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GLAD I COULD HELP!

SCIENTISTS AROUND THE WORLD HAVE BEEN TAKING TO TWITTER USING THE HASHTAG [#ACTUALLIVINGSCIENTIST](#) TO INTRODUCE THEMSELVES AND THEIR SCIENCE TO THE REST OF THE WORLD.

TWITTER IS FLOODED WITH MESSAGES FROM MEN AND WOMEN OF ALL FIELDS OF RESEARCH, FROM BIOLOGY, ECOLOGY, MATHEMATICS, CLIMATE SCIENCE, GEOLOGY, AND MORE.

*An actual living  
scientist is a person  
with a passion for  
problem solving.*

#VarunGoswami-an #ElephantBiologist  
working with tea estates in #NorthEastIndia  
to keep #migration routes intact  
#ActualLivingScientists



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#VidyaAthreya-a #LeopardBiologist studying  
#human-#leopard interactions across #India  
#ActualLivingScientists #WCSIndia  
@WCSNewsroom @TheWCS



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**DNLee**  
@DNLee5

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Hi, I'm DNLee I study behavior & natural history of small mammals across urban gradients. [#actuallylivingscientist](#)  
[#womeninscience](#)

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**Janet Ng**  
@janetngbio

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Hi, I'm Janet & I study how endangered hawks live in an environment with lots of human development. I like coffee!  
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  1,815  7,207



**Rachael Bonoan**

@RachaelEBee



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Hi, I'm Rachael! I study how honey [#bees](#) cope with the seasonal variation of their diet (flowers!). [#ActualLivingScientist](#)  
[#WomenInSTEM](#)

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**Mercedes Burns**

@DrCedes

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I'm Mercedes. As an [#actuallylivingscientist](#), I study the evolution of reproductive systems. And I wear what I want to do it [#DressLikeAWoman](#)

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**Catherine Scott**

@Cataranea

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Hi, I'm Catherine! I'm an [#actuallylivingscientist](#) who studies how black widow spiders communicate using chemicals on their silk!

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**Jenna Pruett**  
@TurtlesRCool2

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Hi! I'm Jenna! I study turtle nesting behavior and maternal effects! I'm an [#actuallylivingscientist](#)

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**Megan Gunn**

@\_TFFP

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Hi, I'm Megan! I study river/stream fish & inverts & teach kids that natural resources are fun & imp't [#ActualLivingScientist](#) [#womeninscience](#)

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**Allie Bee** @alliebee01 · Feb 6



Madagascar 2012 CHAMELEONS <3. But now I look at insects and plants and teach kids how cool ecosystems can be! [#actuallivingscientists](#)





Clément Goubert @clementgoubert · Feb 6

Hi I'm Clément, as an [#actuallylivingscientists](#) I study how "jumping genes" influence the evolution of their hosts (including us!!)





Patrick Raney @RaneySwamp · Feb 6



[#actuallylivingscientists](#) - protect habitat for rare species. Study climate adaptation strategies for human and nature.





Mel Marie @Ichthyomyzon · Feb 6



Fish slime, heavy equipment, watershed studies, and protecting clean water. Just another day in the life of an [#actuallylivingscientists](#).

