Invitation for the Submission to General and Comparative Endocrinology-

Special Issue for Chinese Scientists

(First Announcement)

Dear Colleagues,

It is with immense pleasure we invite you to submit your papers to the GCE Special Issue (SI) for Chinese scientists, on behalf of the chief editor, Prof. Deborah M Power, and the editorial board of *General and Comparative Endocrinology*.

One purpose of this special issue is to demonstrate the recent achievements of Chinese scientists in the field of comparative endocrinology. We believe that the SI will strengthen academic communication, promote the further development of related disciplines, and improve the awareness and influence of Chinese scholars in the field of comparative endocrinology. The SI will be published in mid-2019. For the successful publication of the SI, we are now calling for papers to Chinese scholars all around the world. Please check the guideline details as follows.

Original articles and mini reviews, in various aspects of the comparative endocrinology, including but not limited to animal reproduction, growth, development, metabolism, immune, stress and environmental endocrine disruptors, will be published in the SI.

Chinese scholars working on the field of zoology, physiology, reproduction, entomology, fishery sciences, aquatic biotechnology, evolutionary biology, environmental ecology, endocrinology and developmental biology, are welcome to submit to the SI.

You will find the instructions for preparation of the manuscripts and the submission process by accessing the GCE website (<u>https://www.elsevier.com/journals/general-and-comparative-endocrinology/0016-6480/guide-for-authors</u>). The project will be designated "Special Issue for Chinese Scientists".

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Calendar for the SI

Key Dates	Date		
Call for papers	July 24th, 2017		
Submission site configured to receive Special Issue papers	June 5th, 2018		
Invited article submission deadline	October 1st, 2018		
Peer review completed	February 4th, 2019		
All revisions returned and final decisions made	April 22nd, 2019		
All accepted papers in production	May 1st, 2019		
Special Issue dispatched.	July 1st, 2019		

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Deadline for Letter of Intent: <u>30 May 2018</u>

Contact Details

For any question about the submission to this Chinese Scientists SI, please feel free to contact Prof. Yong Zhu (zhuy@ecu.edu) or Prof. Wensheng Li (lsslws@mail.sysu.edu.cn). Colleagues interested in submitting a paper to the SI should complete a letter of intent (above), and send the form back as an email attachment to Yong Zhu (zhuy@ecu.edu) or Wensheng Li (lsslws@mail.sysu.edu.cn) by <u>May 30, 2017</u>.

We are looking forward to hearing your positive responses. Thank you very much in advance for your consideration and possible contributions.

Sincerely,

Guest Editors of GCE Special Issue for Chinese Scientists