

# **ParAqua Editorial Board to promote a special issue on Zoosporic Parasites**

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# Aim of the Editorial Board

Organise and coordinate a special issue in peer-review scientific journals about zoonotic parasites

Promote the special issue and include the Editorial Committee page among the dissemination tools



# Interested Members for the Editorial Board

Serena Rasconi, Italy

Dedmer Van De Waal, The Netherlands

Alena Gsell, The Netherlands

Manuela Coci, Italy

Ana Gavrilovic, Croatia

Maja Berden Zrimec, Slovenia

Gabriel Acien, Spain

**A meeting will be organised after the workshop**



# Special issue on Zoosporic Parasites

**High current interest in the topic –**

**Focus on:**

- Zoosporic parasites (aquatic fungi and fungi-like microorganisms),
- The relation with their hosts (aquatic primary producers) and main drivers of infections
- In natural ecosystems (particularly the effects due to climate change), experimental tests, industrial algal biotech production etc.



# Proposed timeline

Meeting Editorial Board - After the workshop

- > Define scope and target journals

Contact editors of indexed journals (ISI or Scopus) - By the end of the year

- > Assess interest in publishing a book review on the topic

- > Negotiate conditions (e.g. fast track - one discounted OA article for a student )

Special issue announcement and call for abstracts

- > January-June 2025

Open submission

- > July 2025 - 2026 - Can be extended until end of 2026



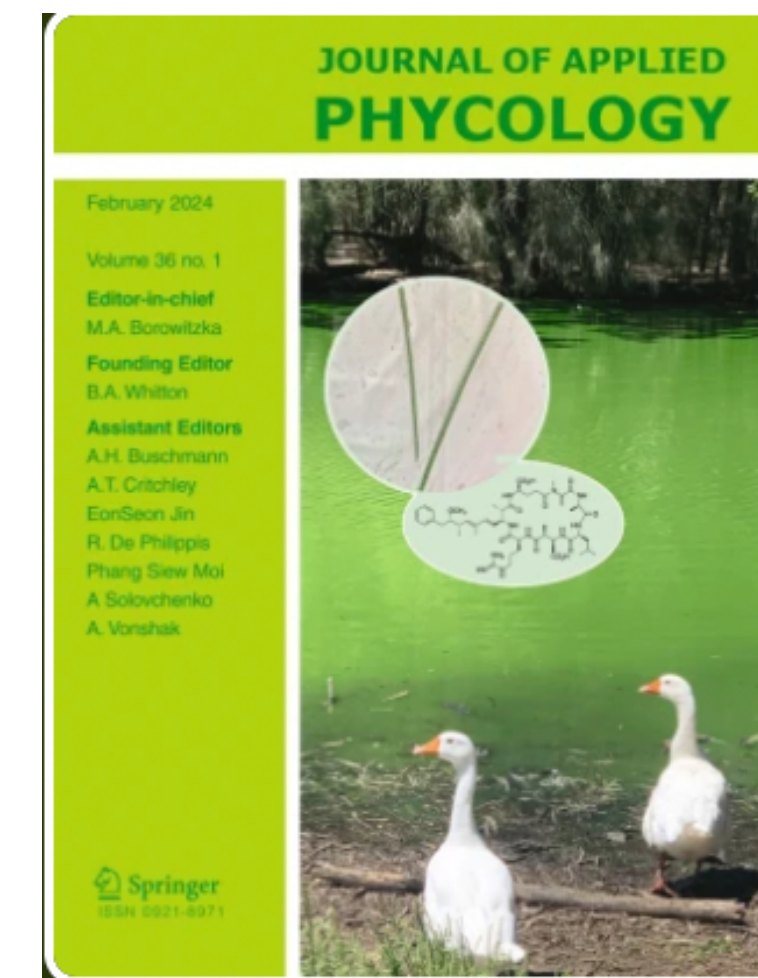


# Topic journals

Journal of Phycology - Wiley -Hybrid



Journal of Applied Phycology -  
Springer - Hybrid



International Journal of Plant Sciences -  
The Univ. Of Chicago Press -Hybrid

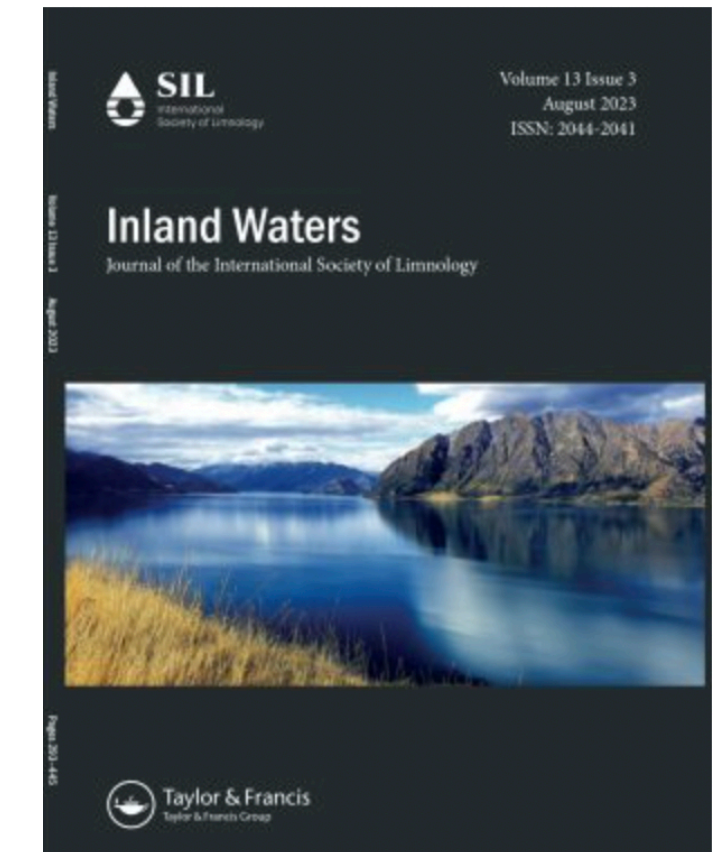




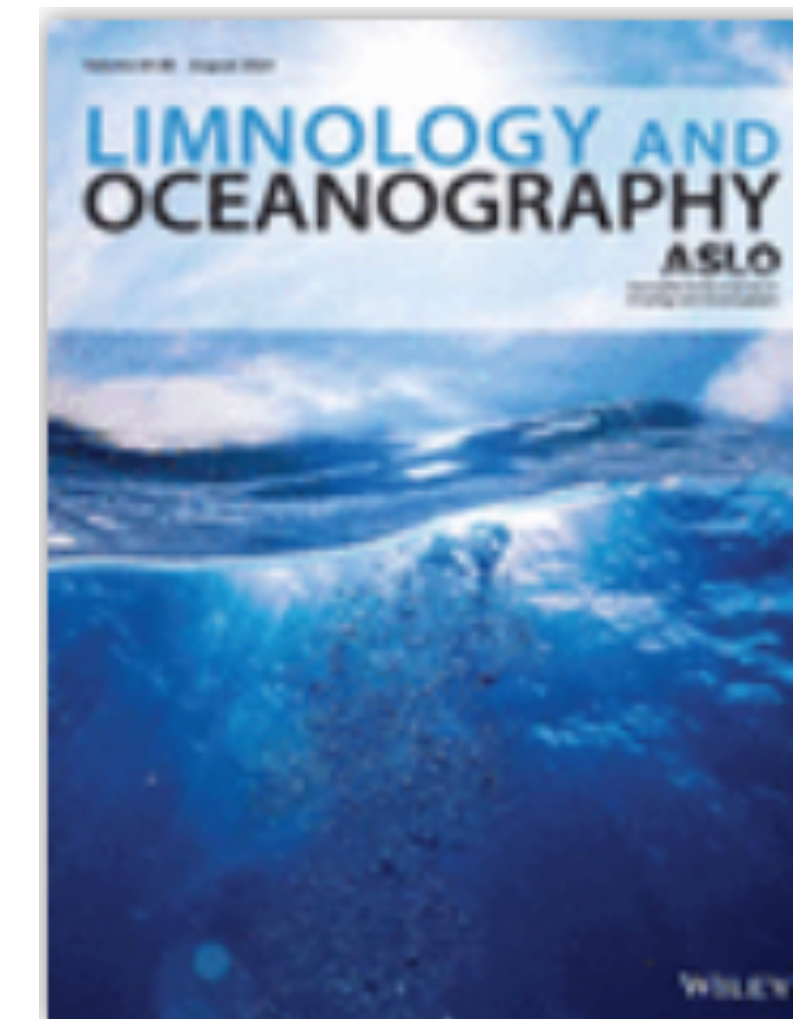


# Associations Journals

SIL (Taylor & Francis) - Inland waters (OA and free APC for members - Hybrid)



Aslo (Wiley) - Limnology Oceanography (Hybrid)



Esa (Wiley) - Ecology







## Young Authors fast track

Journal of Limnology - (Page Press) -  
IRSA-CNR Italy

Manuscript submitted with PhD or Masters students as corresponding authors will be given a first decision within three weeks.



International Annals of Science - (AIJR)  
- OA BUT Fast Track based on fees !