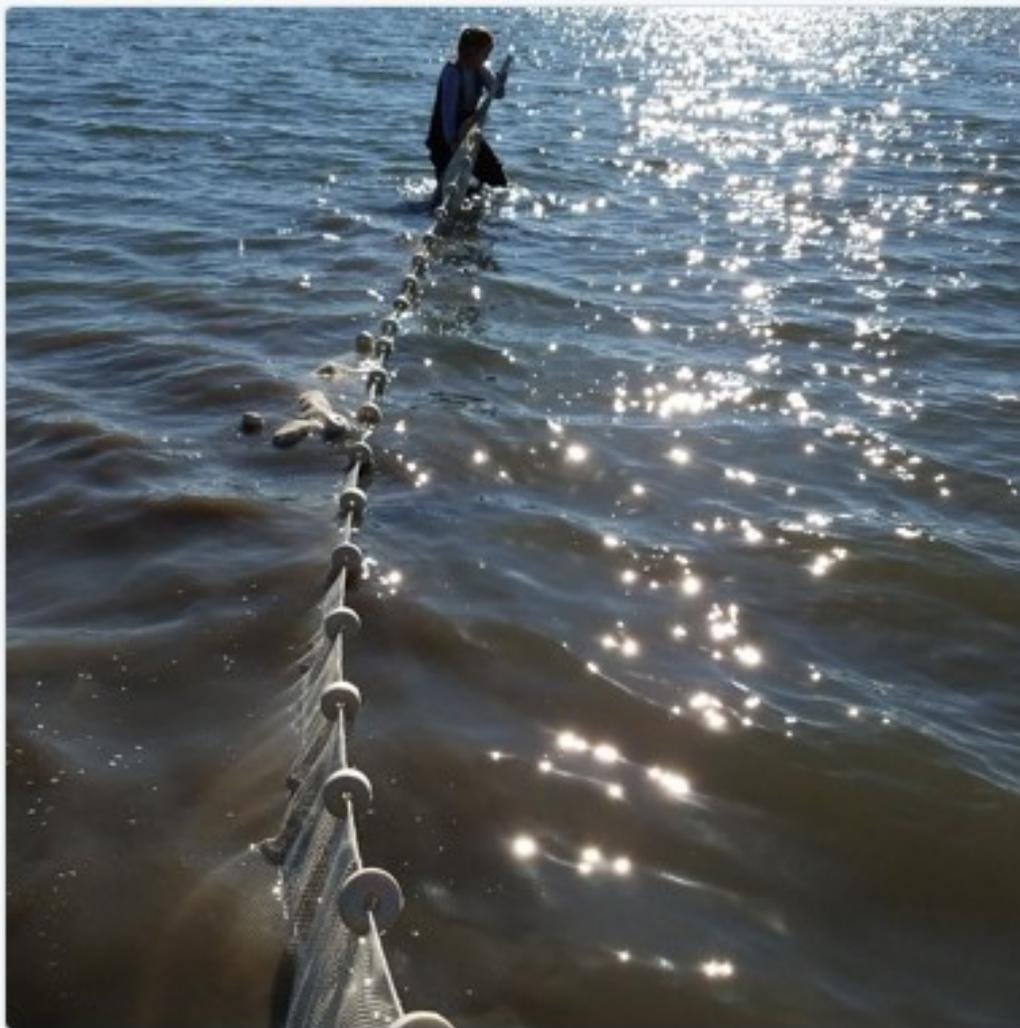




Edward McGinley @CaptainInSeine · Feb 6



Hi, I am Ed and I study fish in estuaries. I try to figure out what fish live where and why. [#actuallivingscientists](#)





