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# Arthropoda



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# Message from the Editor-in-Chief

As Editor-in-Chief, I am delighted to announce the launch of *Arthropoda* a new international, peer-reviewed, open-access journal.

The journal has positioned itself as a sister journal to *Insects* and will consider high-quality submissions on non-insects.

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**Editor-in-Chief**

Dr. Sammy De Grave

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**Aims**

The focus of *Arthropoda* (ISSN 2813-3323) is the publication of high-quality research with a focus on arachnids (mites, scorpions, spiders), myriapods (millipedes, centipedes and allied taxa), pycnogonids, horseshoe crabs and crustaceans. Manuscripts addressing fossil arthropods outside these taxonomic groups are also welcomed.

The scope of this journal covers all topics related to non-insect arthropods, running the spectrum from molecules through to populations and individual species, to ecosystem studies.

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## Scope

- Morphology, biology, ethology, physiology, ecology, etc.
- Higher level systematics
- Taxonomy
- Phylogeny and evolution
- Palaeontology
- Range extensions, new records for a geographical area, species checklists
- Invasive species
- Biodiversity
- Conservation
- Pest control
- Crustacean fisheries
- Impact on and interactions with humans and society

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