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Final response to RC1

W John Gould

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My response to more general comments by reviewers were posted in my author response on August 16^{th}

I will also make the following, specific corrections

Line 79: 'by a small number' and currently 'researches'.

Line 82: '1868, notably'

Line 85 The origin of species (not origin of the species)

Line 91: 'round-the-world'?

Lines 103-104: 'few' and then 'many' in rapid succession- could you replace the 'many' with 'most'?

Lines 109 and 111: Dumont d'Urville (without an r at Dumont)

Line 474: "Holderness, a position...

Line 560: compare spelling line 507

Line 677: "...isopods and other crustaceans..."

Line 860: 25 to (25)?

Line 881: Photographs were also taken ..

Line 956: "....in the ocean. The leading innovator...."

Line 972: ".....other experimental devices. One, designed by Siemens..."

Line 995: "Arguably, had the Challenger....

Line 1002: "...seawater, thus freeing..."

Line 1014: "...were not safe..."

Line 1188: "...called on..." not "called in"

Line 1992: "Thus, the major focus...."

Line 1403: add acknowledgement to Neil Fraser for preparing Figure 1.