

Vertebrados Marinos Fósiles en Panamá



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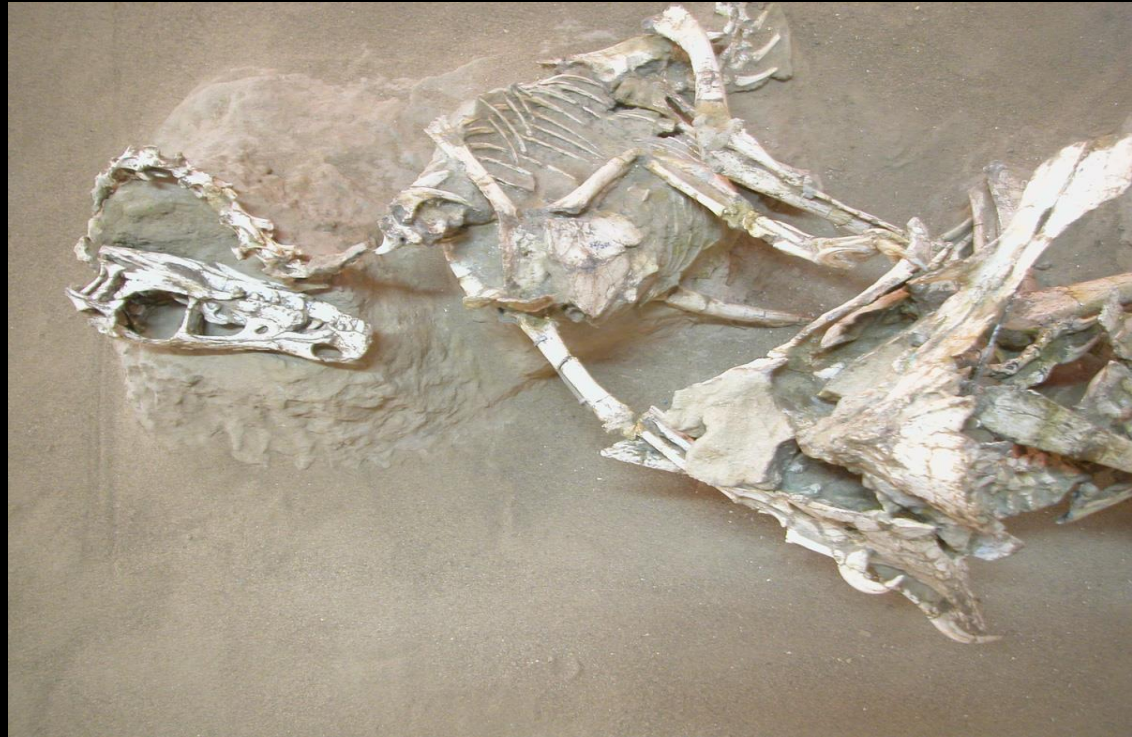
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Ontos = vida

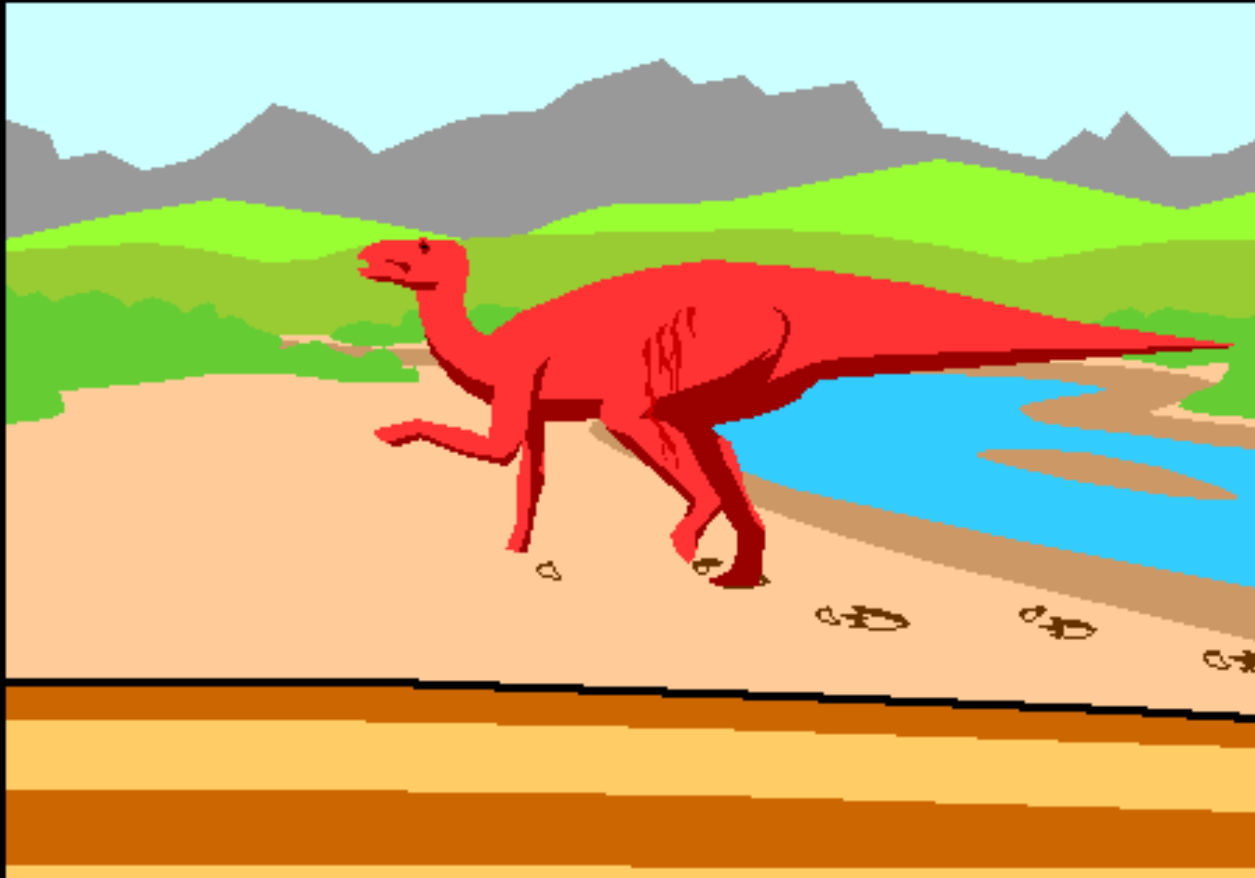
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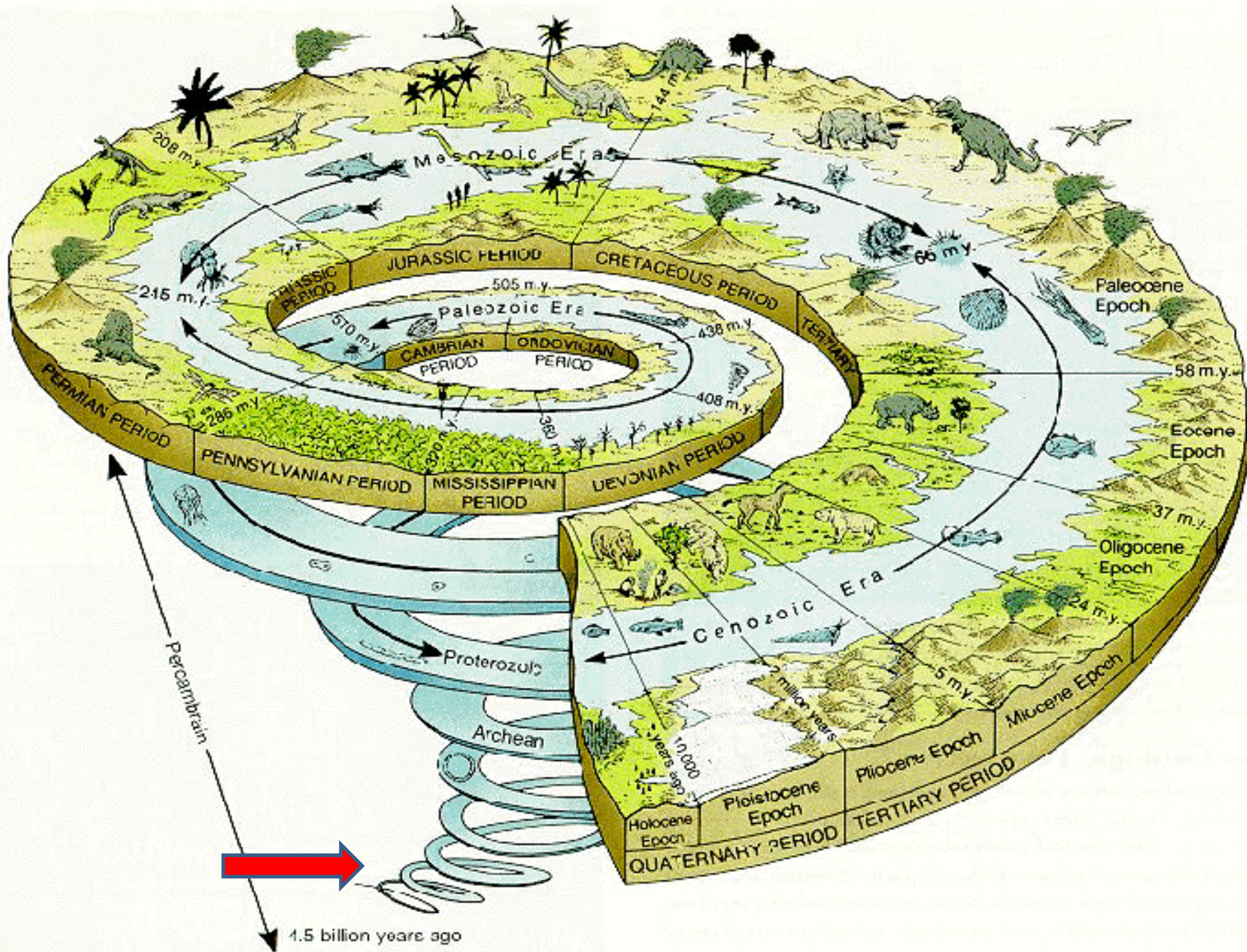


