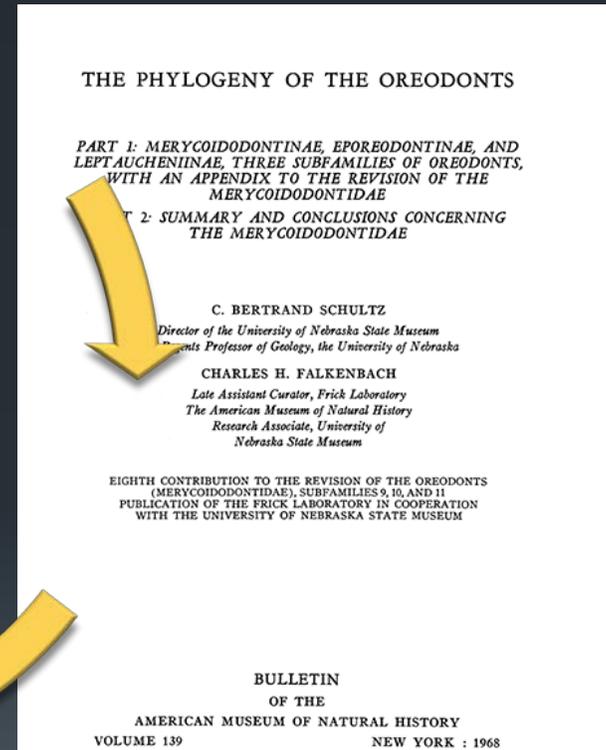


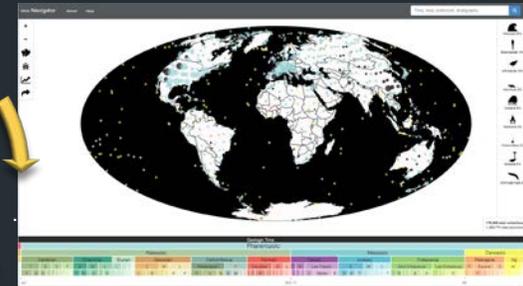
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Digital infrastructure and tools for collection discovery and use

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THE PHYLOGENY OF THE OREODONTS

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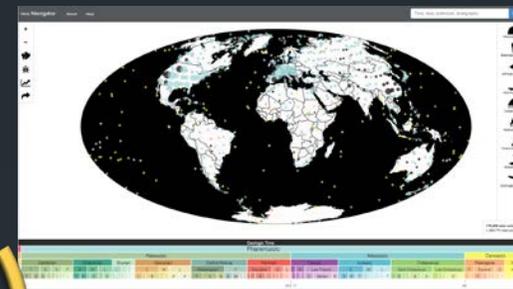
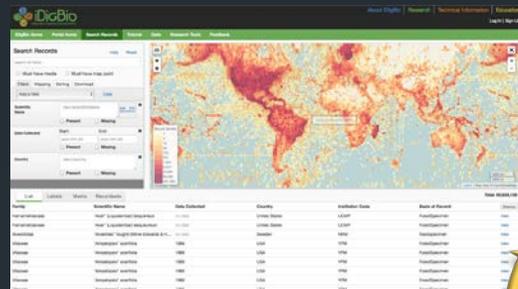
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EIGHTH CONTRIBUTION TO THE REVISION OF THE OREODONTI
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ePANDDA: seamless linkage of paleontological data from multiple sources

iDigPaleo: tools for discovering, saving, and sharing paleontological data

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fossil insect COLLABORATIVE



TCN: Fossil Insect Collaborative: A Deep-Time Approach to Studying Diversification and Response to Environmental Change

- Lead PIs: University of Colorado Museum of Natural History – Dena Smith (also now STEPPE GSA) and Talia Karim
- YPM PIs: Susan Butts and Chris Norris



Digitize and make available all the major collections of fossil insect specimens in the United States

Research Goals

- understand responses to environmental change and patterns of biodiversity through time
- phylogenetic reconstruction, evolution of morphological characteristics, and studies of overall patterns of diversification in deep time



