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Dear colleagues and friends,

This is the 67th issue of the quarterly e-newsletter of the Rhino Resource Center. Edited by Dr Kees Rookmaaker.

The total number of references in the collection of the RRC now stands at **26,092**. This is an increase of 250 items in the last quarter. Over 26,000 references are **available** as PDF on the RRC website.



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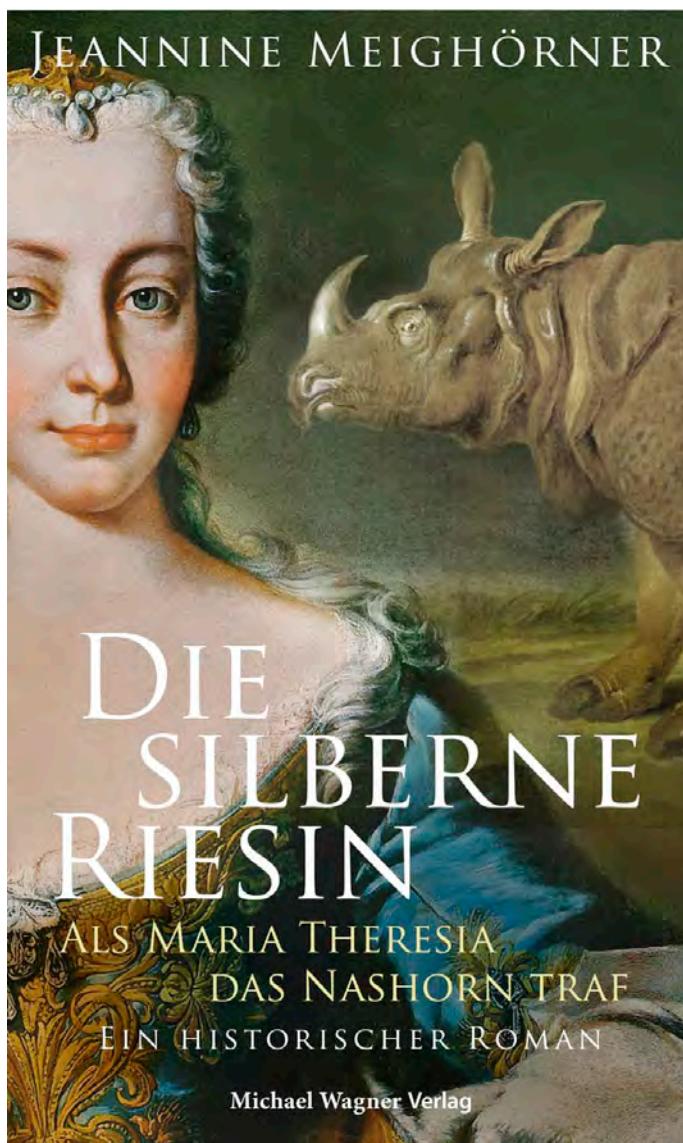
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MORE ON CLARA, THE DUTCH RHINOCEROS – NOW AS A NOVEL

<https://www.uvv.at/produkt/6759/die-silberne-riesin/>

Meighörner, J., 2022. *Die silberne Riesin. Als Maria Theresa das Nashorn traf. Ein historischer Roman.* Innsbruck, Michael Wagner Verlag, pp. 1-342.

* The historical data need updating *





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JOHN PAYNE ON THE HAIRY RHINOCEROS - 2022

New book by John Payne who has long been on the forefront of rhino conservation in South-East Asia, especially in Sabah, Borneo.

