiology, 2015, 41, 68-88.  | 2.7  | 6         |

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| 109 | Plants and Animals as Geobiological Agents. , 2012, , 188-204.   |      | 5         |
| 110 | Geobiology of the Anthropocene. , 2012, , 425-436.   |      | 5         |
| 111 | Earth's Earliest Biosphere: Its Origin and Evolution, J. William Schopf, editor. Princeton University Press; Princeton, New Jersey. 1983. xxv + 543 pp. \$93.00 (cloth); \$42.50 (paper).. Paleobiology, 1984, 10, 286-292.  | 2.7  | 4         |
| 112 | What is Geobiology?. , 2012, , 1-4.  |      | 4         |
| 113 | Geochemical Origins of Life. , 2012, , 315-332.  |      | 4         |
| 114 | Molecular Biology's Contributions to Geobiology. , 2012, , 228-249.  |      | 4         |
| 115 | The Global Carbon Cycle: Biological Processes. , 2012, , 5-19.   |      | 3         |
| 116 | Eukaryotic Skeletal Formation. , 2012, , 150-187.  |      | 3         |
| 117 | Mineralâ€“Organicâ€“Microbe Interfacial Chemistry. , 2012, , 131-149.  |      | 2         |
| 118 | A Tribute to Martin D. Brasier: Palaeobiologist and Astrobiologist (April 12, 1947â€“December 16, 2014). Astrobiology, 2015, 15, 940-948.  | 3.1  | 2         |
| 119 | Appearance and disappearance rates of Phanerozoic marine animal paleocommunities. Geology, 2022, 50, 341-345.  | 4.3  | 2         |
| 120 | An expanded diversity of oomycetes in Carboniferous forests: Reinterpretation of Oochytrium lepidodendri (Renault 1894) from the Esnost chert, Massif Central, France. PLoS ONE, 2021, 16, e0247849.                         | 2.5  | 1         |
| 121 | Reply to Butterfield: The Devonian radiation of large predatory fish coincided with elevated atmospheric oxygen levels. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America, 2011, 108, E29-E29. | 7.6  | 0         |
| 122 | Geobiology of the Phanerozoic. , 2012, , 403-424.  |      | 0         |
| 123 | Presentation of the 2015 Schuchert Award of the Paleontological Society to Jonathan Payne. Journal of Paleontology, 2017, 91, 1341-1341.   | 1.0  | 0         |
| 124 | The Botanical Museum of Harvard University in Its 125th Year 1858-1983. Botanical Museum Leaflets, Harvard University, 1984, 30, 1-62.   | 0.0  | 0         |
| 125 | Sustained increases in atmospheric oxygen and marine productivity in the Neoproterozoic and Palaeozoic eras. Nature Geoscience, 0, , .   | 11.9 | 0         |
| 126 | Early Pennsylvanian Lagerstatte reveals a diverse ecosystem on a subhumid, alluvial fan. Nature Communications, 2024, 15, .   | 13.2 | 0         |



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| 127 | Chronology of Ediacaran sedimentary and biogeochemical shifts along eastern Gondwanan margins. Communications Earth & Environment, 2024, 5, . | 6.7 | 0         |