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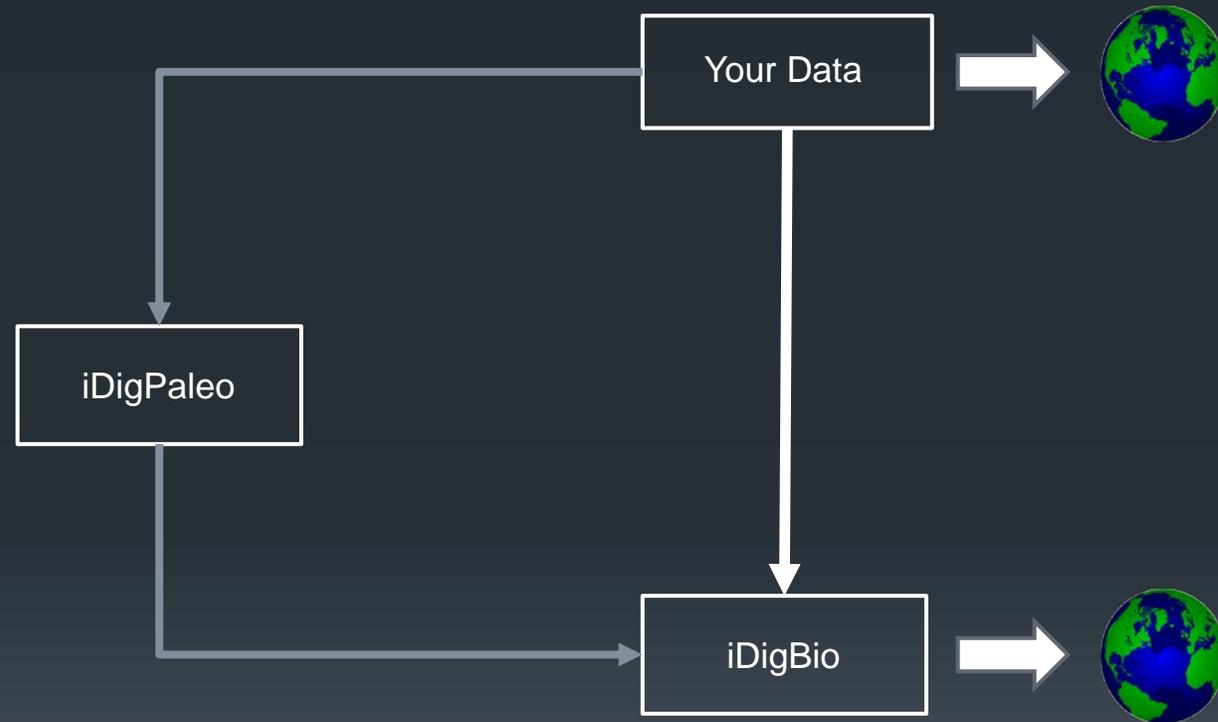