El par luchador, Barsbold 1974

Es la ciencia que estudia e interpreta el pasado de la vida sobre la Tierra a través de los fósiles. Se encuadra dentro de las Ciencias Naturales, posee un cuerpo de doctrina propio y comparte fundamentos y métodos con la Geología y la Biología, con las que se integra estrechamente.

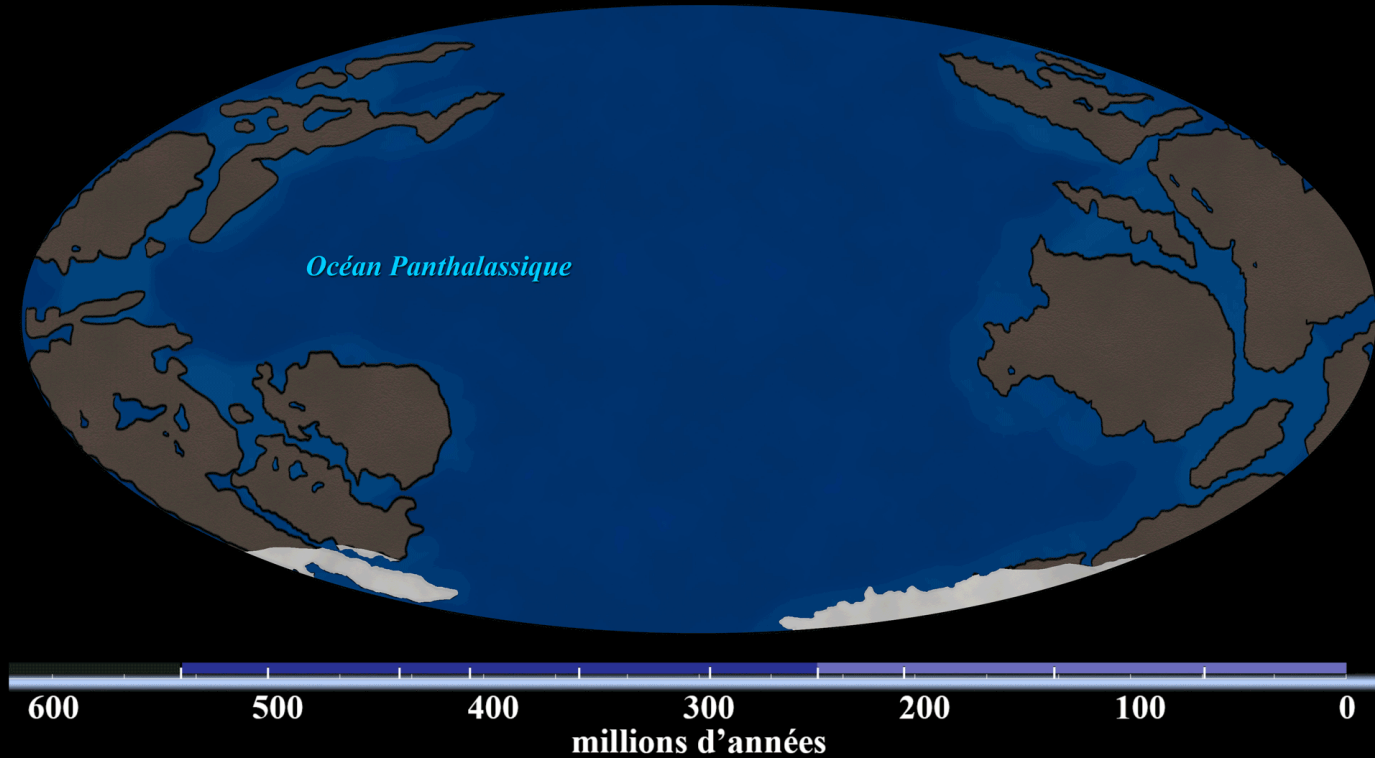
El proceso de fosilización





Movimientos de la tierra

Tectónica de Placas



Paleontología en el trópico



Canal de Panamá



Bosque Tropical en Colombia

En zonas tropicales la historia es diferente

Reconocer la oportunidad



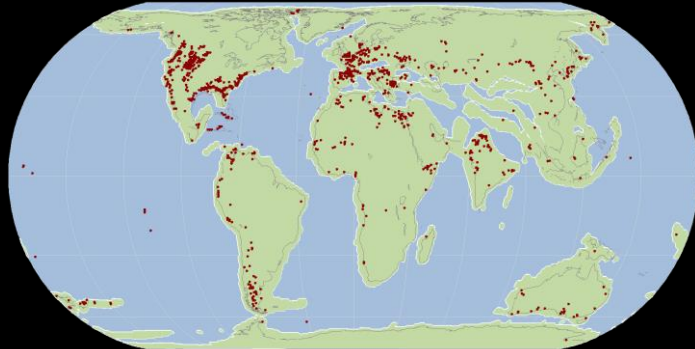
2009



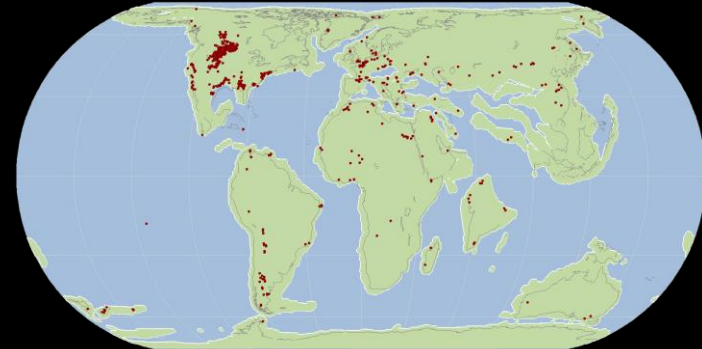
2013

¡Las exposiciones de roca fresca desaparecen rápidamente!

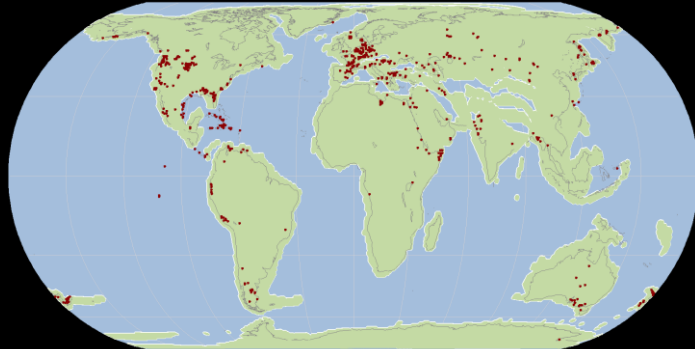
Ocurrencia de colecciones de fósiles en el Cenozoico en la base de datos de paleobiología 2013



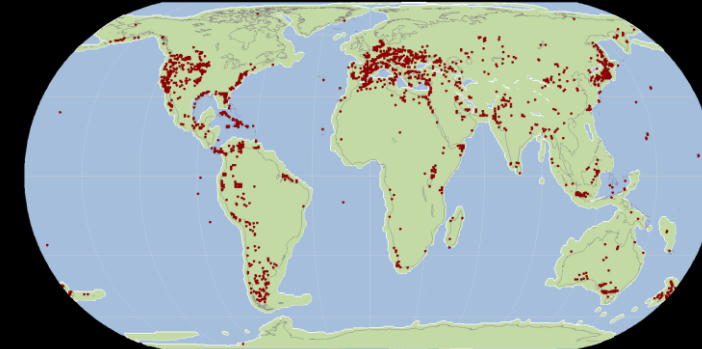
Paleoceno (66-56 Ma)