Javier Felipe Tabima @Tabima · Feb 6

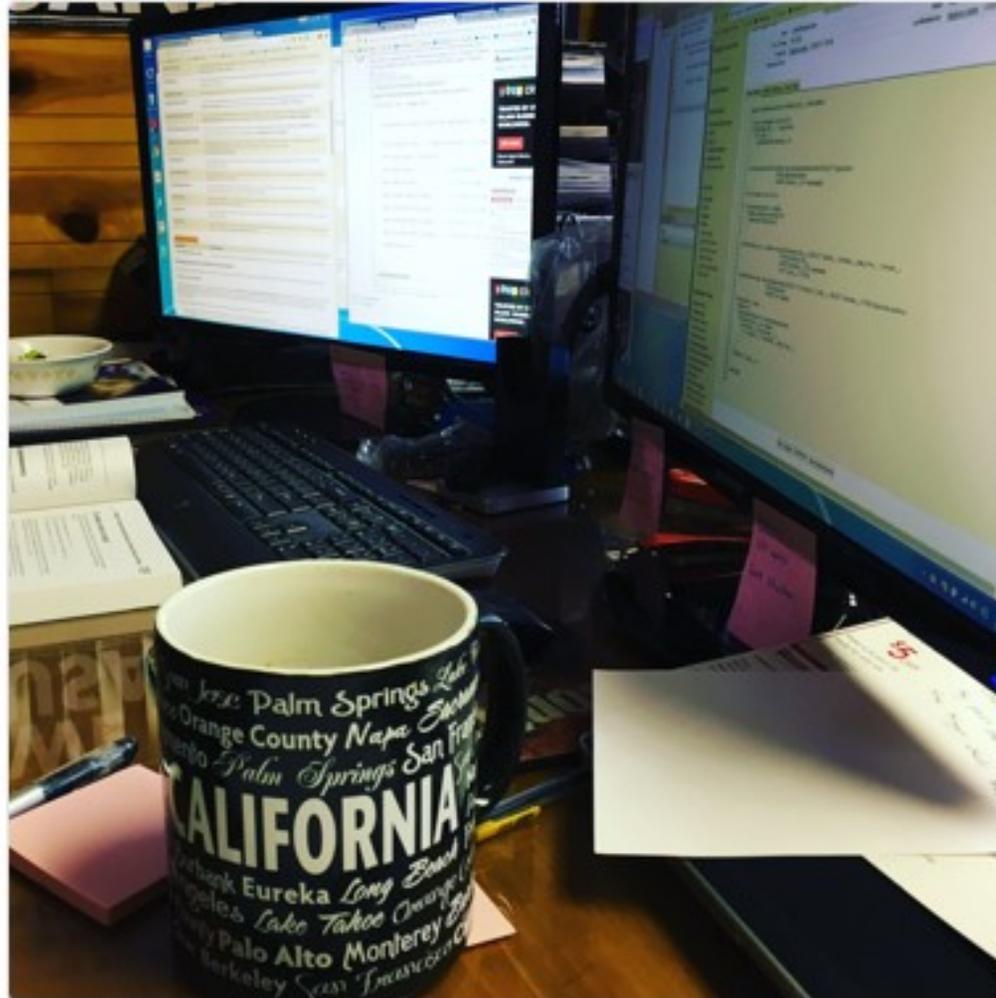


We are @BrianAtkinology, @tschappe, @Tabima and Zolton. We are #actuallylivingscientists in plant science @OSUAgSci



Kristy Williams @kdub152 · Feb 6

I look for patterns in data and interpret statistics... #datascientists can play too, right? #actuallivingscientists

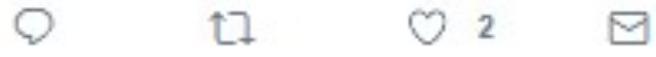


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Mason Posner @mason91 · Feb 6

I'm an [#actuallivingscientists](#) using zebrafish to study eye lens development and cataract and teach [#marinebio](#) and other stuff [@ashland\\_univ](#)





Jenny Ridge @JDR\_GIS · Feb 6

I am a spatial analyst working on wetland reclamation & occasionally I fly  
[#drones](#) [#actuallylivingscientists](#) and I [#DressLikeAWoman](#)





Victoria Inman @Vic\_Inman · Feb 6

I'm an [#actuallylivingscientists](#) studying the role of hippos in wetland ecosystems and I [#DressLikeAWoman](#)



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Pauline Lang @Dr\_LangP · Feb 5

I'm Pauline, an [#actuellivingscientist](#) fascinated by [#freshwaterecology](#) & [#actuellivingscientists](#) delivering [#STEM](#)





