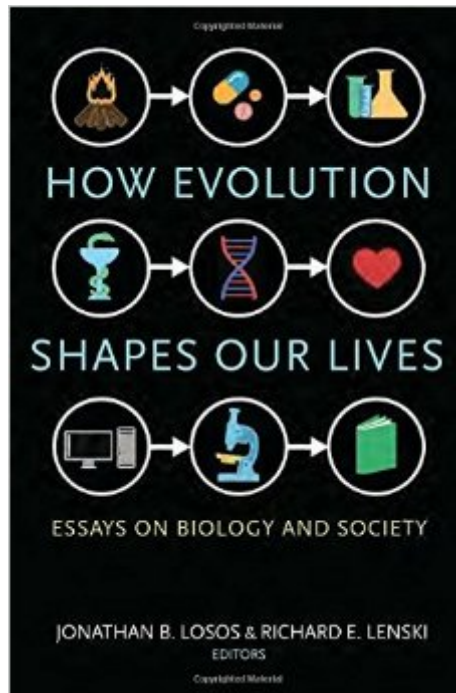


The book was found

How Evolution Shapes Our Lives: Essays On Biology And Society



Synopsis

It is easy to think of evolution as something that happened long ago, or that occurs only in "nature," or that is so slow that its ongoing impact is virtually nonexistent when viewed from the perspective of a single human lifetime. But we now know that when natural selection is strong, evolutionary change can be very rapid. In this book, some of the world's leading scientists explore the implications of this reality for human life and society. With some twenty-three essays, this volume provides authoritative yet accessible explorations of why understanding evolution is crucial to human life--from dealing with climate change and ensuring our food supply, health, and economic survival to developing a richer and more accurate comprehension of society, culture, and even what it means to be human itself. Combining new essays with essays revised and updated from the acclaimed Princeton Guide to Evolution, this collection addresses the role of evolution in aging, cognition, cooperation, religion, the media, engineering, computer science, and many other areas. The result is a compelling and important book about how evolution matters to humans today. The contributors are Dan I.

Andersson, Francisco J. Ayala, Amy Cavanaugh, Cameron R. Currie, Dieter Ebert, Andrew D. Ellington, Elizabeth Hannon, John Hawks, Paul Keim, Richard E. Lenski, Tim Lewens, Jonathan B. Losos, Virpi Lummaa, Jacob A. Moorad, Craig Moritz, Martha M. Muñoz, Mark Pagel, Talima Pearson, Robert T. Pennock, Daniel E. L. Promislow, Erik M. Quandt, David C. Queller, Robert C. Richardson, Eugenie C. Scott, H. Bradley Shaffer, Joan E. Strassmann, Alan R. Templeton, Paul E. Turner, and Carl Zimmer.

Book Information

Paperback: 416 pages

Publisher: Princeton University Press (July 26, 2016)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0691170398

ISBN-13: 978-0691170398

Product Dimensions: 6 x 1 x 9.2 inches

Shipping Weight: 1.3 pounds (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: Be the first to review this item

Best Sellers Rank: #471,116 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #236 in Books > Science & Math > Reference #1382 in Books > Textbooks > Science & Mathematics > Biology & Life Sciences > Biology #2264 in Books > Science & Math > Evolution

[Download to continue reading...](#)

How Evolution Shapes Our Lives: Essays on Biology and Society Biology: The Ultimate Self Teaching Guide - Introduction to the Wonderful World of Biology - 3rd Edition (Biology, Biology Guide, Biology For Beginners, Biology For Dummies, Biology Books) Found in Translation: How Language Shapes Our Lives and Transforms the World Essays That Will Get You into Medical School (Essays That Will Get You Into...Series) [Second Edition] (Barron's Essays That Will Get You Into Medical School) Evolution for Everyone: How Darwin's Theory Can Change the Way We Think About Our Lives Driven: How Human Nature Shapes Our Choices Driven: How Human Nature Shapes Our Choices (J-B Warren Bennis Series) Dataclysm: Love, Sex, Race, and Identity--What Our Online Lives Tell Us about Our Offline Selves Human Transit: How Clearer Thinking about Public Transit Can Enrich Our Communities and Our Lives When Our Grown Kids Disappoint Us: Letting Go of Their Problems, Loving Them Anyway, and Getting on with Our Lives The Fatherless Daughter Project: Understanding Our Losses and Reclaiming Our Lives Writing as a Way of Healing: How Telling Our Stories Transforms Our Lives Our Lives As Torah: Finding God in Our Stories The Cult of the Amateur: How blogs, MySpace, YouTube, and the rest of today's user-generated media are destroying our economy, our culture, and our values Vaccine Epidemic: How Corporate Greed, Biased Science, and Coercive Government Threaten Our Human Rights, Our Health, and Our Children The Story of Stuff: How Our Obsession with Stuff Is Trashing the Planet, Our Communities, and Our Health-and a Vision for Change Entropy, Information, and Evolution: New Perspective on Physical and Biological Evolution (Bradford Books) Infectious Diseases in Primates: Behavior, Ecology and Evolution (Oxford Series in Ecology and Evolution) Our Story: 77 Hours That Tested Our Friendship and Our Faith Modified: GMOs and the Threat to Our Food, Our Land, Our Future

[Dmca](#)