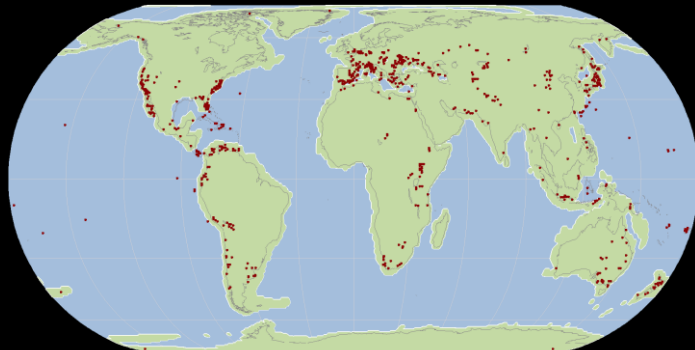
Eoceno (56-33.9 Ma)



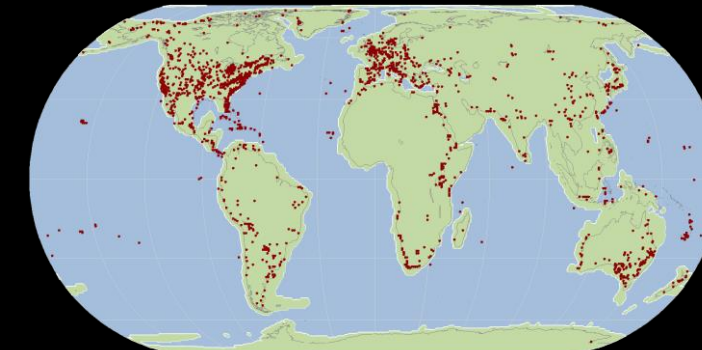
Oligoceno (33-23 Ma)



Mioceno (23-5.3 Ma)



Plioceno (5.3 -2.5 Ma)



Pleistoceno (+2.5 Ma)

PALEONTOLOGÍA DE VERTEBRADOS MARINOS

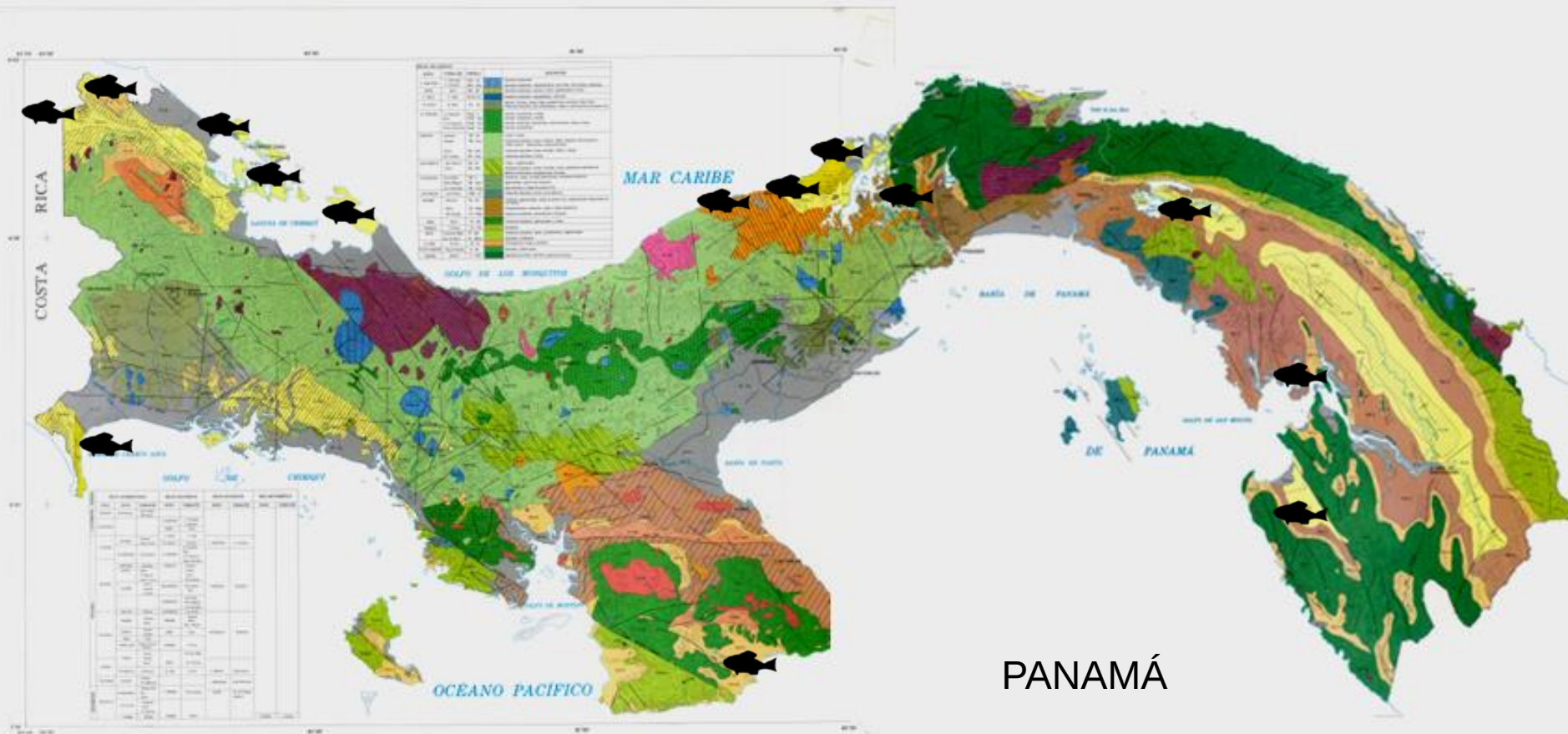


REGISTROS Y NUEVOS AVANCES EN PANAMÁ

PUBLICACIONES SOBRE VERTEBRADOS MARINOS FÓSILES EN PANAMÁ

1. BLAKE, 1862	▲	Mioceno Temprano (Tuira y Culebra)
2. GILLETTE, 1984	▲	Mioceno Medio (Chucunaque y Valiente)
3. AGUILERA Y RODRIGUES DE AGUILERA, 1999	🐟 ▲	Mioceno Medio a Mioceno Tardío (Gatún)
4. COLLINS <i>ET AL.</i> , 1999	🐟	Mioceno Tardío (Nancy Point, Chagres y Uscari)
5. MARTÍN Y DUNN, 2000	🐟	Mioceno tardío a Plioceno
6. PIMIENTO <i>ET AL.</i> , 2010	▲	Temprano (Shark Hole Point y Tobabe)
7. UHEN <i>ET AL.</i> , 2010	🦴	Plioceno (Cayo Agua y escudo de Veraguas)
8. AGUILERA <i>ET AL.</i> , 2011	🐟	Pleistoceno Tardío (Isla Pájaros)
9. CADENA <i>ET AL.</i> , 2012	🐢	
10. PIMIENTO <i>ET AL.</i> , 2013A	▲	
11. PIMIENTO <i>ET AL.</i> , 2013B	▲	
12. SCHWARZHANS Y AGUILERA 2013	🐟	Culebra (Canal de Panamá)
13. CARRILLO – BRICEÑO <i>ET AL.</i> 2015	▲	Gatún (Colón)
14. VELEZ – JUARBE <i>ET AL.</i> , 2015	🦴	Burica, Bocas del Toro, Gatún y Chagres
15. Vasquez & Pimiento, 2015	▲	
16. PYENSON <i>ET AL.</i> , 2015	🦴	
17. PEREZ <i>ET AL.</i> , 2017 .	▲	

Fósiles de vertebrados marinos



Historia de los vertebrados del Chagres



SEPTIEMBRE 2008

Fuertes y continuas lluvias provocaron la crecida de los ríos en Costa Abajo Colón causando inundaciones y la caída del puente sobre Río Indio.

