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Apelagic reef fishes: spandrels or evolutionary innovators?

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Pavillon Charles-Eugène-Marchand, salle Hydro-Québec (1210)

Apelagic fishes are species that do not produce larvae with a pelagic phase. In general, adults are sedentary, thus setting up a system where parents can predict the environment of the offspring. Low dispersal and local adaptation are common predictions, increasing the overall fitness of the species. Yet, these species are very rare, thus creating a puzzling paradox. Here, we will discuss the ecological and genomic characteristics of these species, and present potential explanations as to their evolutionary history.

Lunch et breuvages seront offerts.

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