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| 1 | Untangling the oxidative cost of reproduction: An analysis in wild banded mongooses. <i>Ecology and Evolution</i> , 2022, 12, e8644. | 1.9 | 4 |
| 2 | Leaders of war: modelling the evolution of conflict among heterogeneous groups. <i>Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society B: Biological Sciences</i> , 2022, 377, 20210140. | 4.0 | 7 |
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| 8 | Mixture models as a method for comparative sociality: social networks and demographic change in resident killer whales. <i>Behavioral Ecology and Sociobiology</i> , 2021, 75, 1. | 1.4 | 9 |
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| 10 | A double pedigree reveals genetic but not cultural inheritance of cooperative personalities in wild banded mongooses. <i>Ecology Letters</i> , 2021, 24, 1966-1975. | 6.4 | 9 |
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| 15 | Individual foraging specialization in group-living species. <i>Animal Behaviour</i> , 2021, 182, 285-294. | 1.9 | 4 |
| 16 | The dynamics of social cohesion in response to simulated intergroup conflict in banded mongooses. <i>Ecology and Evolution</i> , 2021, 11, 18662-18675. | 1.9 | 0 |
| 17 | Inbreeding depresses altruism in a cooperative society. <i>Ecology Letters</i> , 2020, 23, 1460-1467. | 6.4 | 8 |
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| 113 | Patterns of helping effort in co-operatively breeding banded mongooses (<i>Mungos mungo</i>). <i>Journal of Zoology</i> , 2003, 259, 115-121. | 1.7 | 46 |
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| 115 | Female Control of the Distribution of Paternity in Cooperative Breeders. <i>American Naturalist</i> , 2002, 160, 602-611. | 2.1 | 59 |
| 116 | Fighting and Mating Between Groups in a Cooperatively Breeding Mammal, the Banded Mongoose. <i>Ethology</i> , 2002, 108, 541-555. | 1.1 | 92 |
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