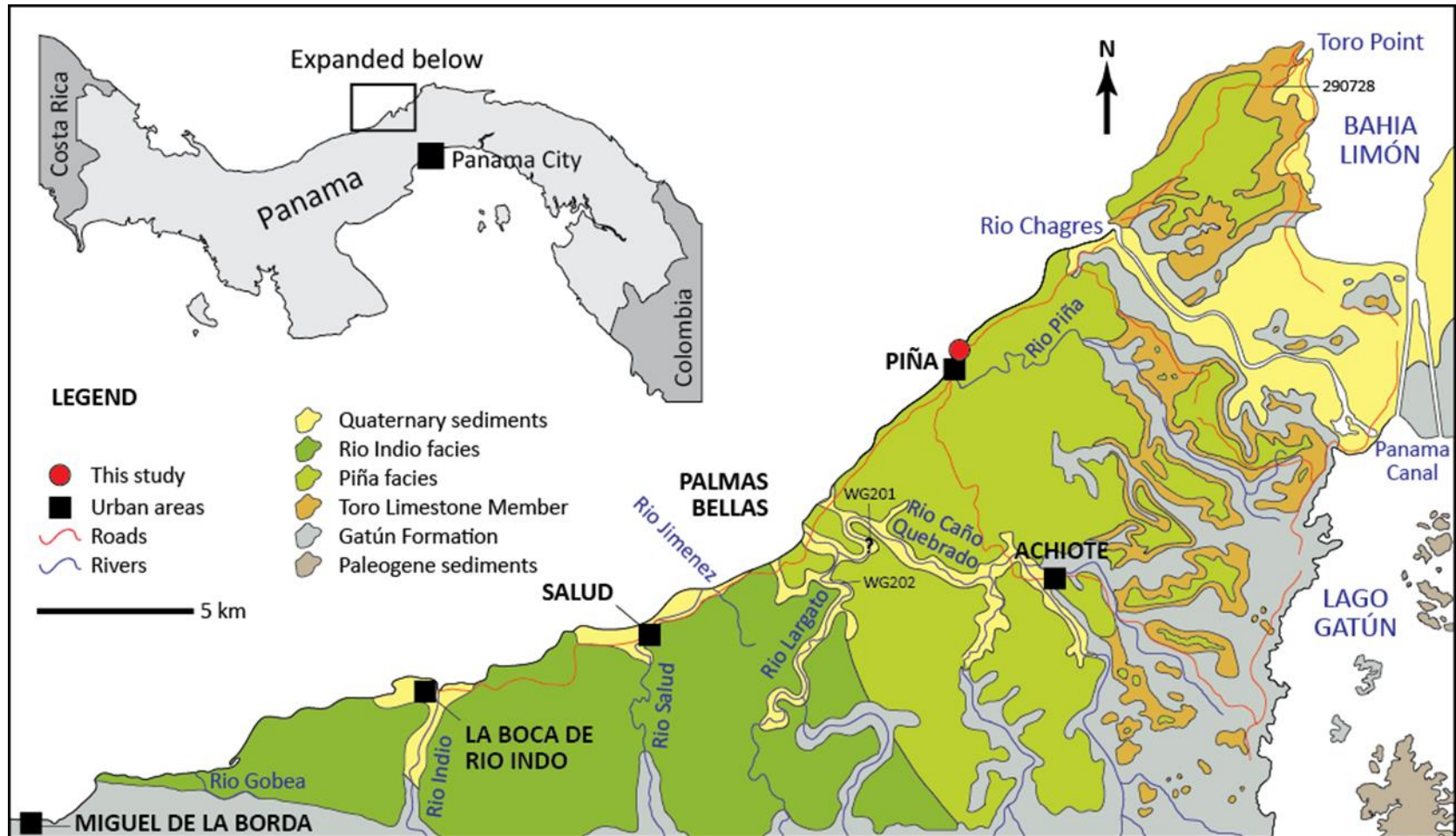


Marzo 2009: Nuevas exposiciones de roca fresca,
presencia de abundantes invertebrados y evidencia de vertebrados



Istiophoridae gen sp. indt.

El siguiente paso: revisar el mapa geológico



Formación Chagres (McDonals 1913)

Mioceno Tardío (8.3 -5.3 Ma) - Piña facies 5.3Ma

A New Marlin, *Makaira panamensis*, from the
Late Miocene of Panama

HARRY L. FIERSTINE

Makaira panamensis new sp. is described from a single neurocranium found in the Chagres Sandstone (Late Miocene) of the Atlantic coast of Panama. The new species is closely related to and possibly ancestral to the extant *M. indica* (black marlin) and *M. nigricans* (blue marlin). It differs from both by possessing a triangular rather than elongate basioccipital foramen, large nutrient canals in the rostrum and probably a more elongate orbit. The fossil is compared to all known fossil istiophorids as well as to the living marlins. It is suggested that the black marlin is a more recent derivative (than the blue marlin) that was unable to thrive in the Atlantic Ocean because of a temperature barrier.



A



scapula

rostrum

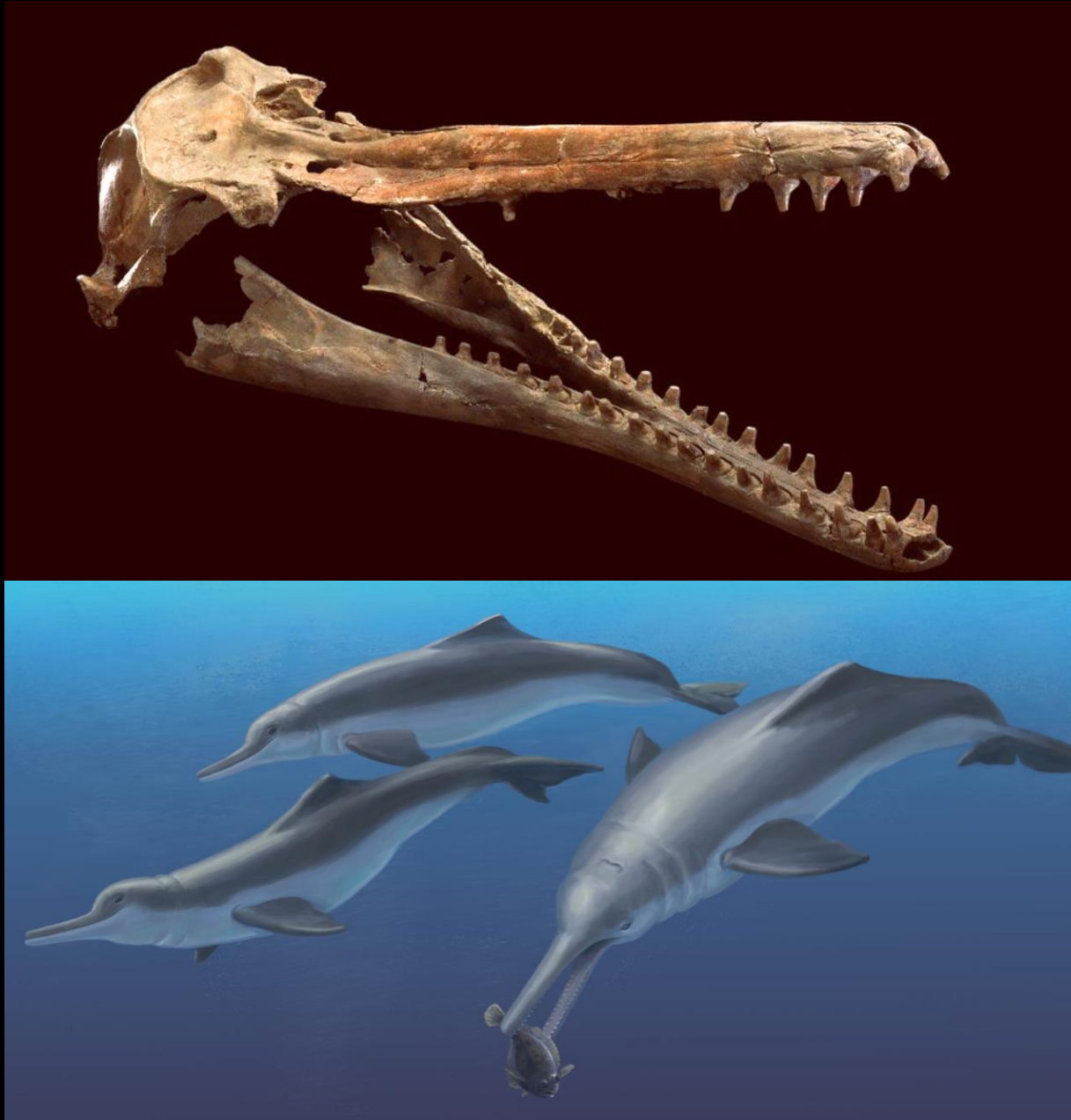
cranium

right naris

squamosal



Descubrimiento en el año 2010



Isthminia panamensis Pyenson 2015

Toma de muestras de bulto y manual



Chagres sandstone outcrop



Small bone collection



Marlin skull excavation. Photo: J. Velez - Juarbe, PhD. Los Angeles Museum curator

