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I. Academic & Museum Appointments

- Since 2012 Professor
Department of Organismal Biology and Anatomy & the College
Committee on Evolutionary Biology
The University of Chicago
- Since 2012 Research Associate
Field Museum of Natural History
- 2004 - Jan 2012 Associate Director of Research and Collections
Carnegie Museum of Natural History
- 2007 - 2008 Acting Co-Director
Carnegie Museum of Natural History
- 1996-2012 Curator (2003 – 2012)
Associate Curator (1999-2002)
Assistant Curator (1996-1999)
Section of Vertebrate Paleontology
Carnegie Museum of Natural History
- 1996-2012 Adjunct Professor (2005 – 2012)
Adjunct Associate Professor (2000-2005)
Adjunct Assistant Professor (1996-99)
Departments of Biological Sciences & Geological and Planetary Sciences
University of Pittsburgh
- 1991-1996 Assistant Professor
Department of Biology & Grice Marine Biological Laboratory
College of Charleston, South Carolina

II. Education & Training

- 1989-1991 Postdoctoral Fellow
Museum of Comparative Zoology
Harvard University - Adviser: Prof. (emeritus) A. W. Crompton
- Ph.D. 1989 University of California at Berkeley, Paleontology
- 1983-1988 Museum of Paleontology & Department of Paleontology
University of California at Berkeley - Adviser: Prof. (emeritus): W. A. Clemens
- B.S. 1982 **Nanjing University, Nanjing, China**, Geology & Paleontology

III. Honors, Awards & Fellowships

- Humboldt-Forschungspreis** (Alexander von Humboldt-Stiftung)
Humboldt Award for Senior Scientists, Humboldt Foundation, Germany, 2007
- Outstanding Overseas Chinese Young Scientist Award**
Earth Sciences Division, National Natural Science Foundation of China, 2004
- CAREER Award**, National Science Foundation, USA, 1996
- Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor Award**, UC, Berkeley, 1988
- Anne Alexander Fellowship**, Museum of Paleontology, UC, Berkeley, 1984-85

IV. Museum Administrative Experience

January 2007 Acting Co-Director
- March 2008 Carnegie Museum of Natural History

2004-2012 Associate Director of Research & Collections
Carnegie Museum of Natural History

V. Museum Curator Experience (partial list)

Tour leader
China's Ancient Silk Road (2002 and 2010)
Travel with Carnegie Museums of Pittsburgh Guests and Supporters

Curatorial Participation in Exhibit Development (1996-2008)
Dinosaurs In Their Time Exhibition, Carnegie Museum of Natural History

International Collaboration on Exhibition
Extinction of Dinosaurs and Rise of Mammals (2008)
Fukui Prefectural Dinosaur Museum, Fukui, JAPAN

Project Coordinator and Curator
China's Feathered Dinosaurs Exhibit (1998)
Carnegie Museum of Natural History

Co-organizer of the Earth Explorers Evening Lecture Series (2002)
Carnegie Museum of Natural History

NSF-Principal Investigator and Co-convenor
The US-China Workshop on Geology and Paleontology: Critical Transitions in History of Life
(2005, Washington, DC; 2006, Beijing, China)

Curatorial responsibilities: Accumulating and maintenance of collection of fossil vertebrates;
supervising preparation laboratory staff; receiving extramural scientific visitors to Carnegie
Museum; providing loans of research materials for extramural researchers; field paleontological
expeditions; providing consultation for other museums on exhibits.

VI. Public Outreach and Science Education (partial list):

1997-2012: More than 50 popular public scientific lectures as a museum curator and
paleontologist, for non-scientific audience on the topics of Mesozoic mammal evolution, fossil
cetaceans, and field exploration for Mesozoic vertebrates.

- National Geographic Magazine, Cover feature of the April 2003 issue ("Rise of Mammals")
- NHK (Japan National Broadcasting Corporation)
Mammals vs. Dinosaurs – Secrets of Mammalian Survival (2007)
- NHK (Japan National Broadcasting Corporation)
Evolution of Mammals (2010 Scientific TV program in two episodes)

1997-2012: over 400 interviews with international, national and local press and news media
organizations regarding scientific discoveries of early mammals, Carnegie Museum's new exhibit
Dinosaurs In Their Time, on various museum affairs, on the major new discoveries of early
mammal fossils, on behalf of the Carnegie Museum of Natural History.