# Publish Open Access



## GREEN

Author's self-archive  
in open repository in  
compliance with  
publisher's policy



## GOLDEN

Final version  
published OA by  
Journal - requires  
payment of APC



## DIAMOND

Final version  
published OA by  
Journal - no APC  
charged



## HYBRID

Open to read with  
journal subscription -  
usually requires  
payment of APC



# Action policy for OA publications and data sharing

Partners (including industry) that are already part of ParAqua acknowledged the principle of open co-operation and agreed in sharing and disseminating knowledge. We will work during the Action to set up as much as possible an atmosphere of trust.

Scientific publication (reviews, scientific papers, results of STSM)

→ In open access journal according COST Actions Funding scheme for publications



# COST Supported opportunities for OA

COST Actions Funding scheme for OA publications:

- Scientific publication shall be subjected to peer review
- Acknowledging COST and EU Funding.

Dissemination or Communication Product	List of eligible expenses	Specific Conditions
<p><b>Scientific publication in Open Access</b></p> <p><i>Proof of delivery:</i></p> <p>If Accepted (or in Press), but not published yet: accepted final manuscript in pdf format + proof of acceptance by the publisher.</p> <p>If Published: final publication in pdf format</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Open Access fee for scientific publications</li> <li>• Proof reading, editing, translation and layout expenses.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Be the result of the work of the Action.               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• And</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Be authored by               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Action participants from at least 3 different COST Member.                   <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Or</li> </ul> </li> <li>○ Action participants from at least 2 different COST Member and 1 NNC.                   <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Or</li> </ul> </li> <li>○ Action participants from at least 2 different COST Member if resulting from an STSM funded by the Action.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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