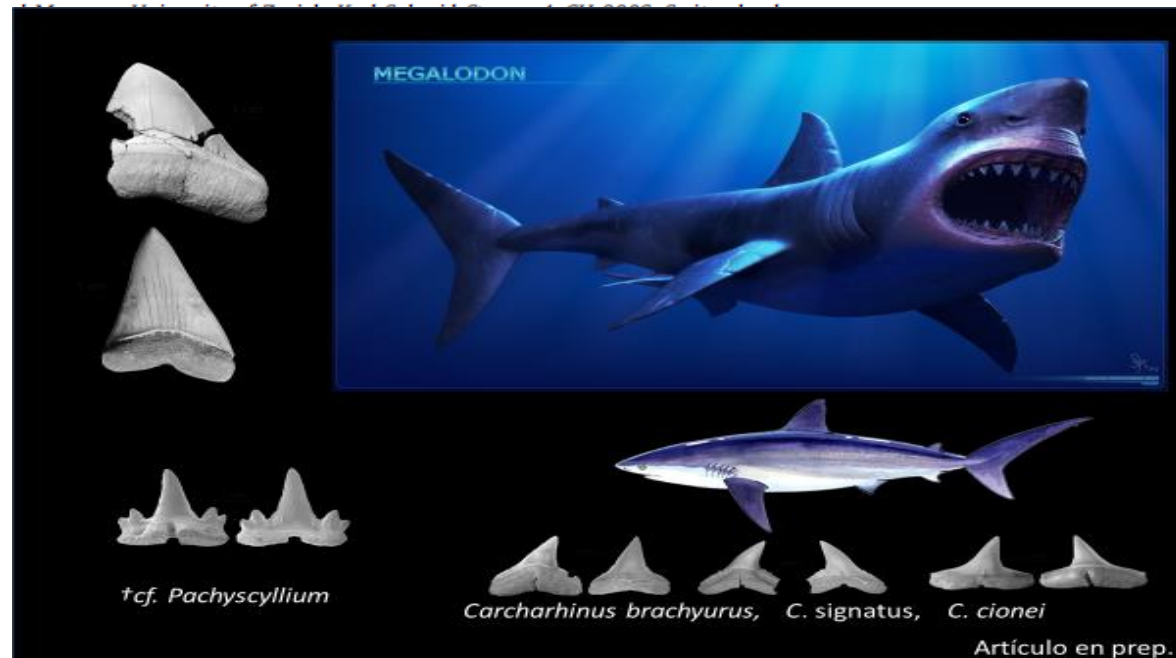


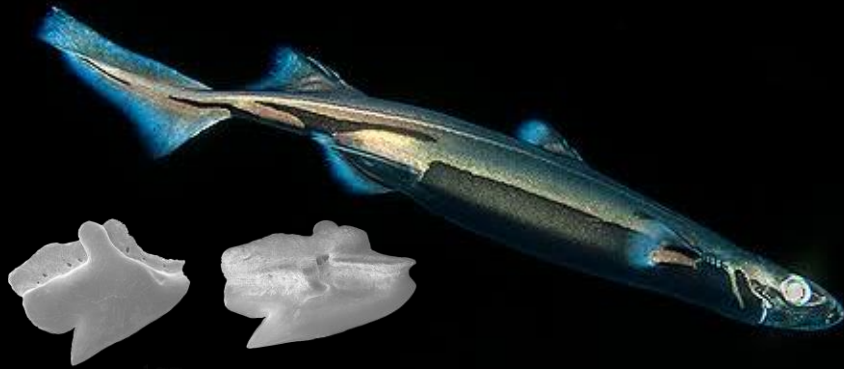
Marlin skeleton excavation
Photo: J. D. Carrillo, PhD. Zurich University

A new Late Miocene chondrichthyan assemblage from the Chagres Formation, Panama



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Orangel A. Aguilera^e, René Kindlimann^a, Patricio Santamarina^f, Carlos Jaramillo^b

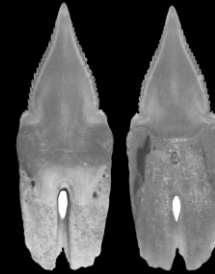




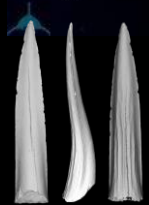
Squalus sp.



Dalatias licha.



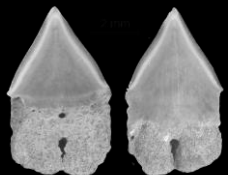
Trigonognathus sp.



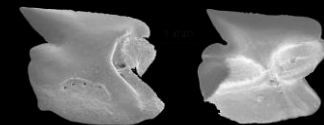
Pristiophorus sp



†*Isistius* cf. *triangulus*



Centrophorus cf. *granulosus*



Cachalote pigmeo descubierto en 2012



RESEARCH ARTICLE

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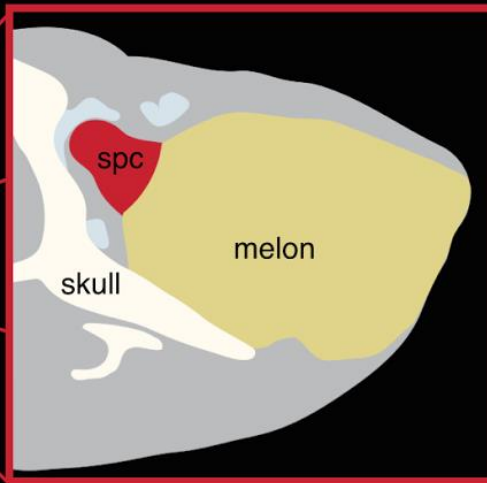
Jorge Velez-Juarbe^{1,2*}, Aaron R. Wood³, Carlos De Gracia⁴, Austin J. W. Hendy⁵

Nanokogia isthmia Vélez Juarbe *et al.* 2015

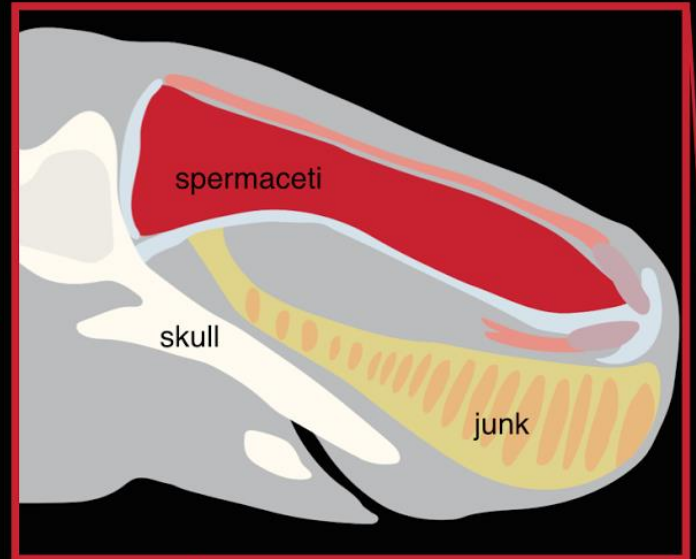
KOGIIDAE

~3.8 m

~2.7 m



Amplificador de
sonido



PHYSETERIDAE

~16 m



Cetaceans

Cachalote primitivo



Cetaceans

cachalote



Huesos fragmentados y articulados de marlin



Peces enormes:

Pez espada (*Xiphias* sp.)

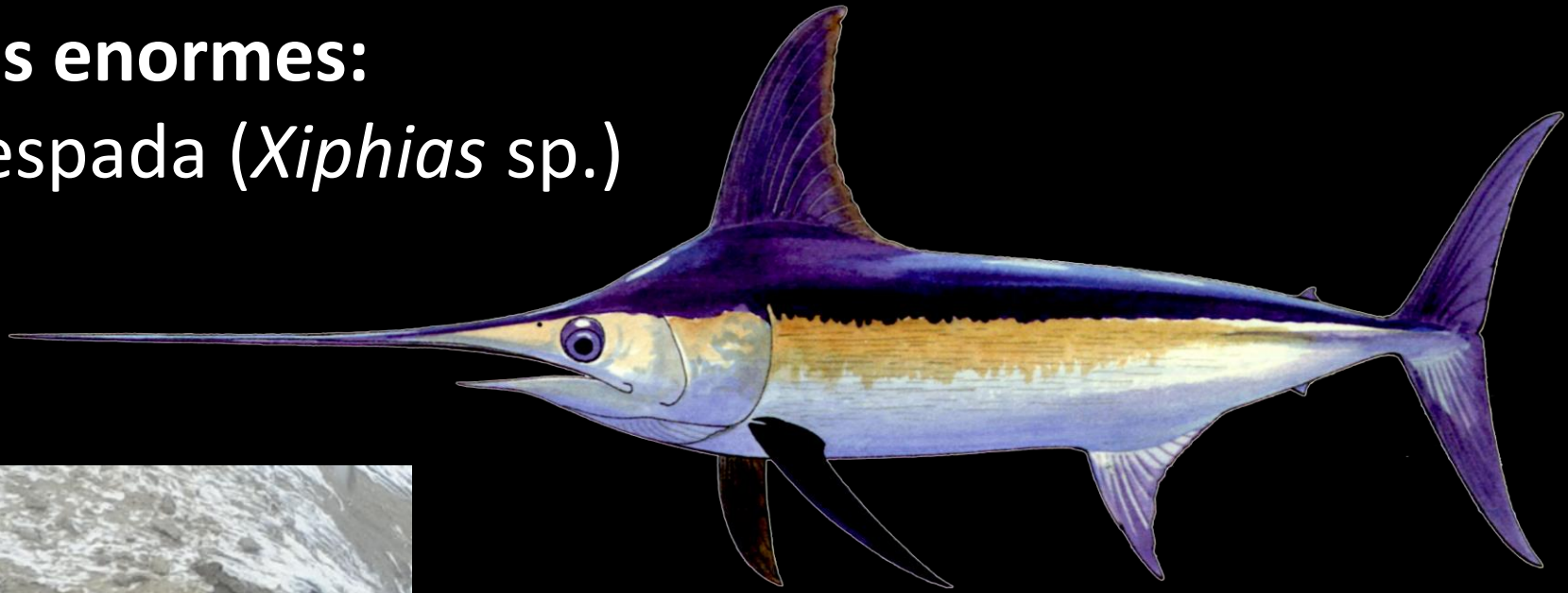
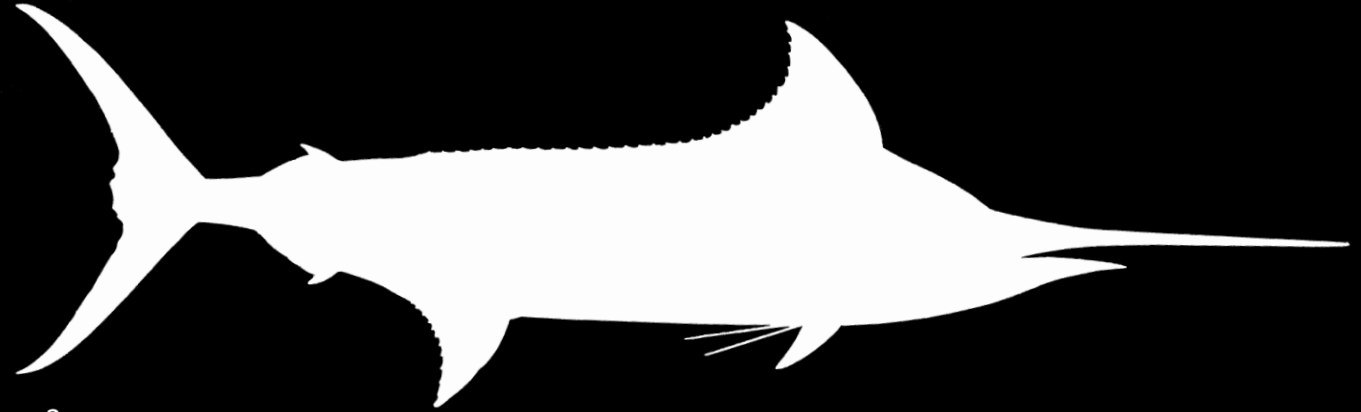