VII. Extramural Research Grants (Partial List)

2006-2012	National Science Foundation Grant (EF0629959) Awarded to Zhe-Xi Luo & John R. Wible (co-PI's) Carnegie Museum of Natural History (PI-institution)
Project title:	ATOL (Assembly of Tree of Life): "Collaborative Research: Resolving Mammalian Phylogeny with Genomic and Morphological Approaches" Team proposal with five PI institutions (five PI's and about 20 co-PIs): AMNH (the lead institution) (PI & PD – Michael J. Novacek), CMNH (PI institution), Stony Brook University (PI institution), Texas A & M University (PI institution), and University of California at Riverside (PI institution).
2005-2007	National Science Foundation Grant (EAR 0534155 – EAR0634718) awarded to Zhe-Xi Luo (PI), Y. Jin, D. H. Erwin & S. A. Bowring (co-conveners)
Project Title:	China-US Collaborative Research On Critical Transitions In History Of Life (workshops).
2004-2006	National Natural Science Foundation of China (NSFC) (Grant 40328004) "Outstanding Overseas Chinese Young Scientist Award" to Zhe-Xi Luo (PI) Evolutionary studies of early mammals.
2003-2007	National Science Foundation Grant (DEB 0316558) awarded to Zhe-Xi Luo (PI) New mammals of Early Cretaceous and Their Implications for Deep Mammalian Phylogeny.
2001-2002	National Geographic Society Grant (7042-01) awarded to Zhe-Xi Luo (PI) & Hai-Lu You (co-PI). Fossil Vertebrates of the Lower Cretaceous in Gansu, Northwestern China.
1996-2001	National Science Foundation Grant (DEB 95-27892) awarded to Zhe-Xi Luo (PI) CAREER: A 3-D Graphic Study of the Skull Evolution in Early Mammals and Advanced Cynodonts.
1994-1998	National Science Foundation Grant (DEB 94-19898) awarded to Zhe-Xi Luo (PI) Phylogenetic Analyses of the Cetacean Basal Cranium and Inner Ear, and Study of the Cetacean Relationships.
1994-96	National Geographic Society Grant (5338-94) awarded to Zhe-Xi Luo (PI) & Xiao-Chun Wu (co-PI) Fossil Vertebrates of the Lower Lufeng Formation, Yunnan, China.
1994-95	NSF REU Summer Research Funding (Through Medical University of South Carolina). Inner ear Structures of Ungulates and Whales.
1993	Bio-Engineering Alliance of South Carolina Grant (1993) awarded to Zhen Zhang & Zhe-Xi Luo. 3-D Model of the Mammalian Cochlear Basilar membrane.
1989-1992	National Science Foundation Grant (DEB 8818098-DEB9020034) awarded to A. W. Crompton (PI), Zhe-Xi Luo (Postdoctoral associate) The Cranial Structure of Chinese Liassic Mammals and Tritylodontids

VIII. Field Exploration in Paleontology and Geology

As Team Leader:

- 1997- Lower Cretaceous (Xinminbao Group), Gansu Province, China (with Hailu You)
2002
- 1997 Cretaceous beds of Inner Mongolia, China
- 1988, Upper Triassic and Lower-Middle Jurassic Red Beds
1994, (Yipinglang Group, Lower and Upper Lufeng Formations)
2000 Yunnan Province, China
- 1995, Jurassic Beds (Zhenzhuchong and Shaximiao Formations)
1999 Sichuan Province, China
- 1999 Upper Cretaceous (Intertrappean Beds) and Lower Jurassic (Kota Formation)
Andhra Pradesh, India.
- 1992- Tertiary marine and coastal deposits & cetacean faunas
1996 South Carolina, North Carolina, Maryland, and Virginia
Support: National Science Foundation; Faculty Grants from College of Charleston

In collaboration with other investigators:

- 2008 Cretaceous Winton Formation, Queensland, Australia
(Dr. Steve Salisbury, Team leader, University of Queensland, Dr. Matthew Lamanna, Carnegie Museum).
- 2000 Paleocene-Eocene of Tibet, China (also reconnaissance of the Mesozoic and Pliocene)
(K. C. Beard, team leader; D. Gebo, Z.-X. Luo, Y.-Q. Wang, J-W Guo and T. Qi team members)
- 1999 Early Cretaceous Yixian and Fuxin Formations of Liaoning Province, China
-2013 (With Professor Qiang Ji of National Geological Museum of China, and Chinese Academy of Geological Sciences, Beijing)
- 1999 Late Jurassic Morrison Formation in Colorado, USA (with John R. Wible)
-2004

