



Professor Aleksandr Alimov

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Aleksandr Alimov, professor at St. Petersburg State University and Krasnoyarsk University, a full member of the Russian Academy of Sciences, *doctor habilis* in biology, member of the bureau of the Biology Division of the Russian Academy of Sciences. He was born 9 November 1933

Professor Alimov is an outstanding zoologist and hydrobiologist, an initiator of functional ecology of aquatic animals, and a specialist in the ecology of aquatic animals. He has made a weighty contribution to the development of the theory of the functioning of main aquatic ecosystems.

Prof. Alimov and his school conduct their most important research in the fields of growth, reproduction, nutrition, metabolism, and the dynamism of the structures of populations.

In 1994–2006 he was Director of Institute of Zoology, Russian Academy of Sciences. He is also the head of a number of international projects, such as ‘Biodiversity’, ‘Integration’, and others; he is the chief editor of publications *Russian Fauna* and *Works of the Zoology Institute of the Russian Academy of Sciences*, a member of editorial boards of a number academic and international research journals, and one of the editors of the journal *Inland Water Biology* of the Russian Academy of Sciences.

Aleksandr Alimov has authored three monographs and, individually and with colleagues, published over 200 research papers and publications, 4 monographs; for over twenty years he has been lecturing at the universities of St. Petersburg and Krasnoyarsk.

Lithuanian zoologists maintain close relations with the Zoology Institute in St. Petersburg. As the director of the institute, Prof. Alimov has made a notable contribution to the development of this research cooperation. Lithuanian scientists participate in projects and committees headed by Prof. Alimov, while his former students work in research institutions in Lithuania.

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