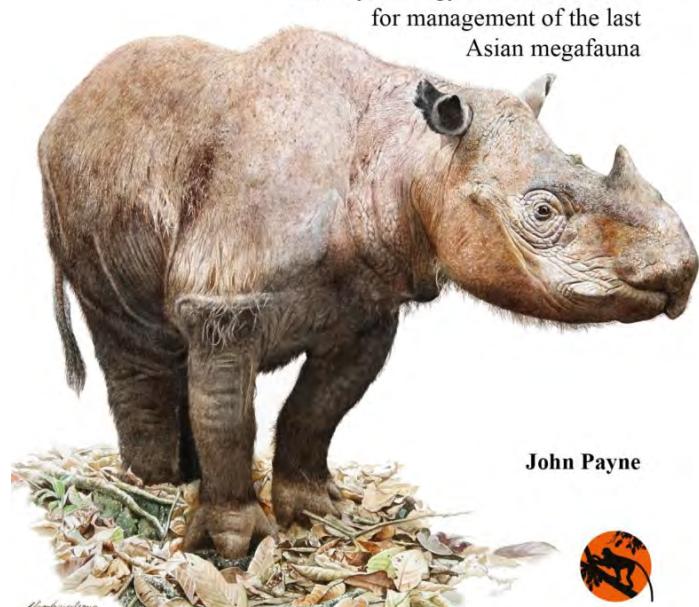
John Payne, also known as Junaidi Payne, is a biologist and permanent resident of Sabah, Malaysia. His PhD degree from Cambridge University was awarded for research done in Krau Wildlife Reserve in Peninsular Malaysia in the mid-1970s. He was appointed a Commander of the Order of Kinabalu by the Governor of Sabah in 2010. He led WWF work in Sabah from 1982 to 1998, spending much of the early years seeking Hairy rhinos, and advocating for captive breeding as well as establishment of Tabin Wildlife Reserve. As the various institutions concerned with this species fragmented globally from 1986 onwards, he moved to other subjects including orangutans, conservation strategy, new protected areas and forest ecology. From 2008, he regained interest in the Hairy rhino, managing a non-governmental organization, Borneo Rhino Alliance, thereafter. The aim was to create a managed international metapopulation, employing the latest advances in reproductive technology to allow every remaining Hairy rhino to contribute its genes to species recovery. After the last two Hairy rhinos in Malaysia died in 2019, he led the re-branding of the Alliance as 'bringing back our rare animals', an avenue to address lessons learned from the extinction of the Hairy rhino in Malaysia.

Order it here at Natural History Publications (Borneo)

<https://www.nhpborneo.com/publication-author/john-payne/>

**THE HAIRY
RHINOCEROS**

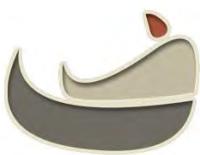
History, ecology and some lessons
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John Payne

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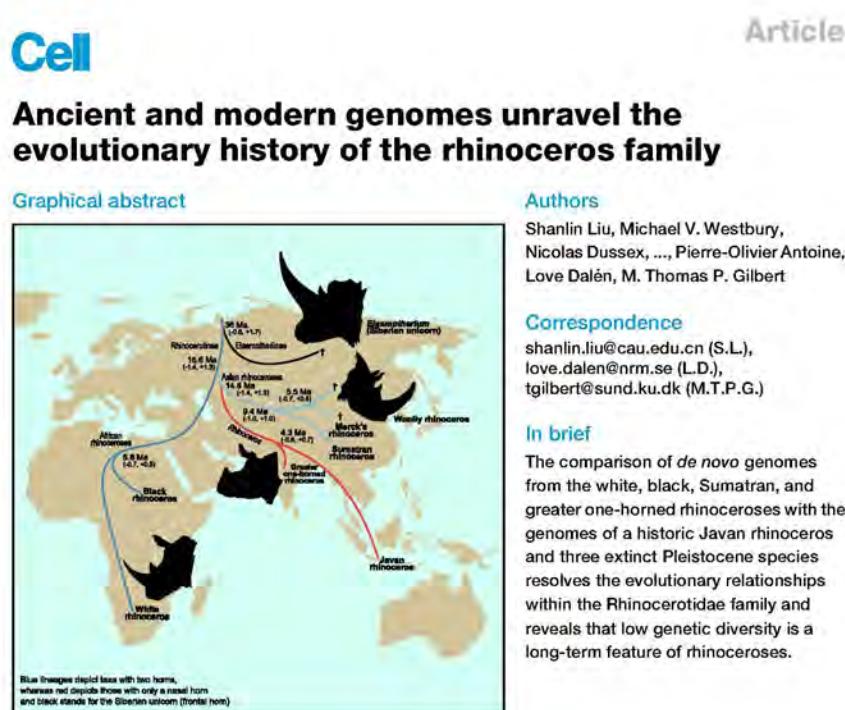
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IMPORTANT PAPER – WITH STARTLING RESULTS ON RHINO EVOLUTIONARY HISTORY WORLDWIDE

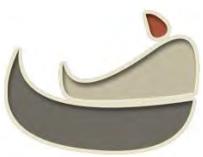
Liu, S.; Dalen, L.; Gilbert, T.; Rookmaaker, L.C.; and 35 others, 2021. Ancient and modern genomes unravel the evolutionary history of the rhinoceros family. *Cell* 184: 4874–4885 – <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cell.2021.07.032>