fparotts @fparotts · Feb 4

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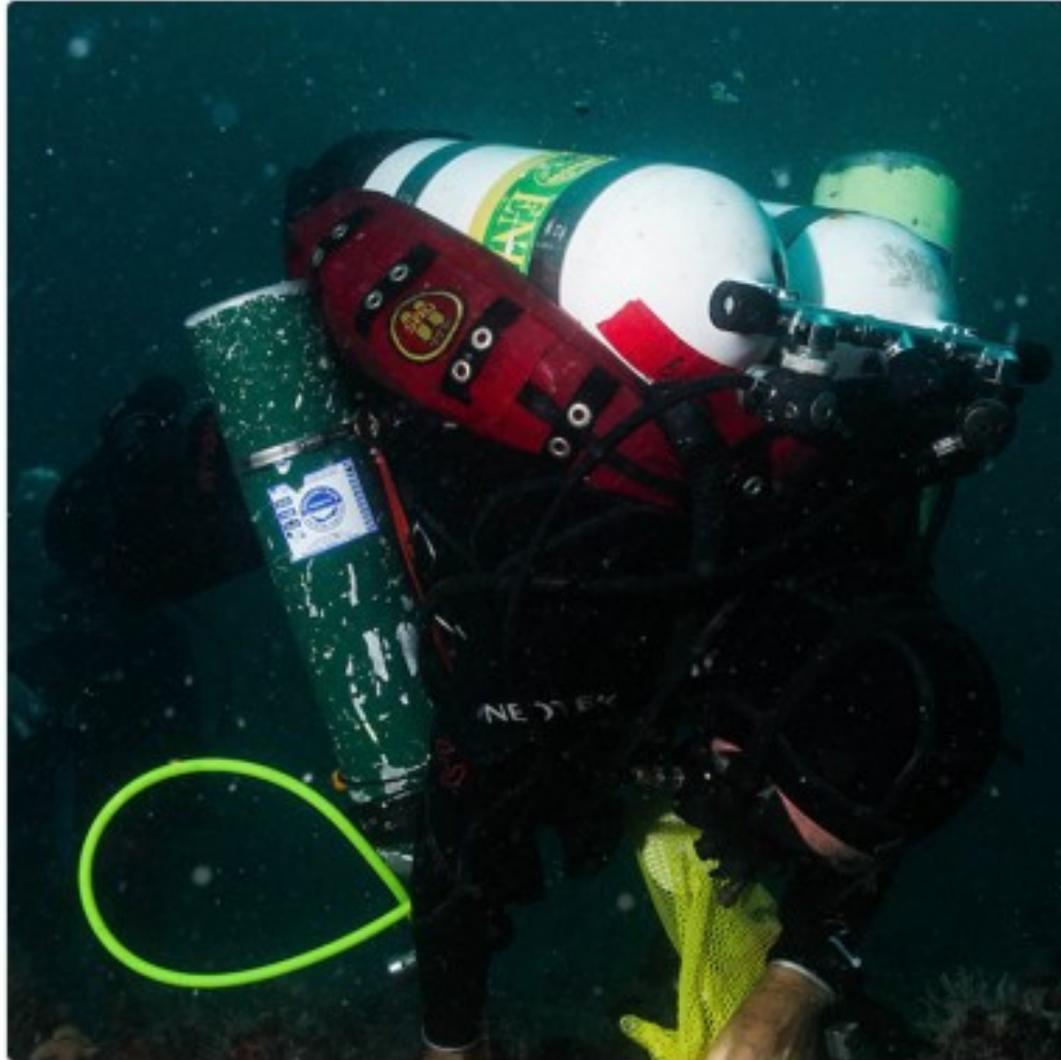
Hi, I'm PhD engineer and [#ActualLivingScientist](#). I study bamboo as sustainable construction material. On site I know how [#DressLikeAWoman](#)

SciAfterSchool follows



**Mote Marine Lab** @MoteMarineLab · Jul 17

This is Jim Culter, an [#actuallivingscientist](#). Jim studies benthic invertebrates and is involved in bay scallop research and restoration.



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Max Showalter @gshowalt · Jun 23



Hi, I'm Max 🧬 I study bacteria/viruses in Arctic sea ice + maybe outer space.  
I'm an [#actuallivingscientist](#) [#queerSTEM](#) [#rainbowrollcall](#)



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Jeremy Sueltenfuss @jsueltenfuss · Jun 15



My new friend helping motivate me on a hot day for some [#wetland](#) [#restoration](#) [#research](#). [#actuallylivingscientist](#)



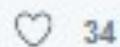
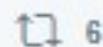


Andrew DuBois @MrAndrewDuBois · Jun 10



Hi Neil! I'm Andrew DuBois, an [#ActualLivingScientist](#) that studies how to save amphibians & reptiles from extinction

[#NDTMeetScienceTwitter](#)

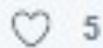




[Alison Webb](#) @WebbofScience · Jun 1



I study the impacts of tourism and feeding on the physiology of endangered iguanas [#actuallivingscientist](#) [@BADAdviceUSU](#)





Bennett Hardy @Frogfinder · May 20



I'm an [#actuallylivingscientist](#) studying [#amphibian](#) conservation using [#genomics](#) to understand population patterns! [#BillMeetScienceTwitter](#)





Lena @leenuh\_hlferman · May 9

I'm Lena & I'm an [#actuallivingscientist](#) . I build radiation detectors  
[@Livermore\\_Lab](#) to measure elemental compositions on planetary bodies.