IX. Experience in University Teaching (Partial List)

Natural History of Medicine (elective course) By curators at the Carnegie Museum for medical graduate students of University Pittsburgh School of Medicine (one of the four co-instructors)

Evolutionary Biology (co-instructor: University of Pittsburgh)

Vertebrate Comparative Anatomy (College of Charleston)

Gross Human Anatomy (College of Charleston)

General Biology (College of Charleston)

X. Academic & Professional Services (partial list):

Member of the Editorial Board (2010 – Present)
Proceedings of the Royal Society (London) – Biological Sciences (Series B)

Panel Member of National Science Foundation (US)

The 2012 External Advisory Committee (Chair)
High-Resolution Computed Tomography Laboratory (UTCT)
University of Texas at Austin

Co-Chair of Host Committee
The 70th Annual Meeting of Society of Vertebrate Paleontology
Pittsburgh, PA (Hosted by Carnegie Museum of Natural History)

The MacArthur Foundation (Chicago, USA)

Invited external reviewers (Multiple reviews)
Ministry of Science and Technology, The Government of China

Member of the 2009 International Review Committee
Institute of Zoology (Beijing)
(convened by the Administration of Chinese Academy of Sciences)

Member of International Committee of 2004 Institutional Review
The Nanjing Institute of Geology and Palaeontology
(convened by Administration of Chinese Academy of Sciences)

Member of Editorial Board (2005 to present)
Geological Journal of Chinese Universities (Nanjing University, China)

Member of Editorial Board (2005 to present)
PalaeoWorld
(Nanjing Institute of Geology and Palaeontology, Chinese Academy of Sciences)
(Published by Elsevier, Netherlands)

Member of the Lazendorf PaleoArt Committee (2004-2008)
Society of Vertebrate Paleontology

Member of Editorial Board (2003 to present)
Journal of Mammalian Evolution (Springer, Netherlands)

Associate Editor and Editor (2001- 2009)
Journal of Vertebrate Paleontology

Member-at-Large & Executive Committee (1998-2001)
Society of Vertebrate Paleontology (Elected 1998)

Member of Editorial Board (1997 to present)
Vertebrata PalAsiatica
(Institute of Vertebrate Paleontology & Paleoanthropology, Chinese Academy of Sciences)

Chairman of Graduate Admission Committee (1994-1996)
Marine Biology Graduate Program, College of Charleston, South Carolina

Member of Faculty Research and Development Committee (1992-1994), College of Charleston

Various museum and administrative committees (more than 50 during 1996-2012)
Carnegie Museum of Natural History

XI. External Reviewers for Publications and Granting Agencies (Partial list)

High-Impact Journals

Nature (UK)
Science (USA)
Proceedings of National Academy of Sciences (USA)

Major Research Journals

Acta Palaeontologica Polonica (Poland)
BMC – Evolutionary Biology (USA)
Cladistics (USA)
Comptus Rendus (PalEvol) (France)
Evolutionary Biology
Evolutionary Development (UK)
Geology (USA)
Italian Journal of Zoology (Italy)
Journal of Anatomy (UK)
Journal of Mammalogy (USA)
Journal of Mammalian Evolution (USA)
Journal of Morphology (USA)
Journal of Paleontology (USA)
Journal of Vertebrate Paleontology (USA)
Lethaia (Sweden)
Molecular Phylogenetics and Evolution
Nature-Communications (UK)
Naturwissenschaften (Germany)
Palaeoecology, Paleoclimatology, Paleobiogeography (Netherlands)
Paläontologische Zeitschrift (Germany)
Palaeontology (UK)
Paleobiology (USA)
PLoS-Biology (USA)
PLoS-One (USA)
Proceedings of Royal Society of London (UK)
Progress In Natural Science (National Natural Science Foundation) (China)
Systematic Biology (USA)
TREE - Trends in Ecology & Evolution (UK)
Zoological Journal of Linnean Society (UK)

