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# Deidric Davis

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Curriculum Vitae available Online

## Bio

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Deidric Davis is a marine ecologist and science communicator studying socio-ecological systems at Stanford University, where he is pursuing his PhD. He has a background in deep sea ecology but plans to research trophic and social interactions within small scale fisheries. while through his science communication platform, Black Nerds Matter, he amplifies voices of people of color in STEM and promotes greater representation in science and other nontraditional career paths.

### EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS

- Bachelor of Arts, Eckerd College , Animal Studies (2024)
- Bachelor of Science, Eckerd College , Marine Science, Biology (2024)

### LINKS

- Black Nerds Matter: www.deidric.com

## Research & Scholarship

### RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Community-Engaged Research
- Ethnography
- Qualitative Methods
- Quantitative Methods

### LAB AFFILIATIONS

- Fiorenza Micheli, Micheli Lab (10/13/2026)

## Publications

### PUBLICATIONS

- **NEOLEBOURIA MULLINEAUXAE N. SP. (TREMATODA: DIGENEA) AND ANOTHER OPECOELID FROM DEEP-SEA HYDROTHERMAL VENT FIELDS OFF CENTRAL AMERICA AND PAPUA NEW GUINEA, WITH SPECIES KEYS AND A COMPARISON TO MESOBATHYLEBOURIA.** *The Journal of parasitology*
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- **Diet and prey selectivity in co-occurring eelpout fish and bythograeid crabs in a deep-sea hydrothermal vent community.** *PeerJ*
  Davis, D. B., Smith, N.

2025; 13: e19476

- **Three new species of Ascarophis van Beneden, 1871 (Nematoda: Cystidicolidae) from deep-sea hydrothermal vent fishes of the Pacific Ocean.** *Systematic parasitology*
  Moravec, F., Dykman, L. N., Davis, D. B.
  2023; 101 (1): 2