Alaska NPS  @AlaskaNPS · Apr 22

Mike Loso/glacier researcher conducts glacier monitoring near Kahiltna Pass,  
[#Denali](#) [#ActualLivingScientist](#) [#ParkScience](#) [#NPS101](#)



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Alaska NPS  @AlaskaNPS · Apr 15



Scott Gende/science advisor at #GlacierBay tracks harbor seal behavior around cruise ships #ActualLivingScientist #NPS101



STEM Learning liked

Sarah Clark @Sfm36 · Mar 27

Replying to @STEMLearningUK

@WTEducation We have this topic as a display #STEM #actuallivingscientist



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**Volcano Jess Phoenix** @volcanojess · Mar 14



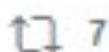
Doing geology out of plane windows is one of my great joys. Sedimentary stratigraphy FTW. [#geologyrocks](#) [#actuallivingscientist](#) [#womeninstem](#)





KY Geological Survey @KGSNews · Feb 23

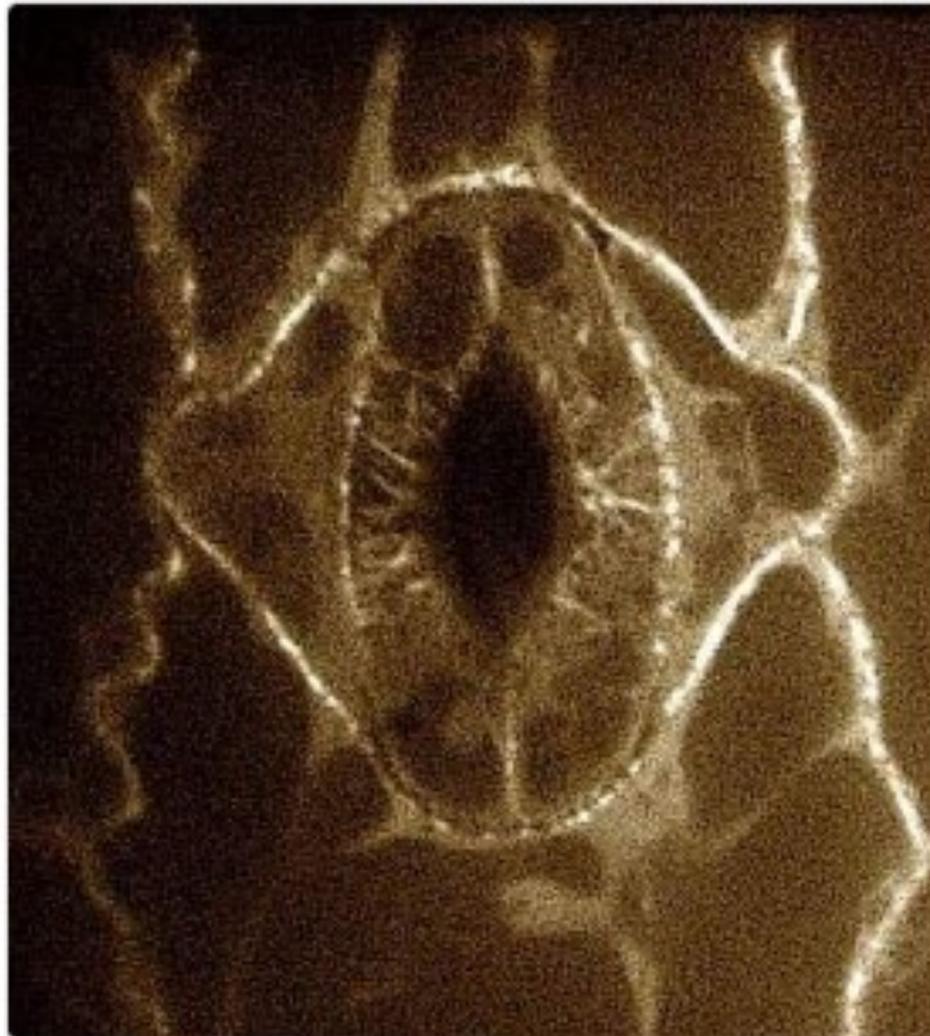
I'm KGS hydrogeologist Glynn Beck, an [#actuallylivingscientist](#) collecting sand samples from the cool McNairy aquifer exposure in western Ky.