Specialty Research Journals

American Museum Novitates (USA)
American Museum of Natural History Bulletin (USA)
Ameghiana (Argentina)
Aquatic Mammals (USA)
Bulletin of Museum of Comparative Zoology (Harvard University) (USA)
Geodiversitas - Bulletin National Muséum d'Histoire Naturelle, Paris (France)
Geologica Belgica (Belgium)
PaleoBios (UC Berkeley) (USA)
Palaeontologica Electronica (palaeo-electronica.org)
Palaeobiodiversity & Palaeoenvironments (Senckenbergische Naturforschende Gesellschaft)
(Germany);
Palaeontologia Africana (South Africa)
PaleoVertebrata Sinica (China)
Vertebrata PalAsiatica (Chinese Academy of Sciences, China)
Revista Brasileira De Paleontologia (Brazil)
Smithsonian Contributions to Zoology (Washington, DC, USA)

Zoological Research (Kunming Institute of Zoology, Chinese Academy of Sciences) (China).

Publishing Agencies & Presses

Blackwell Publishing (Oxford, UK)
Cambridge University Press (UK)
Columbia University Press (New York)
Harper-Collins Academic (London)
The Indiana University Press (Bloomington, IN)
The Johns Hopkins University Press
Plenum Press (New York)
Princeton University Press
Springer-Verlag (New York and Hamburg)
Smithsonian Institution Press (Washington, DC)
The University of Chicago Press (Chicago)
University of California Press (Berkeley, CA)
World Scientific Publishing (New Jersey).

Funding Agencies

USA: National Science Foundation, USA (for six different panels); the U.S. Civilian Research and Development Foundation (CRDF); National Geographic Society (Research and Exploration Committee); The Paleontological Society; American Chemical Society (Petroleum Research Fund); The MacArthur Foundation (Chicago).
China: the National Science Foundation of China (NSFC, for three different programs); Ministry of Science and Technology, the Government of China
Europe: Deutsch Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG) (Germany); Biotechnology and Biological Sciences Research Council (Genes and Development Committee) (UK), The Leverhulme Trust (UK); Research Council of Norway
Others: Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) of India; National Research Foundation of South Africa
Institutional Funding Reviews: National Museum of Natural History, Smithsonian Institution, USA; Canadian Museum of Nature (Ottawa, Canada); South Carolina Bioengineering Council (US).

XIII. Publications (full length research papers excluding abstracts, book reviews, public commentaries and popular scientific articles)

Book

- 90) Kielan-Jaworowska, Z., R. L. Cifelli, and **Z.-X. Luo**. 2004. *Mammals from the Age of Dinosaurs: Origins, Evolution, and Structure*. Columbia University Press, New York. Pp. i-xv, 1-630; 239 figures.

Edited Volumes of Symposium Proceedings

- 89) Xu, X., **Luo, Z.-X.** and J.-Y. Rong (Guest Editors). 2010. Recent Advances in Chinese Palaeontology. Proceedings of Royal Society, Series B (Biological Sciences) 277 (1679): 161-344 (Print issue published on January 22, 2010, after online publications of the papers in this volume during 2009) (Special Issue on Paleontology of China, organized and edited by Xu, Luo and Rong, at the invitation of the Editorial Board of Proceedings of Royal Society)

- 88) Beard, K. C. and **Z.-X. Luo** (Editors). 2007. Mammalian Paleontology On A Global Stage: Papers In Honor of Mary R. Dawson. Bulletin of Carnegie Museum of Natural History 39: 1-234.

- 87) Polly, P. D., Springer, M. S. and **Z.X. Luo** (Editors). 2005. Journal of Mammalian Evolution – the Clemens Special Volume. Journal of Mammalian Evolution, Volume 12 (Issues 1/2 3/4): 1-552.

XVII. Publications (full length research papers excluding abstracts, reviews, invited commentaries and popular scientific articles)

2013 and In Press

- 86) **Z.-X. Luo** (accepted). Early evolution of the mammalian shoulder girdle. Pp.##-##. In: K. P. Dial, E. L. Brainerd & N. H. Shubin (eds.) Great Transformations: Major Events in the History of Vertebrate Life - Festschrift in Honor of Professor Farish A. Jenkins, Jr. The University of California Press.

