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## **Special Issue on Paleontology**

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- Evolution of paleozoic marine organisms
- Evolution of early life
- Ancient pathology
- Biological mineralogy
- Biostratigraphy
- Paleobiochemistry
- Paleobiogeography

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