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RESEARCH

Interests Aquaculture · Fisheries Management · Ecology · Limnology · Oceanography
Areas Global and Planetary Change · Aquatic Science · Ecology · Nature and Landscape Conservation · Ocean Engineering · Pollution

RESEARCH SUMMARY

46	479	11	15	0.84	0%
Publications	Citations	h-index	i10-index	Field-weighted impact	World top 10%

Counted from the 46 publications listed below, 1819–2026. Field-weighted impact is the mean over the 18 works scored for it; 1.00 is the world average for works of the same field, type and year. 0 of the 18 papers scored for it are among the world's most cited tenth for their field, type and year.

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