

MEET THE AUTHORS AND ILLUSTRATORS



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Migrations (p. 8)



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**Rapid drying of large, deep lakes in the karst
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Will the Amazon survive a warmer world? (p. 16)



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Warm climates in the deep past (p. 18)



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Past global warming in the Basin of Mexico
 (p. 25)



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What can algae tell us about Antarctic sea ice 130,000 years ago? (p. 28)



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A gut-wrenching climate archive (p. 32)



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Better forecasts of sea ice change? (p. 38)



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Better forecasts of sea ice change? (p. 38)



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Better forecasts of sea ice change? (p. 38)



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The story of interglacial permafrost unraveled in frozen caves (p. 41)



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Stalagmite memories of ancient rainfall (p. 46)



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The mystery of the shells at the river bank (p. 51)



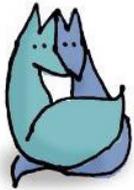
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From a secret cold war project to the future of the ice sheet (p. 56)



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Antarctic Foxes (p. 66)



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Antarctic Foxes (p. 66)



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