- 85) Yuan, C.-X., Ji, Q., Meng, Q.-J. and **Z.-X. Luo**. 2013. Earliest evolution of multituberculate mammals revealed by a new Jurassic fossil. SCIENCE 341: 779-783.

- 84) Zhou, C.-F., Wu, S., Martin, T. and **Z.-X. Luo**. 2013. A Jurassic mammaliaform and the earliest mammalian evolutionary adaptations. NATURE 500: 163-168 (doi:10.1038/nature12429).

- 83) Ruf, I., **Z.-X. Luo**, and T. Martin. 2013. Re-investigation of the basicranium of *Haldanodon exspectatus* (Docodonta, Mammaliaformes). Journal of Vertebrate Paleontology 33:382-400.

- 82) O'Leary, M. A., Bloch, J. I., Flynn, J. J., Gaudin, T. J., Giallombardo, A., Giannini, N. P., Goldberg, S. L., Kraatz, B. P., **Luo Z.-X.**, Meng, J., Ni, X., Novacek, M. J., Perini, F. A., Randall, Z. S., Rougier, G. W., Sargis, E. J., Silcox, M. T., Simmons, N. B., Spaulding, M., Velazco, P. M., Weksler, M., Wible, J. R., and A. L. Cirranello. 2013. The placental mammal ancestor and the post-K-Pg radiation of placentals. SCIENCE 339: 662-667.

2012

- 81) **Luo, Z.-X.**, I. Ruf and T. Martin. 2012. The petrosal and inner ear of the Late Jurassic cladotherian mammal *Dryolestes leiriensis* and implications for evolution of ear in therian mammals. Zoological Journal of Linnean Society (London) 166:433-463.

2012

- 81) **Luo, Z.-X.**, I. Ruf and T. Martin. 2012. The petrosal and inner ear of the Late Jurassic cladotherian mammal *Dryolestes leiriensis* and implications for evolution of ear in therian mammals. *Zoological Journal of Linnean Society (London)*. 166:433-463.
- 80) Chen, M. and **Z.-X. Luo**. 2012. Postcranial skeleton of the Cretaceous mammal *Akidolestes cifelli* and its locomotor adaptations. *Journal of Mammalian Evolution*. (DOI10.1007/s10914-012-9199-9) (Online version published in 2012; print version published in 2013)

2011

- 79) **Luo, Z.-X.** 2011. Developmental patterns in Mesozoic evolution of mammal ears. *Annual Review of Ecology, Evolution and Systematics* 42: 355–80 (10.1146/annurev-ecolsys-032511-142302).
- 78) **Luo, Z.-X.**, C.-X. Yuan, Q.-J. Meng, and Q. Ji. 2011. A Jurassic eutherian mammal and the divergence of marsupials and placentals. *NATURE* 476: 442-445 (doi:10.1038/nature10291)
- 77) Rowe, T. B., T. E. Macrini, and **Z.-X. Luo**. 2011. Fossil evidence on origin of the mammalian brain. *SCIENCE* 332: 955-957 (DOI: 10.1126/science.1203117).

2010

- 76) **Luo, Z.-X.**, I. Ruf, J. A. Schultz, and T. Martin. 2011. Fossil evidence on evolution of inner ear cochlea in Jurassic mammals. *Proceedings of Royal Society Series-B (Biological Sciences)* 278: 28-34 (doi: 10.1098/rspb.2010.1148). Published online in July 28, 2010.
- 75) **Luo, Z.-X.** 2010. Evolutionary Development and Homoplasy of the Middle Ear in Early Mammal Evolution. Pp. 163-179. In: Darwin's Heritage Today (Manyuan Long, Zhonghe Zhou and Hongya Gu, editors). China Higher Education Press. Beijing, China.

