



Spider sex, cricket calls, and violent video games: Three things that make my world go round

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Sexual selection is a potent force shaping the mating systems of all animals. Interestingly, studies generally focus on how sexual selection affects adult phenotypes, largely ignoring how the same selective pressures affect juvenile life history traits. In my talk, I will discuss how sexual selection can shape juvenile developmental trajectories, what this means for our understanding of adult phenotypes and what this all has to do with sumo wrestling, video games, and other things humans find interesting.

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