PDF [here](#):



Highlights

- Analysis of genomes from all five extant and three extinct rhinoceros species
- Strong phylogenomic support for the geographical hypothesis of rhinoceros evolution
- Basal split between African and Eurasian lineages in the early Miocene (~16 mya)
- While all rhinoceroses have low genome diversity, it is lowest in modern-day ones



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ROELANDT SAVERY PAINTING PARADISE (1625) WITH A RHINOCEROS

Robovsky, J.; Rookmaaker, L.C.; Groves, C.P., 2022. Several zoological comments to depictions of jaguar and rhinoceros in the art of Roelandt Savery. *Archivum Trebonense* volume 15 (Bestia – Animals in historical context): 78-87
<https://digi.ceskearchivy.cz/539312/>



Roelandt Savery (1576-1639), 'Paradise', dated 1625. There is a small image of a rhinoceros in the middle near the water.

(Download the image [here](#) and enlarge it in your computer)





RHINO IMPACT BOND – NOTE: Not verified by RRC staff

Rhino Impact Bond launched by IBRD/GEF

<https://www.thegef.org/newsroom/press-releases/wildlife-conservation-bond-boosts-south-africas-efforts-protect-black>

The Wildlife Conservation Bond/ Rhino Impact Bond is a first-of-its-kind, outcome-based, financial instrument that channels investments to achieve conservation outcomes – measured in this case by an increase in black rhino populations. The Rhino Impact Bond tracks population dynamics (biological growth rates) with economic parameters (financial interest rates). If successful, the dividends will benefit both the rhinos and the investors.

The best thing about this Rhino Impact Bond is that it enables policy makers and reserve managers to turn theory into practice. The debates about the trade in rhino horn focuses on the horn only. This Rhino Impact Bond is a new tool which allows one to focus on the Live value of Black Rhino.

The Rhino Impact Bond also goes further and promotes increasing the growth rate of Black Rhino populations in addition to their individual auction value.

In other words, this instrument finally enables one to ‘match’ the values (direct, indirect and non-use/ existence values) inherent in the rhinos themselves. It should help lower the discount rate of the live animals and encourage investment in rhino conservation and their habitats.

This is a great opportunity to secure the conservation of Black Rhino in Addo Elephant National Park and the Great Fish River Nature Reserve.

In the interest of broader rhino conservation, the issuers (Credit Suisse & City bank) could consider also including the involvement of the game ranch sector and private rhino owners in addition to these two protected areas in the eastern Cape.

Participating in the ‘Conservation Success Payments’ could go a long way towards incentivizing rhino custodians, strengthening anti-poaching efforts and consolidating rhino populations in the private sector.

The monitoring bodies (Conservation Alpha and the Zoological Society of London) should best consult the IUCN African Rhino Specialist Group to identify other priorities for Black Rhino sub-populations

For example, in addition to Addo and the Fish River, the reserves and protected areas covered by the WWF Black Rhino Range Expansion Project (such as Phinda Game Reserve, Manyoni Private Game Reserve, Somkhanda Private Game Reserve and Thanda Private Game Reserves) could all receive a boost in their efforts in protecting Black Rhinos at these sites.

These investments in the rhino impact bond could include supporting honest neighbouring communities who are helping to keep an eye out for these animals. This is in line with the objectives of South Africa’s “New Deal for People with Nature” and the “Campaign for Nature” in general. It may also accordingly act as a catalyst for securing nature’s contribution to people through well-managed conservation areas and facilitate the expansion of conservation areas via sustainable rural development and growing the wildlife economy.

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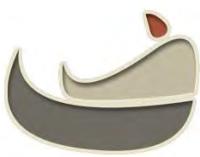
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CONTENTS OF THE RHINO RESOURCE CENTER

The development of the Rhino Resource Center is shown in the table here.

RRC	2021 June	2021 Sept	2021 Dec	2022 March	2022 June	ANNUAL INCREASE
References	25,270	25,555	25,655	x	26,092	+ 822
PDF files	25,240	25,535	25,625	x	26,095 *	+ 855
Images	4,641	4,670	4,675	x	4,818	+ 177

* Some references have more than one PDF attached, mostly due to file size restrictions.

