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Birds: Evolution and Innovation in a Changing World

March 27th @ 7:00pm

Harvard University, Science Center Hall C
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in the Museum of Comparative Zoology at Harvard University



In this talk Prof. Edwards will celebrate the remarkable 100 million year history of birds and describe the imprint of ancient innovations, such as feathers and flight, on many aspects of avian biology, right down to their DNA. He will then describe how diverse environmental challenges, such as climate change, disease, toxic metals and urban noise, test the resilience of birds today.



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