

Editorial

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Third year of iDarwin

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We started iDarwin on February 12, birthday of Charles DARWIN, AS 0020 (2020 A.D.). 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 23 associate editors in iDarwin last year: They are Dr. GOJOBORI Jun, Dr. HANADA Kousuke, Dr. HAYAKAWA Toshiyuki, Dr. IIDA Kaori, Dr. IMANISHI Tadashi, Dr. INOUE Ituro, Dr. INOUE Jun, Dr. Timothy A. JINAM, Dr. KAWAMURA Shoji, Dr. KIMURA Ryosuke, Dr. KONDO Rumi, Dr. Kirill KRYUKOV, Dr. MASUDA Ryuichi, Dr. MATSUNAMI Masatoshi, Dr. NOZAWA Masafumi, Dr. OOTA Hiroki, Dr. SUMIYAMA Kenta, Dr. SUZUKI Rumiko, Dr. TAJIMA Atsushi, Dr. TAKAHASHI Aya, Dr. TERAJ Yohey, Dr. TESHIMA Kosuke, and YONEZAWA Takahiro.

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We moved to volume 2 of iDarwin this year, AS 0022. Ten researchers joined associate editors of iDarwin from AS 0022. They are Dr. ISHIDA Hajime, Dr. ITO Tsuyoshi, Dr. KANZAWA-KIRIYAMA Hideaki, Dr. KITANO Takashi, Dr. KURAKU Shigehiro, Dr. NAKAMURA Yasukazu, Dr. OHASHI Jun, Dr. OSADA Naoki, Dr. SUZUKI Hitoshi, and Dr. UEDA Mahoko. In total, there are now 33 associate editors in iDarwin at this moment. We hope to invite more associate editors in near future. I am happy to announce publication of original investigation by Dr. Nilmini HETTIARACHICHI in page 3-33 of iDarwin volume 2. This is first original article ever published in iDarwin. I hope iDarwin will publish more articles in this third year.