Dianne P. @dianne727 · Feb 22

I'm an [#actuallylivingscientist](#) & I study how plants regulate specialized cells (this is corn) to control water loss in drought conditions.



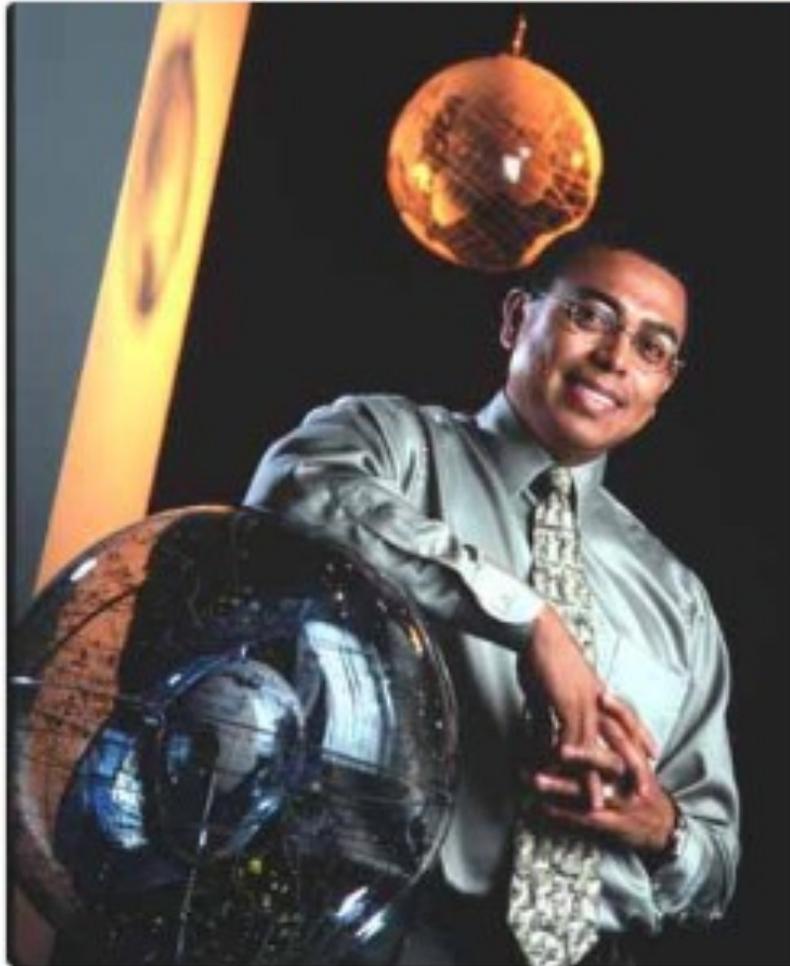


Erik Killmonger @\_M\_Pulse · Feb 21



Replying to @\_M\_Pulse

Arlie Petters, a math physicist, is an [#actuallylivingscientist](#) whose work is foundational in Math astronomy [math.buffalo.edu/mad/PEEPS/pett...](http://math.buffalo.edu/mad/PEEPS/pett...) [#BHM](#) 🍌





Anicee Lombal @Anicee\_Lombal · Feb 17



I'm an [#actuallylivingscientist](#) using molecular tools to study dispersal among [#seabird](#) colonies, always [#DressLikeAWoman](#) [#WomeninScience](#)





Grace Ellison @gracellison · Feb 16



I'm Grace, an [#actuallylivingscientist](#) researching the behaviour, ecology and genetics of the Northern Lesser [#Galago](#) in East Africa



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Edward Bell @edbelljersey · Feb 15



I'm Ed, I work for [@DurrellWildlife](#) & I'm an [#actuallylivingscientist](#) studying [#bat](#) welfare, behaviour & conservation [#DurrellTeam](#)





KAWS @kaws\_ks · Feb 13

RT @kanedan29: I'm Dan. I study dirt and the stuff in it. #actuallylivingscientist