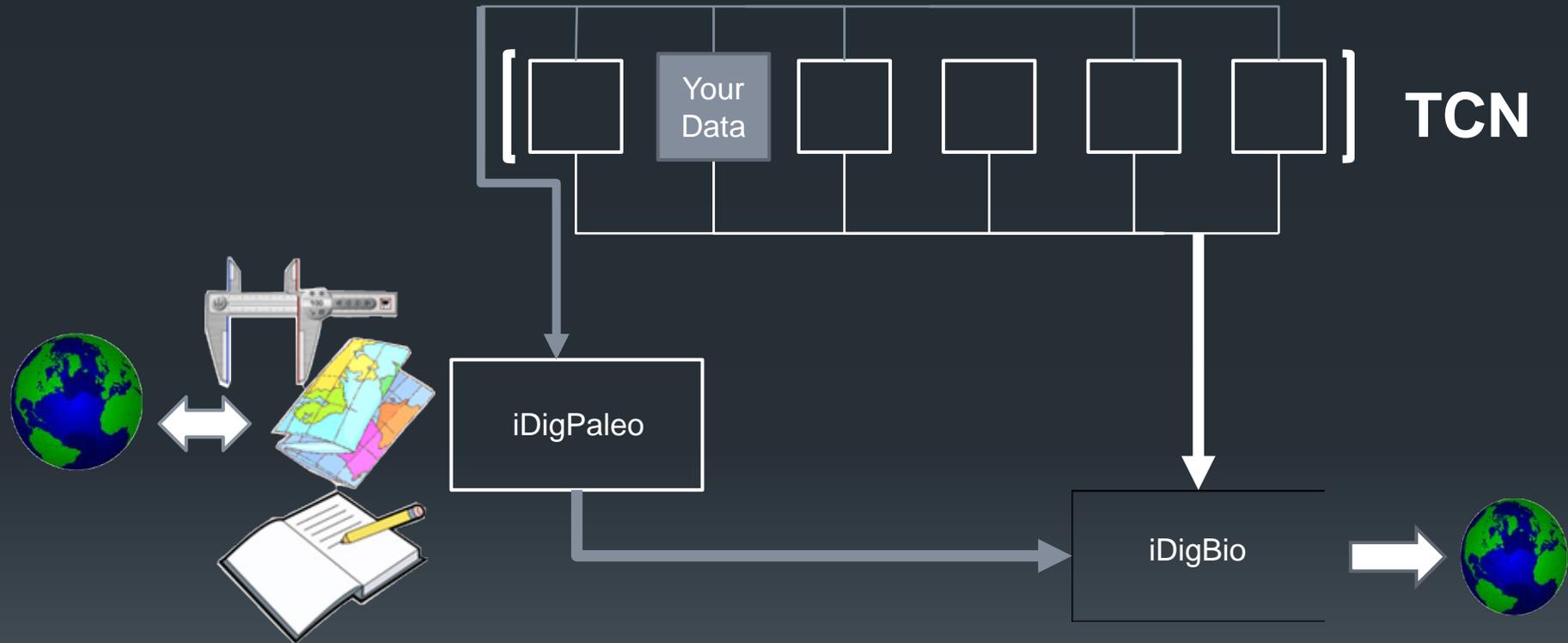
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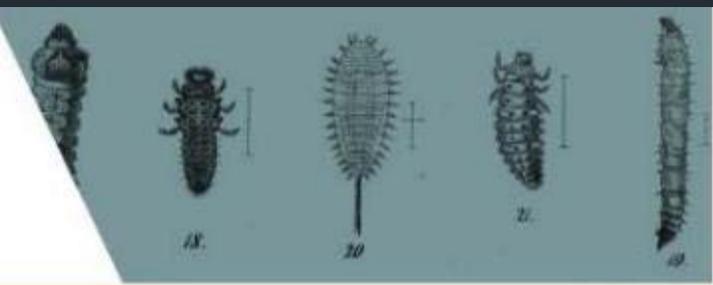




- Aggregate data from fossil insect project
- Provide tools for educational access to these data