2009

- 74) Ji, Q., **Z.-X. Luo**, X.-L. Zhang, C.-X. Yuan, and L. Xu. 2009. Evolutionary development of the middle ear in Mesozoic therian mammals. *SCIENCE* 326:278-231 (DOI:10.1126/science.1187501).
- 73) Gao, C.-L., G. P. Wilson, **Z.-X. Luo**, A. M. Maga, Q.-J. Meng, and Wang, X.-R. 2009. A new mammal skull from the Lower Cretaceous of China with implications for the evolution of obtuse angled molars and amphilestid eutrichodonts. *Proceedings of Royal Society (London) Series B (Biological Sciences)*. 277:237-246 (doi:10.1098/rspb.2009.1014)
- 72) Ruf, I., **Z.-X. Luo**, J. R. Wible, and T. Martin. 2009. Petrosal Anatomy and Inner Ear Structure of the Late Jurassic Mammal *Henkelotherium* And the Ear Region Characters of Basal Therian Mammals. *Journal of Anatomy*. 214: 679-693. doi:10.1111/j.1469-7580.2009.01059.x

2008

- 71) Chen, M. and **Z.-X. Luo**. 2008. Morphology of dentition and postcranial skeleton of *Akidolestes*. *Acta Geologica Sinica (Chinese Edition)* 82(2): 155-164 (with English Abstract).
- 70) You, H.-L. and **Z.-X. Luo**. 2008. Dinosaurs from the Lower Cretaceous Gonpoquan Basin in Jiuquan Area, Gansu Province, China. *Acta Geologica Sinica (Chinese Edition)* 82(1): 139-144. (with English Abstract).

2007

- 69) **Luo, Z.-X.** 2007. Transformation and diversification in the early mammalian evolution. *NATURE* 450: 1011-1019.
- 68) **Luo, Z. X.**, Q. Ji and C.-X. Yuan. 2007. Convergent dental evolution in pseudotribosphenic and tribosphenic mammals. *NATURE* 450: 93-97.
- 67) **Luo, Z.-X.**, P.-J. Chen, G. Li, and M. Chen. 2007. A new eutrichodont mammal and evolutionary development of early mammals. *NATURE* 446: 288-293.
- 66) **Luo, Z.-X.**, and T. Martin. 2007. Analysis of molar structure and phylogeny of docodontan genera. *Bulletin of Carnegie Museum of Natural History* 39: 27-47.

- 65) **Luo, Z.-X.** 2007. Successive diversifications in early mammalian evolution. Pp. 337-391. In: Major Transitions In Vertebrate Evolution (J. S. Anderson and H.-D. Sues, eds.). Indiana University Press, Bloomington and Indianapolis, Indiana.

2006

- 64) Ji, Q., **Z.-X. Luo**, C.-X. Yuan, and A. R. Tabrum. 2006. A swimming mammaliaform from the Middle Jurassic and ecomorphological diversification of early mammals. SCIENCE 311: 1123-1127. (Featured on Cover).
- 63) Li, G., and **Z.-X. Luo**. 2006. A Cretaceous symmetrodont therian with some monotreme-like postcranial features. NATURE 439: 195-200.
- 62) Hurum, J. H., **Z.-X. Luo**, and Z. Kielan-Jaworowska. 2006. Were mammals originally venomous? Acta Palaeontologica Polonica 51(1): 1-11.

2005

- 61) **Luo, Z.-X.**, and J. R. Wible. 2005. A new Late Jurassic digging mammal and early mammalian diversification. SCIENCE 308: 103-107.
- 60) Martin, T., and **Z.-X. Luo**. 2005. Paleontology: Homoplasy in the Mammalian Ear. SCIENCE 307: 861-862.
- 59) **Luo, Z.-X.**, and Q. Ji. 2005. New study on dental and skeletal features of the Cretaceous mammal Zhangheotherium. Journal of Mammalian Evolution 12: 337-357.
- 58) Geisler, J. H., A. E. Sanders, and **Z.-X. Luo**. 2005. A new protocetid whale (Cetacea: Protocetidae) from the Middle Eocene of South Carolina, U.S.A. The American Museum Novitates 3480: 1-65.
- 57) **Luo, Z.-X.** 2005. Vertebrate Paleontology: Mesozoic mammals. Pp. 527-534. In, R. C. Selley, R. Cocks and I. Pilmer (editors): Encyclopedia of Geology (2004 Edition). Academic Press/Elsevier Science Ltd, Oxford and London.

