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Pathological development in response to environmental stress in some latest Permian foraminifers: preliminary report

This paper presents some morphological variations observed in benthic foraminifers, particulary within the Permian biseriamminid family, that are thought be a response to an increase in environmental stress when compared to observations in extant benthic foraminifers. The development of aberrant forms is observed below the Permo-Triassic Boundary (PTB), confirming that the well-documented biological crisis at the PTB at the end of the Permian is gradual

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