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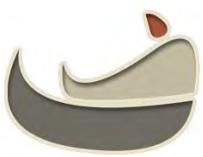


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- ◆ Information and image supply to media
- ◆ Academic research in biology, conservation studies, art history
- ◆ Education in primary, secondary and tertiary levels
- ◆ Conservation of rhinos both *in-situ* and *ex-situ*
- ◆ Latest information supply of all rhino-related projects
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- ◆ All the historical and most current literature.

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NEW LITERATURE

(finalized 30 May 2022)

In this quarter (March to May 2022), we have added 250 new references, to bring the total number of items in the database to **26,092**.

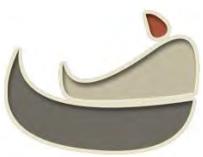
Below I have listed all new entries since 2000 in four categories: General (all species), African rhinos, Asian rhinos and Fossil rhinos.

**Most additions are available on the website.
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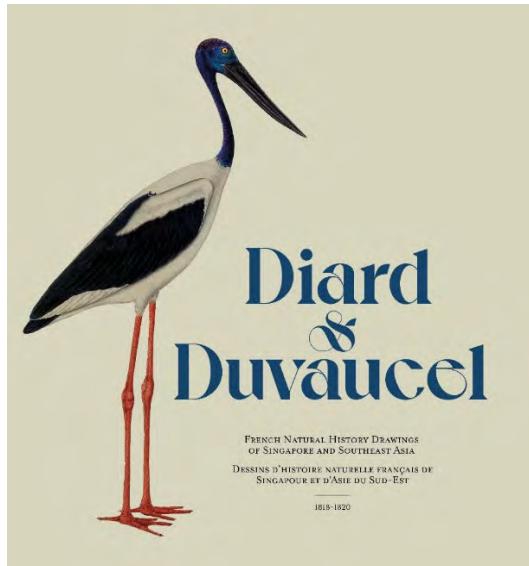
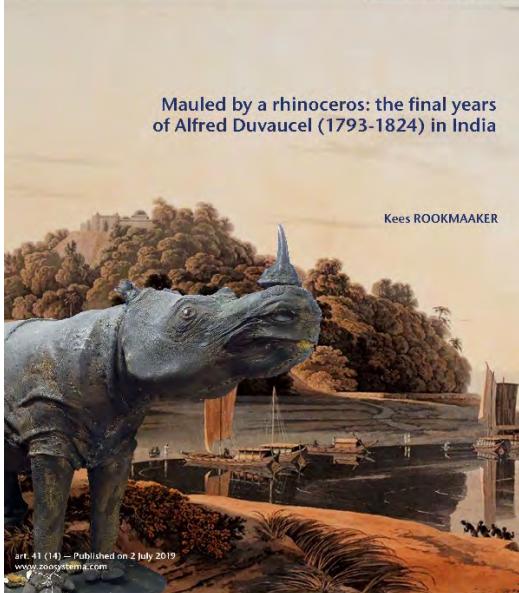


