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Size Matters: What Recent Primate Models of Sexual Dimorphism Can (and Can't) Tell Us about Hominin Behavior

Summarizing our current understanding of the pattern of sexual dimorphism in hominin evolution, and how recent models might illuminate the evolution of hominin social behavior

Bio: Dr. Plavcan has spent almost three decades studying the evolution of sexual dimorphism in primates and its meaning in the fossil record. Currently he is co-director of the West Turkana Paleo Project, carrying out field work in West Turkana, Kenya, and is the Editor of the Journal of Human Evolution.



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