Author Guidelines

***Spatial Capture-Recapture***

**By Royle, Chandler, Sollmann, Gardner**

**Manuscript Format and Style**

**General**

* Manuscripts should be concise and consistent in style, spelling, and use of abbreviations.
* Your complete manuscript should make about 564 7.5” x9.25” printed pages. There are approximately 400 words per printed page.
* All manuscripts should be written in 12 pt., Times New Roman on 8 ½ x 11 pages.
* All chapters must be submitted as individual .doc (or .docx) files.

## Figures

* Do not embed or place images within the chapters. Instead, please insert a text call-out such as:

*\*\*Insert Figure2-1.jpg\*\**

* Submit a separate folder of images for each chapter.
* Number and refer to each image sequentially. For instance, *Figure2-1.jpg* is followed by *Figure2-2.jpg*. The first number should be the chapter number and the second should indicate the figure number within that chapter. For instance, the fifth figure in chapter four would be *Figure4-5.jpg.*
* Include the captions for each figure at the end of the corresponding chapter text.
* Resolution for all images must be 300 dpi for halftones and 1200 dpi for line drawings, at final size.
* Figures must be uncompressed .jpg files, .eps files or .tif files.
* Approximately 60 black and white illustrations should be included (give or take a few)

## Tables

* Tables should be numbered consecutively in order of appearance in the text.
* Like figures, tables should not be embedded and a corresponding call-out should be placed in text.
* Tables and any corresponding captions should be included as a separate file per chapter labelled appropriately (example: Tables\_Ch1.doc)

### Summary / Abstract

* A concise summary (suggested length 100-150 words) is required for each chapter. It should provide a brief review of the chapter. It may appear separate from the chapter (in online formats), so it must be able to stand alone.
* Non-standard or uncommon abbreviations should be avoided, but if essential they must be defined at their first mention in the Summary itself.
* Any references should be spelled out in the summary.
* Please see “Abstract and keyword guide.doc” for more information and an example of how this should appear in your manuscript.

### Keywords

* A keyword is any significant word or phrase used to describe the contents of a chapter, or a significant or descriptive word or phrase used as a reference point for finding information on the topic of the chapter.
* Provide 5—10 keywords for each chapter in your manuscript, immediately below the abstract.
* Avoid general and plural terms and multiple concepts (avoid, for example, “and”, “of”).
* Be sparing with abbreviations: only abbreviations firmly established in the field are eligible.
* Please see “Abstract and keyword guide.doc” for more information and an example of how this should appear in your manuscript.

**References**

* References should be numbered in the order they appear in the text.
* The particular reference style used is not important, but it should be consistent across the book.
* Suggested reference format:

1. Zhou, S., and Admon, A. (1995). Enzymatic digestion of proteins in zinc chloride and Ponceau S-stained gels. *In* “Techniques in Protein Chemistry” (J. W. Crabb, Ed.), Vol. VI, pp. 161–168. Academic Press, San Diego.
2. Birren, B., and Lai, E. (1993). “Pulsed Field Gel Electrophoresis: A Practical Guide.” Academic Press, San Diego.
3. Mandel, J. L. (1989). Dystrophin — The gene and its product. *Nature* **339**, 584–586.
4. Becker, J. M., Caldwell, G. A., and Zachgo, E. A. (1996). “Biotechnology: A Laboratory Course,” 2nd ed. Academic Press, San Diego.

## Permissions

Elsevier will obtain permission for all material from third parties, but a complete list of source information for figures requiring permission must be received 30 days prior to manuscript delivery date.

## Proofs

Proofs will be provided after the book is typeset. To avoid delay in publication, only necessary changes should be made, and proofs should be returned promptly.

## Manuscript Submission

* Submit each chapter as an individual .docx file. Do not use spaces in your file names since this will prevent them from being uploaded to an FTP server.
* Manuscript should be submitted electronically, either via email or FTP site, to:

Jill Cetel

Editorial Project Manager

Elsevier- Science and Technology Books

225 Wyman Street, Waltham, MA 02451

Tel: 781-663-5220 | j.cetel@elsevier.com