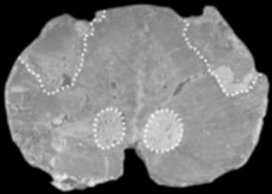
Fig. 4. Xiphidae (swordfish) vertebrae, genus and species indeterminate. (A) lateral view. (B) dorsal view. (C) centrum view.

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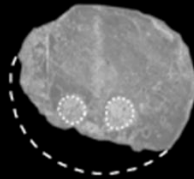
Nuevo género y especie de marlin



2 cm



0.5L



0.25L



10 cm



10 cm



En Preparación



Specimen STRI 31291 excavation, September – November 2011



Day 1 of 15



Day 10 of 15



Day 5 of 15

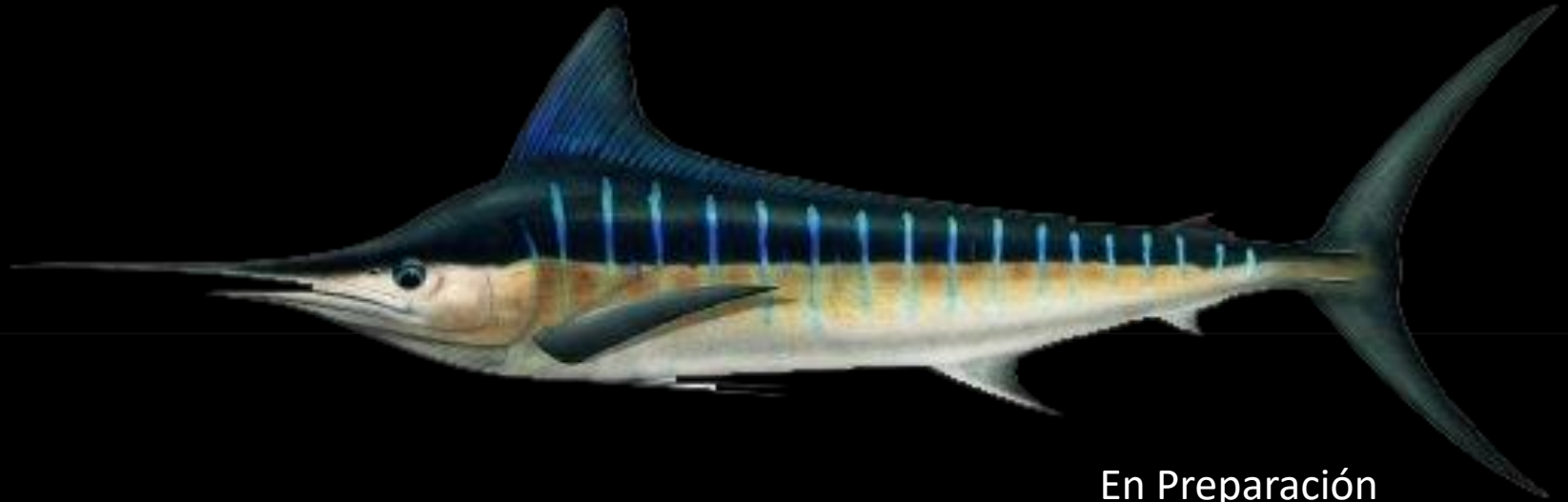


Day 11 of 15

STRI 31291: género y especie nueva



20cm



En Preparación

El fósil de marlin mas completo y mayor preservado descubierto

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- Son centros de estudio e investigación que han contribuido poderosa y eficazmente al desarrollo de las ciencias así como a la creación de lugares importantes para la formación de intelectuales que han colocado en un alto rendimiento estos institutos.



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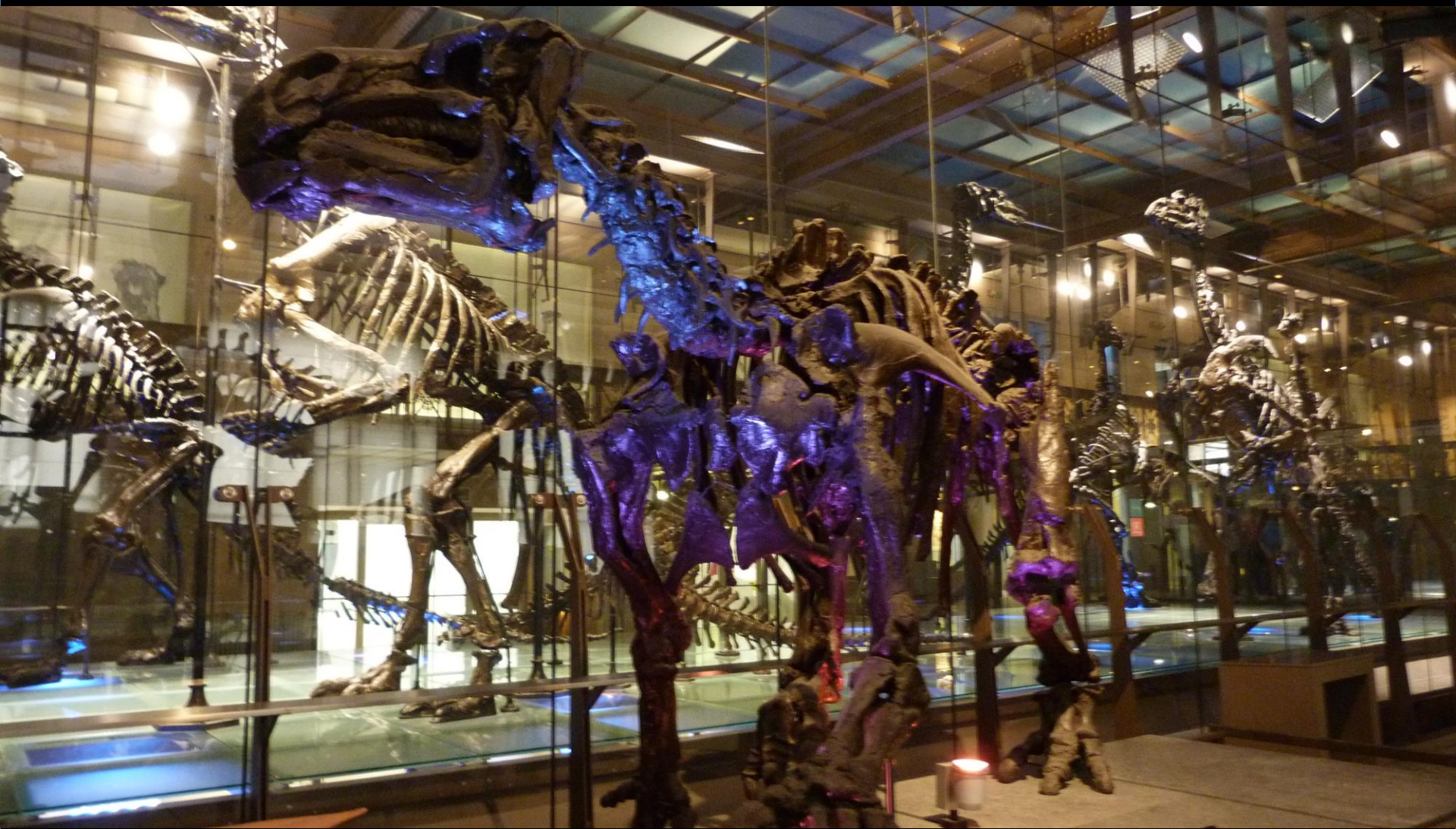


