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"Xenopus is unique among the model animals used in the biology. Several books of protocols used Xenopus. Missing is a book taking an historical perspective documenting cell and developmental discoveries and illustrating how Xenopus contributes to the understanding of genes. These topics will be covered in the proposed book"-- Provided by publisher.