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Using physics to find evidence of predatory behavior by dinosaurs

SCOTT LEE, Un. of Toledo — Students are enthused by working on interesting and novel problems. Dinosaur problems are always greeted with interest and enthusiasm. In this poster, a methodology for estimating locomotion speeds from footprint pathways is developed. This technique is then applied to dinosaur footprints from the fossil record. This analysis allows for the detection of predatory behavior by dinosaurs.

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