Journal of Ethnobiology Call for Papers

Indigenous Peoples & Climate Change

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Climate change has become a matter of life and death or many people across the world. While research relying on big data has immensely advanced our understanding on how climate change has affected the earth system, there is a strong scientific consensus that current research remains too coarse to capture the social, cultural, and ecological nuances experienced by local communities.

This special issue of the Journal of Ethnobiology will provide a fined-grained analysis of the multi-dimensional effects of climate change on Indigenous Peoples from around the world. Collectively, the papers will address key questions related to the intersection of local communities, science, and policy. Topics for submission may include: Indigenous knowledge of climate change, specific knowledge domains (weather, plants), perceptions of climate change (drivers, manifestations, impacts), Indigenous communities' vulnerability, resilience, adaptations, socio-cultural reponses, scholarly work, and policy.

