

# *Sinoinsula*, a name to replace *Insula* (Araneae, Salticidae)

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## *Sinoinsula* nom. nov.

= *Insula* Zhou & Li, 2013. *Zootaxa* 3712 (1): 11.

Type species. *Insula hebetata* Zhou & Li, 2013

Etymology. The generic name is a combination of Latin *Sino*(=China) and Latin *insula*(=island), in reference to the distribution of the genus that is endemic to Hainan Island, China. Feminine in gender.

Diagnosis and Description: see Zhou & Li 2013.

Zhou & Li (2013) published a new genus of jumping spiders, *Insula*. However, the spider genus name *Insula* Zhou & Li, 2013 is deemed illegitimate as this name has been used previously for an Amphipoda genus within the family Hyalidae (Kunkel 1910). Consequently, a new genus name, *Sinoinsula* nom. nov. is proposed for the spider taxon and new combinations, *Sinoinsula curva* (Zhou & Li, 2013) comb. nov.; *Sinoinsula hebetata* (Zhou & Li, 2013) comb. nov.; *Sinoinsula limuensis* (Zhou & Li, 2013) comb. nov.; *Sinoinsula longa* (Zhou & Li, 2013) comb. nov.; *Sinoinsula maculata* (Peng & Kim, 1997) comb. nov.; *Sinoinsula minuta* (Zhou & Li, 2013) comb. nov.; *Sinoinsula nigricula* (Zhou & Li, 2013) comb. nov.; *Sinoinsula ramosa* (Zhou & Li, 2013) comb. nov.; *Sinoinsula scutata* (Zhou & Li, 2013) comb. nov.; *Sinoinsula squamata* (Zhou & Li, 2013) comb. nov.; *Sinoinsula tumida* (Zhou & Li, 2013) comb. nov. and *Sinoinsula uncinata* (Zhou & Li, 2013) comb. nov., are proposed.

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