

Editorial

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Second year of iDarwin

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We started iDarwin exactly one year ago, on February 12, birthday of Charles DARWIN, AS 0020. As you can see from iDarwin home page (<http://idarwin.org>), there are five core editors in iDarwin: Dr. MINAKA Nobuhiro, Dr. SAITOU Naruya, Dr. SATTA Yoko, Dr. TAMURA Koichiro, and Dr. UEDA Shintaroh. I am Editor-in-Chief of iDarwin. There were 11 associate editors in iDarwin last year: Dr. HANADA Kouske, Dr. INOUE Ituro, Dr. INOUE Jun, Dr. Timothy A. JINAM, Dr. KAWAMURA Shoji, Dr. MASUDA Ryuichi, Dr. MATSUNAMI Masatoshi, Dr. OOTA Hiroki, Dr. SUZUKI Rumiko, Dr. TAJIMA Atsushi, and Dr. TERA I Yohey.

Volume number of iDarwin is synchronized with last digit of AS (After Science) calendar, and last year, AS 0020 is volume 0. Volume 0 of iDarwin contain seven articles (including one revision) with 29 pages, as listed below.

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We moved to volume 1 of **iDarwin** this year, AS 0021. Twelve researchers joined associate editors of **iDarwin** from 2021. They are Dr. GOJOBORI Jun, Dr. HAYAKAWA Toshiyuki, Dr. IIDA Kaori, Dr. IMANISHI Tadashi, Dr. KIMURA Ryosuke, Dr. KONDO Rumi, Dr. Kirill KRYUKOV, Dr. NOZAWA Masafumi, Dr. SUMIYAMA Kenta, Dr. TAKAHASHI Aya, Dr. TESHIMA Kosuke, and YONEZAWA Takahiro. In total, there are now 23 associate editors in **iDarwin** at this moment. We hope to invite more associate editors in near future.

I am happy to announce publication of review article by Dr. Isaac BABARINDE in page 3-36 of **iDarwin** volume 1. This is first review article ever published in **iDarwin**. I also introduced KIMURA (2020) in page 37-53 of **iDarwin** volume 1. I hope **iDarwin** will publish more articles in this second year.