

Re: Polynesian canoes (Re: Rat genes)

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Yuri Kuchinsky wrote:

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> *benlizross wrote*

> *in article <41041CA5.283B@ihug.co.nz>:*

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>> *Yuri Kuchinsky wrote:*

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>>> *benlizross <benlizro@ihug.co.nz> wrote in message news:<4100441E.11F6@ihug.co.nz>...*

>>>> *Yuri Kuchinsky wrote:*

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>>>>> *I was only asking you to back up some of your claims, but*

>>>>> *perhaps this was asking too much...*

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>>>>> *Your demand for "specifics" was a demand to replay several years of*

>>>>> *discussion on this group, since you like to pretend that no such*

>>>>> *examination of particular points of Heyerdahl's theory has taken place.*

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>>>> *Yes, some examination did take place.*

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>>>> *The question is about the results of this examination.*

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>>>>> *Well, for most people the results could be summed up as: Heyerdahl was*

>>>>> *wrong. But I don't see any point in pursuing a discussion on that level*

>>>>> *of generality.*

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>>>>>> *Nobody else is interested in going over all that stuff again. If you*

>>>>>> *have a particular point which has not been previously discussed, or on*

>>>>>> *which you have some new evidence, feel free to bring it up.*

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>>>>>> *Ross Clark*

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>>>>>>> *You keep making vague allegations about some discredited stuff in*

>>>>>>> *Heyerdahl, but you are always short on specifics.*

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>>>>>>>> *How about a specific example of a vague allegation?*

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>>>>>>>> *Ross Clark*

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- > *There's an explicit allegation above, but still*
- > *unsubstantiated...*

So instead of substantial arguments, we are going to play "hunt the allegation", are we? This is someone who repeatedly abuses others for "childish word games". Yuri, when you quote my allegation, or better when you have something particular you want to discuss, I'm ready. Otherwise, I have better things to do.

Ross Clark