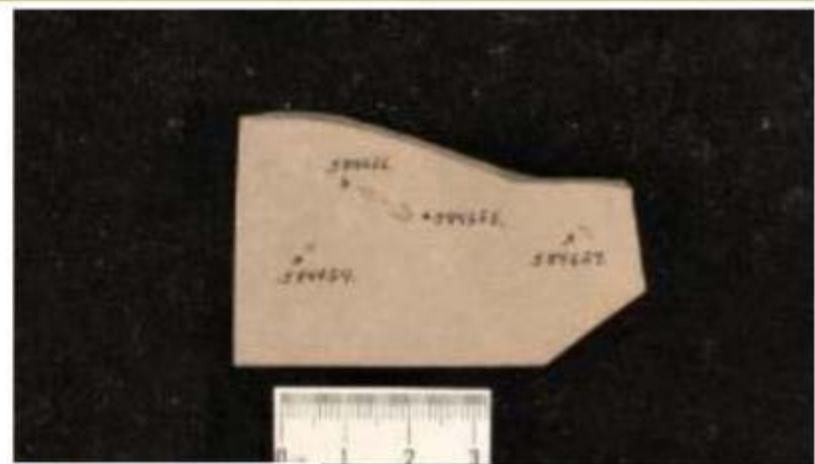




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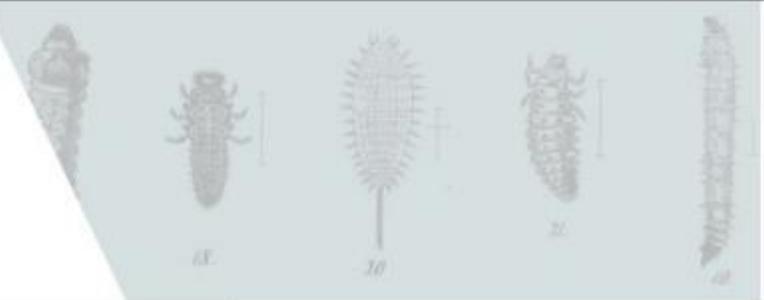
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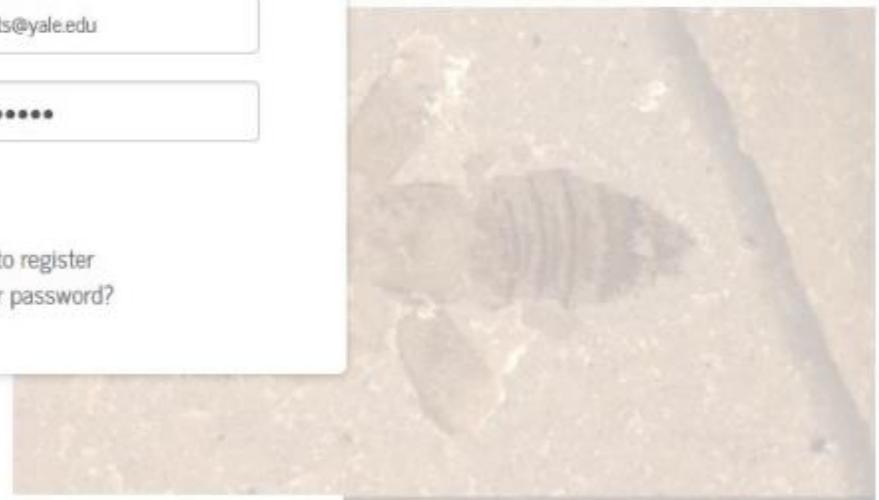
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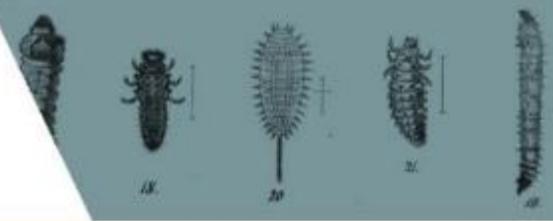


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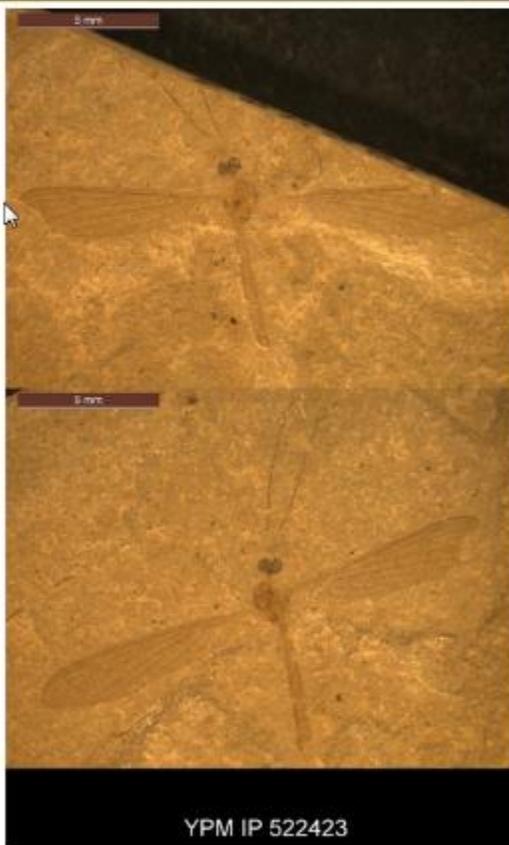
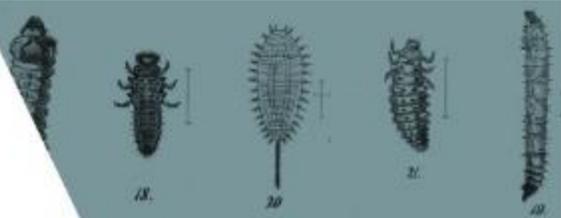
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undet. Tipulidae; feather on slab with

True flies, Mosquitoes and Gnats

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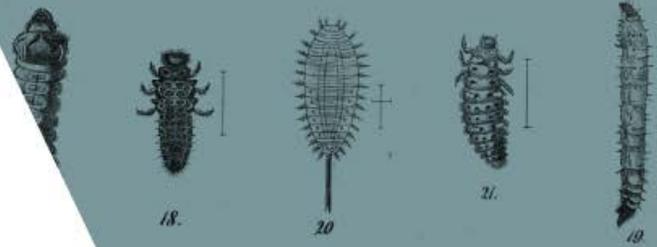
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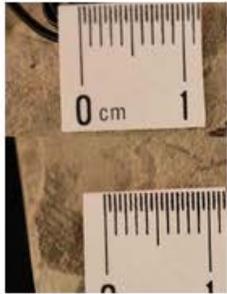