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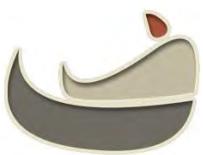
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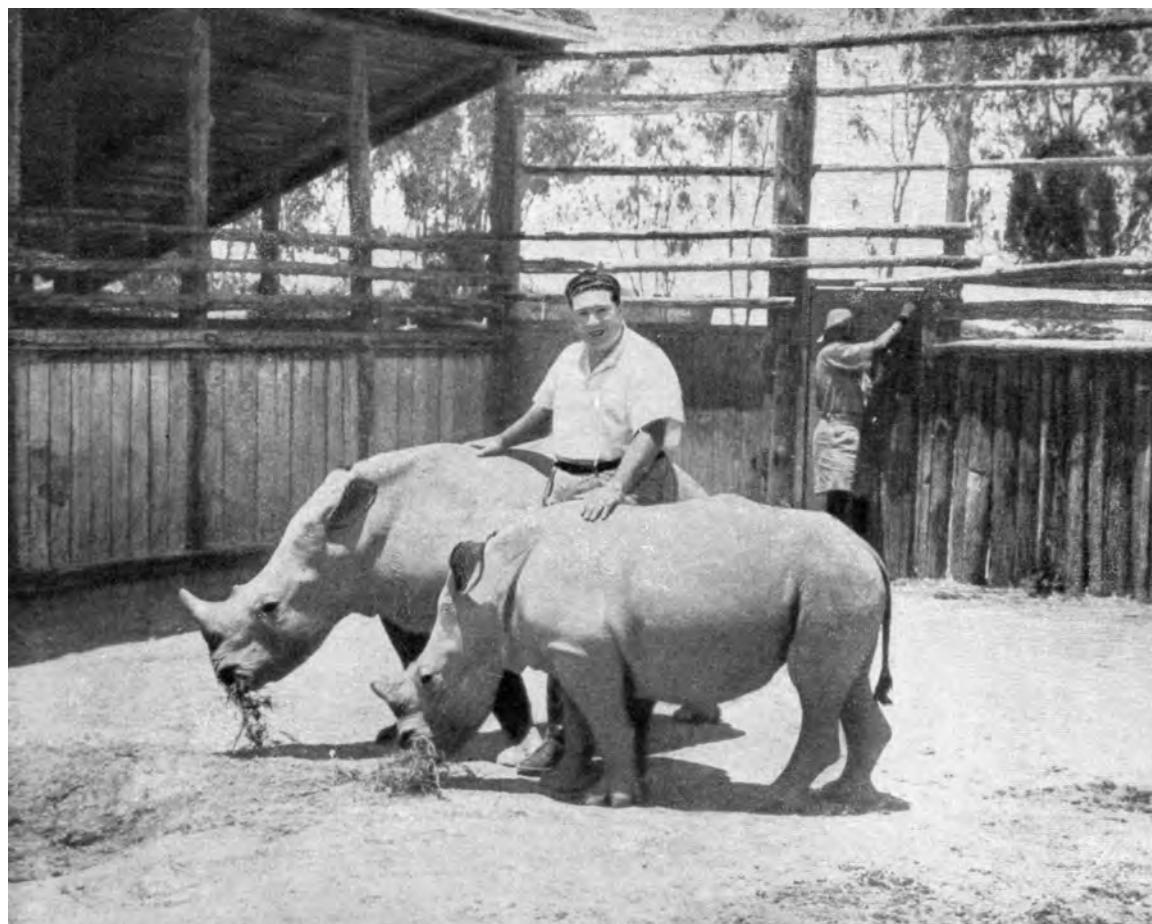
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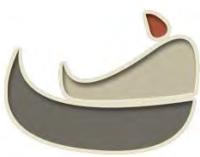


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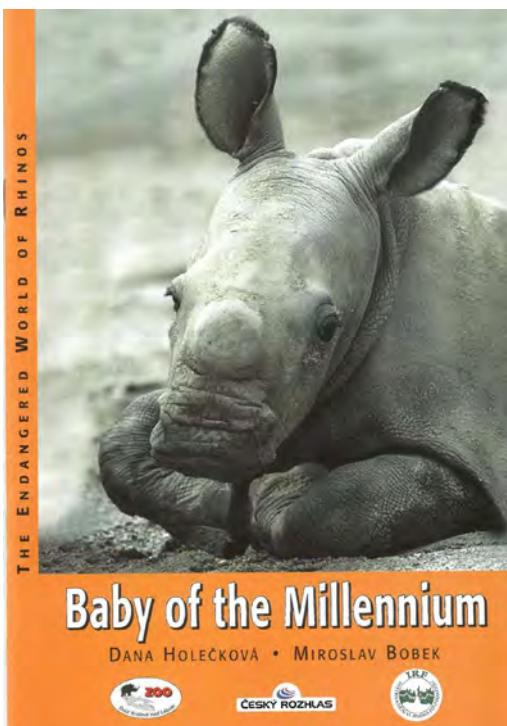
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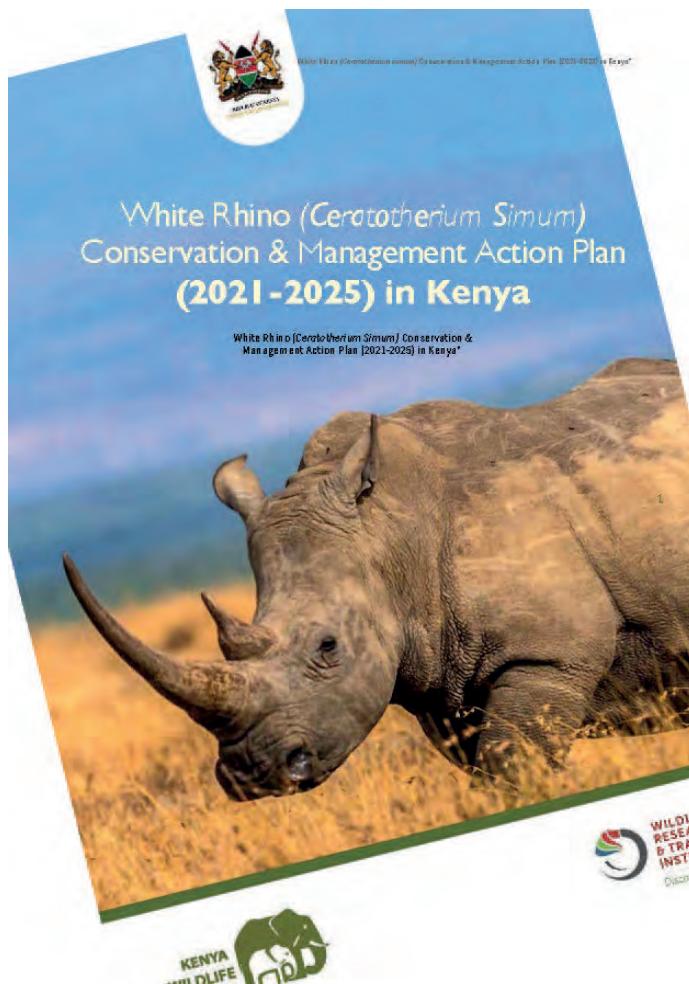
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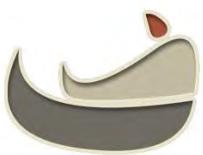