Alice Millikin @AliceMillikin · Feb 13

I'm an [#actuallylivingscientist](#) who studies hormones, genetics, and disease of Spotted Salamanders in created wetlands [#DressLikeAWoman](#)



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**Jan Freedman**

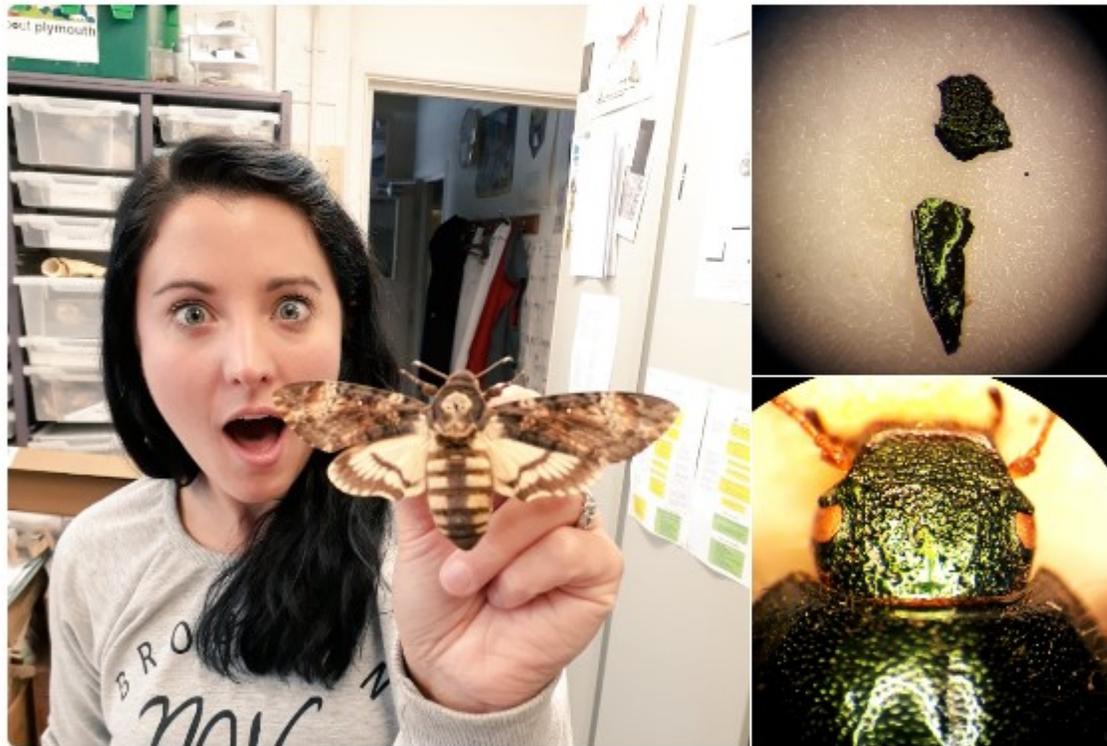
@JanFreedman

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The wonderful [@Kim\\_LDavies](#) uses museum collections to identify FRAGMENTS of beetles to reconstruct past environments!

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**Claudia Pogoreutz**

@CloudyPogoreutz

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Is [#bestcarcass](#) still on? Behold the spotted eagle ray (*Aetobatus narinari*)  
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**Jonathan Kolby**

@MyFrogCroaked

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[#IfTwitterDidntExist](#) I wouldn't be able to share my love for frogs & toads with you wonderful people! [#actuallivingscientist](#)  
[#herpetology](#)



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**Catherine Young**

@CatMYoung

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My office for the day [#blessed](#) [#Tasmania](#)  
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**Libby Jensen**

@libbyt151

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[@eyeonsci](#) [#actuallylivingscientist](#) and I kick cancer's butt by treating patients with radiation [#radiationtherapy](#) [#MHS2011](#)



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**Mote Marine Lab**

@MoteMarineLab

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Dr. Ryan Schloesser, an [#actuallylivingscientist](#), studies habitat-use patterns of snook to help homeowners make fish-friendly decisions.



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@USGSwaterCA

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#DayofScience Dara + Joe get muddy collecting stream water samples near Watsonville, CA. #CAwater #waterquality #actuallylivingscientist



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