

APPLIED BIODIVERSITY SCIENCES PERSPECTIVES SERIES SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

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Book Chapter:

Monz, C. (2000). Recreation resource and monitoring techniques: Examples from the Rocky Mountains, USA. In: *Tourism and Development in Mountain Regions*. (pp. 352) Godde, P., Price, M., Zimmermann, F. (Eds.). London: CABI.

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UCLA STAT Computing: Academic Technology Services, Statistical Consulting Group. Retrieved December 13, 2008, from http://www.ats.ucla.edu/nested_tests.htm

Technical Reports:

Stankey, G., Cole, D., Lucas, R., Peterson, M., Frissell, S., & Washburne, R. (1985). *The Limits of Acceptable Change (LAC) System for Wilderness Planning*. USDA Forest Service General Technical Report INT 176.

Books:

Manning, R. (2007). *Parks and carrying capacity: Commons without tragedy*. Washington, DC: Island Press.