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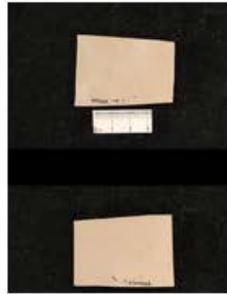
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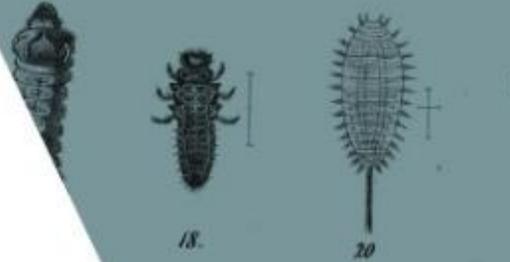
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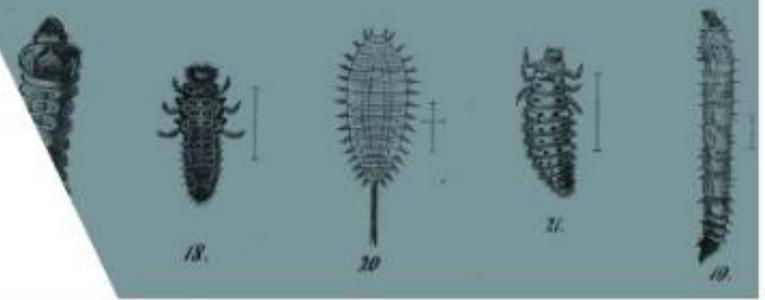
iDigPaleo Teacher Workshop, Yale Peabody Museum July 20-21, 2015

- Pilot version of iDigPaleo is being developed for K-12 classroom usage
- Could just as easily be used for undergraduate or postgraduate education
- Could also be a tool for research



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Arco Hills type section, packstone (Carboniferous of the United States)

Where: Butte County, Idaho (43.6° N, 113.3° W: paleocoordinates 3.9° N, 41.1° W)

- coordinate based on nearby landmark
- outcrop-level geographic resolution

When: Adetognathus unicornis conodont zone, Arco Hills Formation, Serpukhovian (326.4 - 318.1 Ma)

- Late Chesterian, Mamet Foraminiferal Zone 19
- group of beds-level stratigraphic resolution

Environment/lithology: deep subtidal; lithified packstone

- transported brachiopod assemblages in packstones

Size class: macrofossils

Primary reference: S. H. Butts. 2007. Silicified Carboniferous (Chesterian) Brachiopoda of the Arco Hills, Idaho. *Journal of Paleontology* **81(1)**:48-63 [W. Kiessling/U. Merkel] [more details](#)

Purpose of describing collection: taxonomic analysis

PaleoDB collection 93283: authorized by Wolfgang Kiessling, entered by Uta Merkel on 13.01.2010

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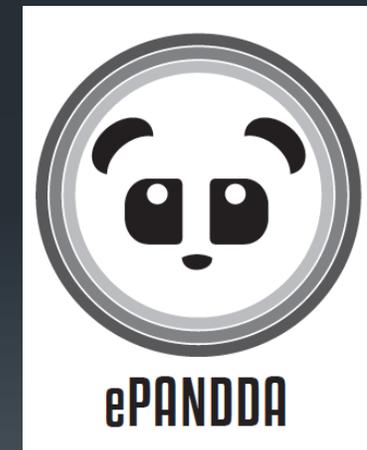
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ePANDDA API
Map, Translate, and Distribute Data



- **Matching services**
 - Occurrence – specimen
 - Publication – specimen
 - Taxon – specimen
 - Locality – specimen
 - Stratigraphic – specimen
- **Utility services**
 - Lookup and validation – taxon, DOI, stratigraphy
- **Inexact text matching algorithms & machine learning**
 - Establish potential links between data entities
- **User customizable**
 - Control methods employed
 - Set how aggressive (or not) matching will be

Possible Pathways to implementation

- Interactive API based on replicated dataset
 - **PROS**: requires only minimal dataset to perform matching; more customizable; much faster
 - **CONS**: requires more infrastructure – storage, bandwidth, processing
- Non-interactive API, working on a per-request basis
 - **PROS**: less infrastructure management
 - **CONS**: less functionality – fewer matching options, fewer services: slower; less scalable as usage grows

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