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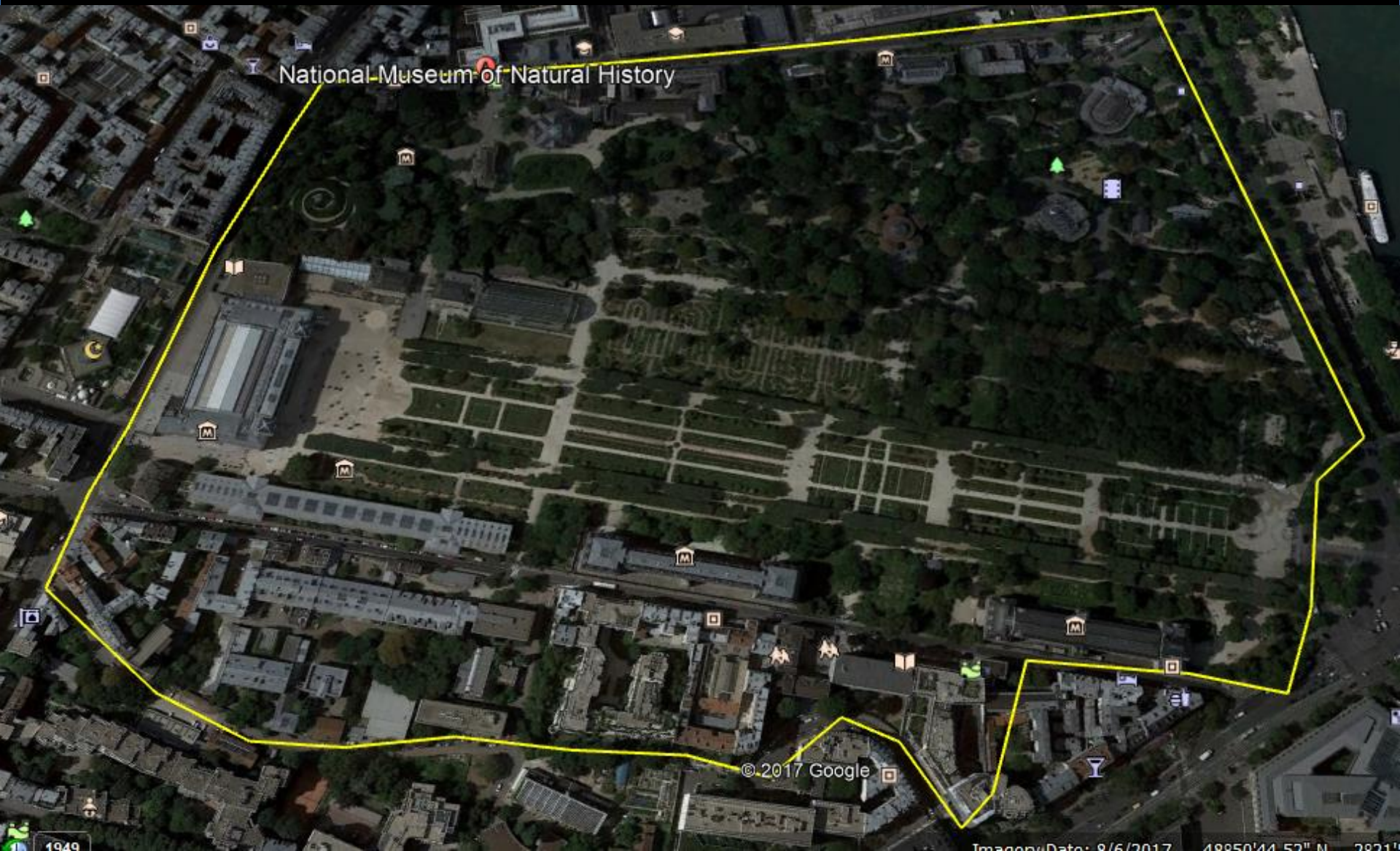
Iguanodon bernissartensis 130-120 Ma

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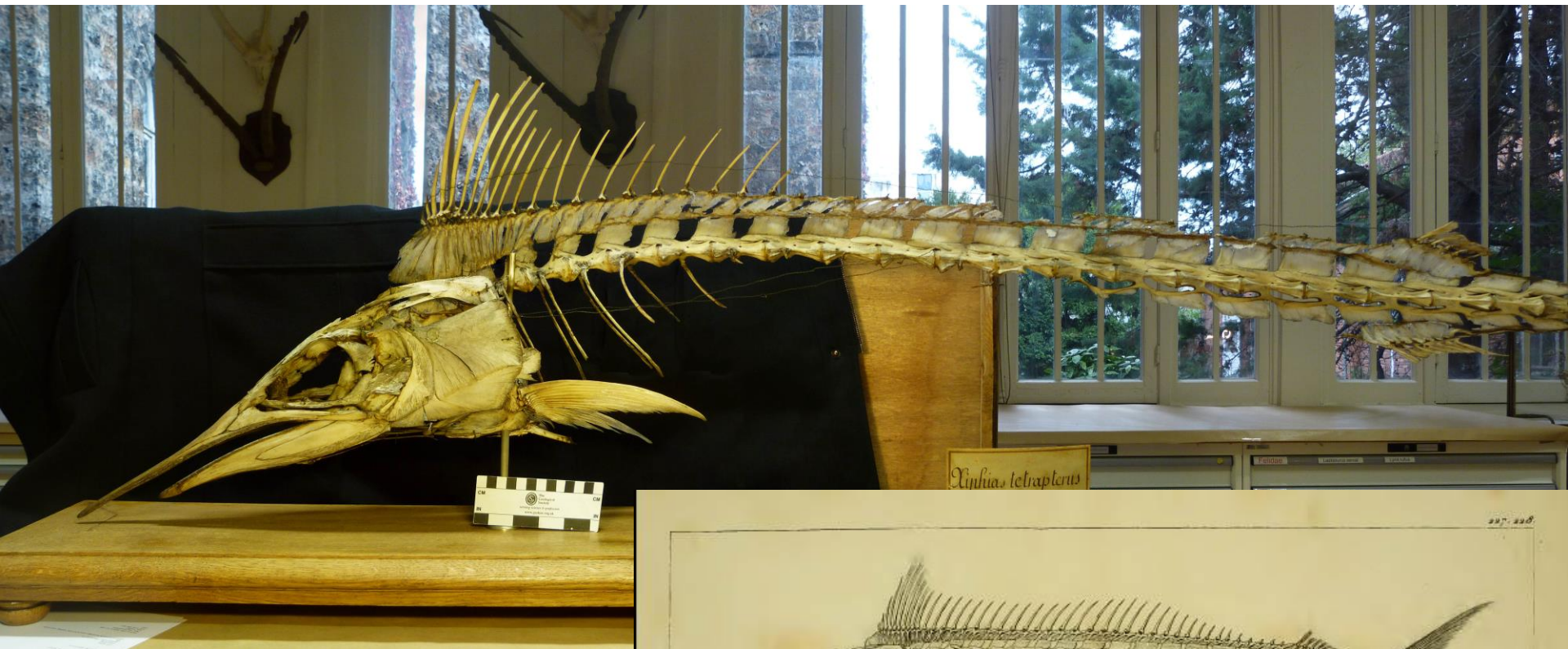


National Museum of Natural History

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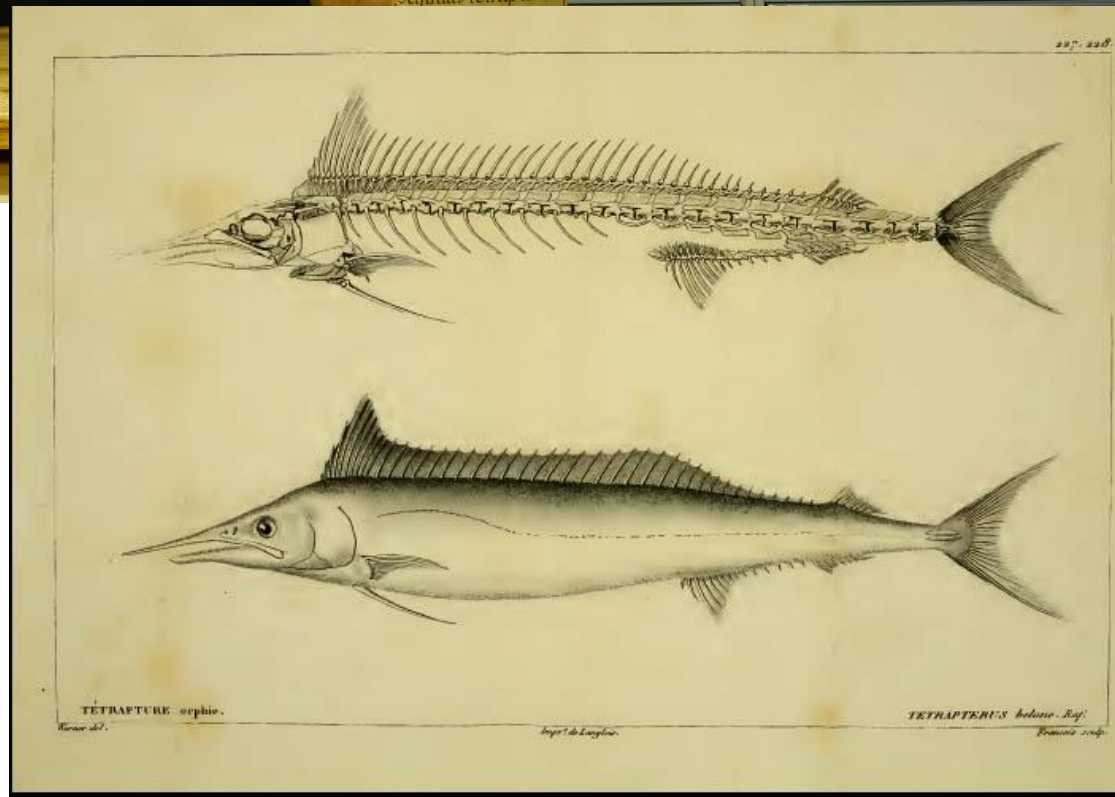
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Tetrapturus Belone

