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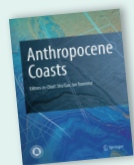
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- ✓ We aim to identify and document the influence of human activities on contemporary coastal processes (physical, biological, and chemical).
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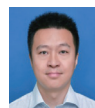
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