2004

- 56) **Luo, Z.-X.**, Z. Kielan-Jaworowska, and R. L. Cifelli. 2004. Evolution of Dental Replacement in Mammals. Pp. 159 - 175, in Fanfare for an Uncommon Paleontologist - Festschrift in Honor of Dr. Malcolm C. McKenna, (M. R. Dawson, and J. A. Lillegraven, eds.). The Carnegie Museum of Natural History Bulletin 36: 159-175.
- 55) Dooley, A. C., Jr., N. C. Fraser, and **Z.-X. Luo**. 2004. The earliest member of the rorqual-gray whale (Mammalia, Cetacea). Journal of Vertebrate Paleontology 24: 453-463.
- 54) Datta, P. M., D. P. Das, and **Z.-X. Luo**. 2004. A Late Triassic dromatheriid (Cynodontia, Synapsida) from Tiki Formation of India. Annals of Carnegie Museum 73(2): 72-84.

2003

- 53) **Luo, Z.-X.**, Q. Ji, J. R. Wible, and C.-X. Yuan. 2003. An Early Cretaceous tribosphenic mammal and metatherian evolution. SCIENCE 302: 1934-1940.
- 52) You, H.-L., F. Tang, and **Z.-X. Luo**. 2003. A new basal titanosaur (Dinosauria: Sauropoda) from the Early Cretaceous of China. Acta Geologica Sinica (English Edition) (Beijing) 77: 424-429.
- 51) Shapiro, M. D., H.-L. You, N. H. Shubin, **Z.-X. Luo**, and J. P. Downs. 2003. A large ornithomimid from the Lower Cretaceous of the Mazongshan area, northern Gansu Province, People's Republic of China. Journal of Vertebrate Paleontology 23: 695-698.
- 50) You, H.-L., **Z.-X. Luo**, N. H. Shubin, L. M. Witmer, Z-L. Tang, and F. Tang. 2003. The earliest-known duck-billed dinosaur from deposits of late Early Cretaceous age in northwest China and hadrosaur evolution. Cretaceous Research 24: 347-355.

2002

- 49) Ji, Q., **Z.-X. Luo**, C-X. Yuan, J. R. Wible, J.-P. Zhang, and J. A. Georgi. 2002. The earliest known eutherian mammal. NATURE 416: 816-822.

- 48) Kielan-Jaworowska, Z., R. L. Cifelli, and **Z.-X. Luo**. 2002. Dental structure of Shuotherium and its relationships. *Acta Palaeontologica Polonica* 47: 479-486.
- 47) **Luo, Z.-X.**, Z. Kielan-Jaworowska, and R. L. Cifelli. 2002. In quest for a phylogeny of Mesozoic mammals. *Acta Palaeontologica Polonica* 47: 1-78.

2001

- 46) **Luo, Z.-X.**, A. W. Crompton, and A.-L. Sun. 2001. A new mammaliaform from the Early Jurassic of China and evolution of mammalian characteristics. *SCIENCE* 292: 1535-1540. (Featured on the cover).
- 45) **Luo, Z.-X.**, R. C. Cifelli, and Z. Kielan-Jaworowska. 2001. Dual origin of tribosphenic mammals. *NATURE* 409: 53-57. (Research article - with a News & Views commentary from Anne Weil).
- 44) Tang, F., **Z.-X. Luo**, Z.-H. Zhou, H.-L. You, J. A. Georgi, Z.-L. Tang, and X.-Z. Wang. 2001. Biostratigraphy and Paleoenvironment of the Dinosaur-bearing Sediments in Lower Cretaceous of Mazongshan Area, Gansu Province, China. *Cretaceous Research* 22: 115-129.
- 43) **Luo, Z.-X.** 2001. Inner ear and its bony housing in tritylodonts and implications for evolution of mammalian ear. Pp. 81-97, in Studies in Organismic and Evolutionary Biology in Honor of Alfred W. Crompton (F. A. Jenkins, M. D. Shapiro, and T. Owerkowicz, eds.). *Bulletin of Museum of Comparative Zoology, Harvard University* 156: 81-97.

2000

- 42) **Luo, Z.-X.** 2000. Evolution: in search of the whales' sisters. *NATURE* 404: 235– 239. (Invited News & Views Commentary on the relationships of cetaceans to ungulate mammals).

1999

- 41) **Luo, Z.-X.** 1999. A refugium of relicts. *NATURE* 400: 23-25. (Invited News & Views commentary on the age of the feathered dinosaur fauna in China).
- 40) **Luo, Z.-X.**, and P. D. Gingerich. 1999. Transition from terrestrial ungulates to aquatic whales: transformation of the basicranium and evolution of hearing. *Papers on Paleontology* 31: 1-98. Monograph Series of Museum of Paleontology, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.
- 39) Ji, Q., **Z.-X. Luo**, and S.-A. Ji. 1999. A Chinese triconodont mammal and mosaic evolution of mammalian skeleton. *NATURE* 398: 326-330.

