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- Biodiversity and population studies of marine ecosystems, especially potential impacts of global warming, ocean acidification and climate change on ecosystem resilience;
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- Taxonomic syntheses, including molecular phylogenies;
- Morphology, life history and developmental biology of marine organisms, especially model systems;
- Chemical and physical oceanography, as directly relevant to marine biology;
- Marine environmental health, and in particular its relationship to human health and well-being.

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