



## Shripad Tuljapurkar

The Dean and Virginia Morrison Professor of Population Studies  
Biology

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#### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Professor, Biology
- Member, Bio-X
- Affiliate, Stanford Woods Institute for the Environment

#### ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

- Director, Stanford Center for Population Research, (2010-2015)
- Director, Demography Core, Center for Demography and Economics of Health and Aging, (2009-2014)

#### LINKS

- My own lab site: <http://popstudies.stanford.edu>

### Research & Scholarship

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#### CURRENT RESEARCH AND SCHOLARLY INTERESTS

Shripad Tuljapurkar is Professor of Biology and the Dean & Virginia Morrison Professor of Population Studies at Stanford University. His research areas include stochastic dynamics of human and natural populations; life history evolution, especially senescence; prehistoric societies; and probability forecasts including sex ratios, mortality, aging and fiscal balance.

Tuljapurkar directs Stanford's Center for Population Research and the demography program at Stanford's Center for the Demography and Economics of Health and Aging. He is a member of the Center for the Demography and Economics of Aging at the University of California, Berkeley. He has led a panel on aging for the International Union for the Scientific Study of Population and served on the Technical Advisory Panel to the US Social Security Administration. He received the 1996 Mindel Sheps Award from the Population Association of America, and a John Simon Guggenheim Fellowship in 1998.

### Teaching

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#### COURSES

##### 2024-25

- Chilis: Biology, History, Travels, Cuisine: BIO 9N (Spr)
- Ecological Dynamics: Theory and Applications: BIO 172, BIO 272 (Spr)

#### 2023-24

- Chilis: Biology, History, Travels, Cuisine: BIO 9N (Spr)
- Ecological Dynamics: Theory and Applications: BIO 172, BIO 272 (Spr)

#### 2022-23

- Chilis: Biology, History, Travels, Cuisine: BIO 9N (Spr)
- Current Topics and Concepts in Population Biology, Ecology, and Evolution: BIO 302 (Aut)
- Current Topics and Concepts in Population Biology, Ecology, and Evolution: BIO 303 (Win)

#### 2021-22

- Matrix Methods for Dynamic Models and Data Analysis: BIO 329, BIOS 206 (Win)
- Modern Coexistence Theory: BIO 212 (Spr)
- Stochastic Methods for Simulation, Dynamics and Data Analysis: BIO 330, BIOS 230 (Spr)

### STANFORD ADVISEES

#### Doctoral Dissertation Advisor (AC)

Alexis Diaz, Anita Kulkarni

### GRADUATE AND FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM AFFILIATIONS

- Biology (School of Humanities and Sciences) (Phd Program)

### Publications

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#### PUBLICATIONS

- **When to claim a pension: the effect of uncertainty in ages at death** *GENUS*  
Jiang, S., Zuo, W., Guo, Z., Tuljapurkar, S.  
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- **How the demographic transition affects kinship networks: A formal demographic approach** *DEMOGRAPHIC RESEARCH*  
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- **Hurricanes affect diversification among individual life courses of a primate population.** *The Journal of animal ecology*  
Diaz, A. A., Steiner, U. K., Tuljapurkar, S., Zuo, W., Hernández-Pacheco, R.  
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- **Reproductive dispersion and damping time scale with life-history speed.** *Ecology letters*  
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- **Mutations and the Distribution of Lifetime Reproductive Success** *JOURNAL OF THE INDIAN INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE*  
Tuljapurkar, S., Zuo, W.  
2022
- **Quantifying the effect of genetic, environmental and individual demographic stochastic variability for population dynamics in *Plantago lanceolata*.** *Scientific reports*  
Steiner, U. K., Tuljapurkar, S., Roach, D. A.  
2021; 11 (1): 23174
- **Demographic determinants of the phenotypic mother-offspring correlation** *ECOLOGICAL MONOGRAPHS*  
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2021
- **Skewed distributions of lifetime reproductive success: beyond mean and variance.** *Ecology letters*  
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2020
- **How climate affects extreme events and hence ecological population models** *ECOLOGY*  
Rypkema, D. C., Horvitz, C. C., Tuljapurkar, S.  
2019; 100 (6)
- **How climate affects extreme events and hence ecological population models.** *Ecology*  
Rypkema, D. C., Horvitz, C. C., Tuljapurkar, S.  
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- **Advancing front of old-age human survival.** *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America*  
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Steiner, U. K., Tuljapurkar, S.  
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Tuljapurkar, S., Steiner, U. K.  
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- **Population forecasting for fiscal planning: Issues and innovations** *Conference on Demographic Change and Fiscal Policy*  
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  - **Linking demographic responses and life history tactics from longitudinal data in mammals** *OIKOS*  
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