Rafinesque 1810

Cuvier 1831



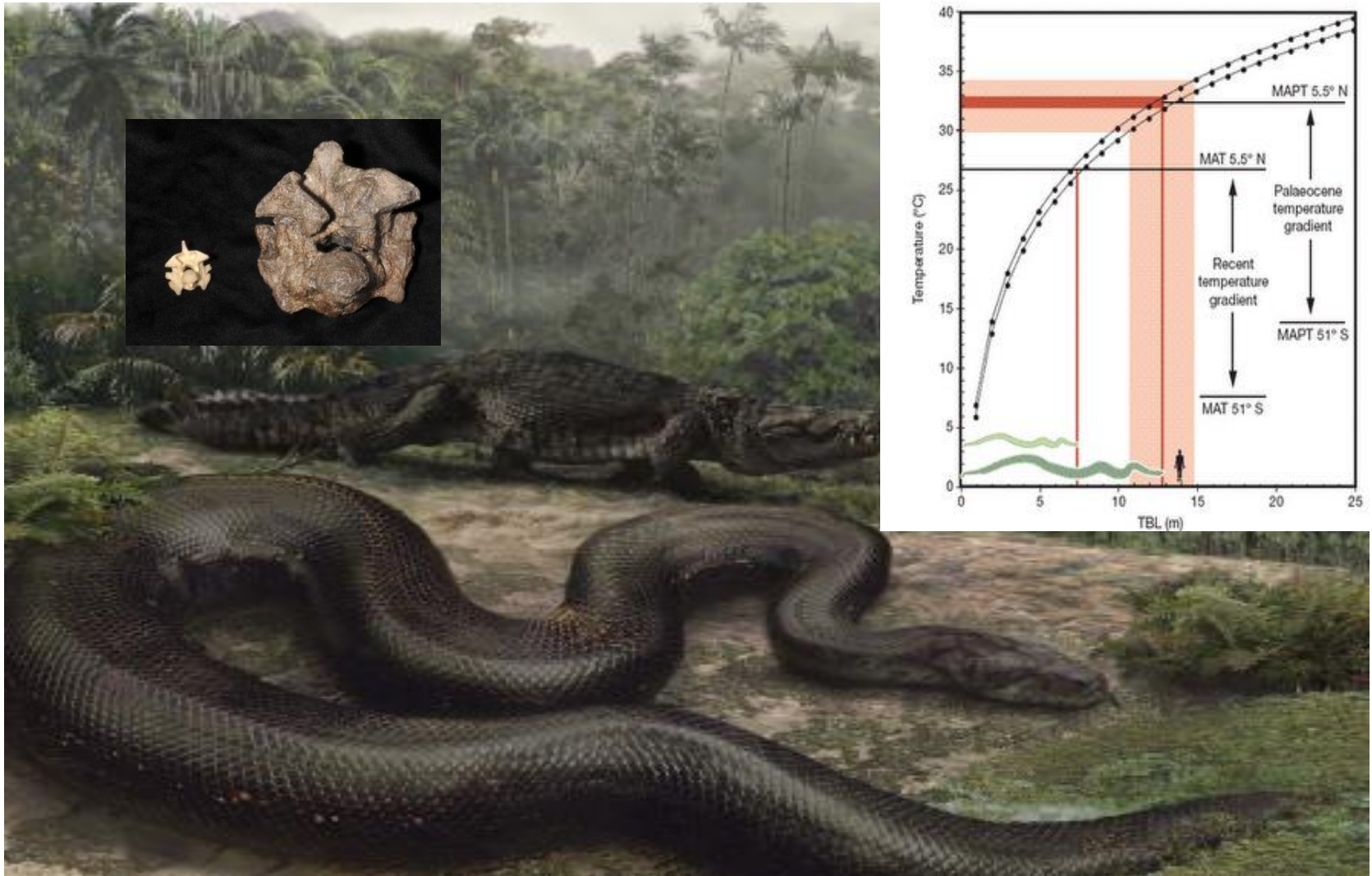
FÓSILES, ECOLOGÍA Y CONSERVACIÓN



Fishermen in the 1930s with their catch of swordfish. Smithsonian Institution Archives

CALENTAMIENTO GLOBAL EN EL PALEOCENO 65Ma

Máximo Térmico del Paleoceno-Eoceno (65-55Ma)



Titanoboa cerrejonensis es mas antigua que el MTPE (Head *et al.* 2009, Nature)

Son los bosques tropicales mas antiguos conocidos (Jaramillo *et al.* 2006, Science)

Caribbean Reef Development Was Independent of Coral Diversity over 28 Million Years

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The relationship between natural variations in coral species diversity, reef development, and ecosystem function on coral reefs is poorly understood. Recent coral diversity varies 10-fold among geographic regions, but rates of reef growth are broadly similar, suggesting that diversity is unimportant for reef development. Differences in diversity may reflect regional differences in long-term biotic history in addition to environmental conditions. Using a combination of new and published fossil and stratigraphic data, we compared changes in coral diversity and reef development within the tropical western Atlantic over the past 28 million years. Reef development was unrelated to coral diversity, and the largest reef tracts formed after extinction had reduced diversity by 50%. High diversity is thus not essential for the growth and persistence of coral reefs.

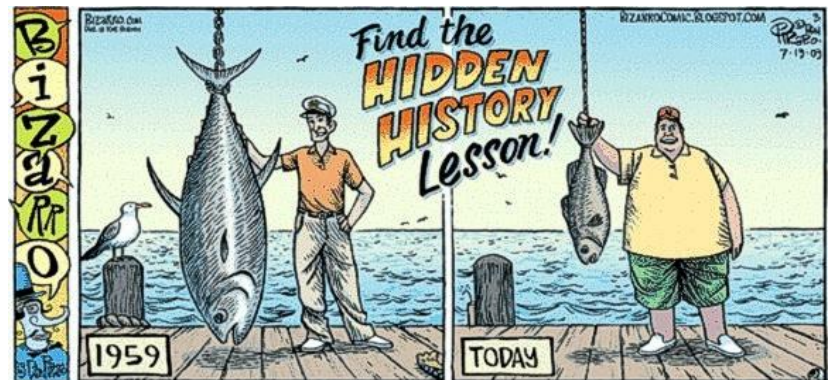




Historical Overfishing and the Recent Collapse of Coastal Ecosystems

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Ecological extinction caused by overfishing precedes all other pervasive human disturbance to coastal ecosystems, including pollution, degradation of water quality, and anthropogenic climate change. Historical abundances of large consumer species were fantastically large in comparison with recent observations. Paleoecological, archaeological, and historical data show that time lags of decades to centuries occurred between the onset of overfishing and consequent changes in ecological communities, because unfished species of similar trophic level assumed the ecological roles of overfished species until they too were overfished or died of epidemic diseases related to overcrowding. Retrospective data not only help to clarify underlying causes and rates of ecological change, but they also demonstrate achievable goals for restoration and management of coastal ecosystems that could not even be contemplated based on the limited perspective of recent observations alone.



Grandes escalas de tiempo: Miles de años

CURRICULUM AND EDUCATION

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Engaging students in paleontology: the design and implementation of an undergraduate-level blended course in Panama

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Abstract

Despite the fact that Latin-American countries present ideal environments to train young scientists, most of these countries lack local scientific capacity. Here I describe the design and implementation of an undergraduate-level blended course on paleontology. The course was taught in 2012 to 10 biology majors from the University of Panama and it had three main foci: (1) a design grounded in a theoretical framework that supports meaningful learning; (2) the application of concepts and skills to the region where the students live, making the learning experience relevant and authentic; and (3) a strong research and science-communication component that allowed students to experience real-life situations (i.e. those commonly faced by scientists throughout their careers). These components contributed synergistically to engage students with paleontology, a field not formally taught in their country. This work can be applied to different disciplines in science and to different levels in students' scientific training.

Keywords: Geology, Nature of science, Online learning, Role-playing

Estudiantes y la paleontología



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