

Paolo Enriques



PAOLO ENRIQUES (Leghorn 1878 - Rome 1932). From 1917 to 1921 Enriques was teaching Zoology and Comparative Anatomy at the University of Sassari (Sardinia). Then in 1922 he was carried to fill the chair of Zoology in Padua University, where he became Director of the Institute of Zoology and Comparative Anatomy. His Scientific interest lay above all in the field of Comparative Cytoiology and Physiology and of Genetics, in particular with regard to sex-linked inheritance (flies and silkworms). His publications included "Teoria cellulare" [Cellular Theory] (1911), "Eredità dell'uomo" [Inheritance in Man¹] (1924), and "Le leggi di Mendel e i cromosomi" [Mendel's Laws and Chromosomes] (1932). He died in a car accident near Rome in December 1932.