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Descriptive Summary

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Abstract	Ralph Buchsbaum (January 2, 1907 – February 11, 2002) was an American zoologist, invertebrate biologist, and ecologist. He received his PhD in zoology at the University of Chicago in 1932 and remained there as a faculty member until he moved to the University of Pittsburgh in 1950.

Information on Use

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Biographical Note

Ralph Buchsbaum (January 2, 1907 – February 11, 2002) was an American zoologist, invertebrate biologist, and ecologist. He received his PhD in zoology at the University of Chicago in 1932 and remained there as a faculty member until he moved to the University of Pittsburgh in 1950. In 1938, he published the biology textbook *Animals Without Backbones*, which became the first textbook ever reviewed in *Time* magazine and featured in *Life*. Ralph Buchsbaum frequently published with his wife, Mildred Buchsbaum. Buchsbaum retired from the University of Pittsburgh in 1972 and died on February 11, 2002 in Pacific Grove, California.

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