1998

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- 2013 University of Chicago Center in Beijing
 University of Illinois College of Dentistry
 Natural History Museum, Harvard University
- 2012 Field Museum of Natural History, Chicago, Illinois
 Department of Geological Sciences, Indiana University
 Department of Biological Sciences, Duquesne University
 Carnegie Museum of Natural History
 EvMorph Seminar, University of Chicago
- 2011 Department of Organismal Biology and Anatomy, University of Chicago
 Paleontological Museum of Liaoning, China
 Institute of Paleontology, University of Zurich, Switzerland
 Institute of Functional Genomics of Lyon, École Normale Supérieure de Lyon, France
- 2010 Ecology, Evolution and Conservation Biology, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign
 Steinmann-Institut für Paläontologie, Universität Bonn, Germany
 Department of Zoology, University of Cambridge, UK
 The Santa Fe Institute, Santa Fe, New Mexico
- 2009 Café Scientifique (Pittsburgh), Carnegie Science Center (Pittsburgh)
 College of Life Sciences, Peking University, China
 A keynote speaker: 79 Jahrestagung der Paläontologischen Gesellschaft (2009), Germany
 Museum of Zoology, University of Cambridge, UK
 Humboldt Museum für Naturkunde zu Berlin, Germany
 Department of Biological Sciences, University of Pittsburgh
 The Wann Langston Lecture, University of Texas at Austin
 Department of Geosciences, Princeton University
- 2008 Department of Integrative Biology, University of California at Berkeley
 Field Museum of Natural History, Chicago, Illinois
 The Ermine Cowles Case Lecture, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan
 The Fukui Prefectural Dinosaur Museum, Japan
 Eye and Ear Institute, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine
 The Darwin Anniversary Keynote Lecture, College of Charleston, South Carolina
 Community Foundation of Upper St. Claire Township, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
- 2007 School of Biological Sciences, University of Hong Kong, China
 Café Scientifique (Pittsburgh)
 Institut für Paläontologie, Universität Bonn, Germany
 The Crafoord Symposium, Universität Tübingen, Germany
 University of Colorado Museum, Boulder, Colorado
 Northeastern Ohio Universities College of Medicine (NEOUCOM), Ohio
- 2006 Sigma Xi Society Chapter, GM Tech Center, General Motors Corporation
 Pittsburgh Rock Hound Club
- 2005 Denver Museum of Nature and Science
 Department of Organismic and Evolutionary Biology, Harvard University
 Department of Geology and Geophysics, Yale University
 Department of Biological Sciences, University of Pittsburgh
 Bell Museum of Natural History, University of Minnesota at Twin City
 Science Museum of Minnesota, St. Paul, Minnesota
 Saint Vincent College, Latrobe, PA

- 2004 Pittsburgh Children's Hospital Foundation & Carnegie Museum of Natural History
Department of Biological Anthropology and Anatomy, Duke University
Geological Society of Pittsburgh
Museum of Paleontology, University of California at Berkeley
- 2003 Hunt Botanical Institute, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA
Institute of Vertebrate Paleontology and Paleoanthropology, Beijing, China
School of Earth and Space Sciences, Peking University, Beijing, China
Department of Earth Sciences, Nanjing University, Nanjing, China
National Science Foundation of China, Beijing, China
Department of Biological Sciences, University of Pittsburgh
American Museum of Natural History, NY
Georgia Southern University, Statesboro, GA
Department of Geological Sciences, University of Texas at Austin
Carnegie Museum of Natural History Powdermill Nature Reserve (Rector, PA)
Department of Pathology, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine
Department of Geological and Planetary Sciences, University of Pittsburgh
- 2002 Center for Functional Anatomy and Evolution, The Johns Hopkins University
Humboldt Museum für Naturkunde zu Berlin, Germany
The Nanjing Institute of Geology & Palaeontology, China
Department of Earth Sciences, Nanjing University, China
The Shanghai Museum of Science and Technology, China
Carnegie Museum of Natural History Powdermill Nature Reserve (Rector, PA)
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