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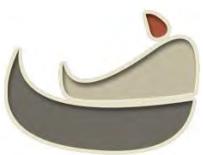


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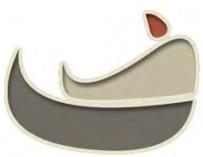


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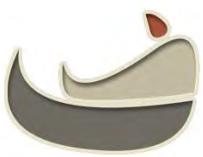
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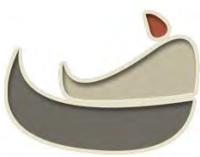


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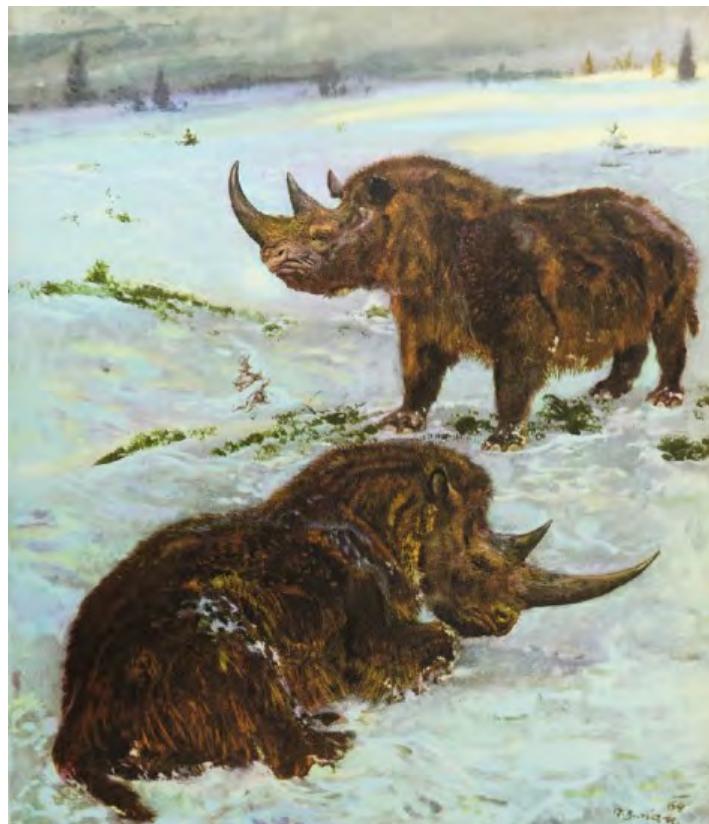
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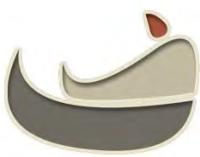


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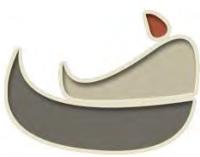
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