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propositions accompanying the thesis **Evolution of Molecular Resistance to** Snake Venom α-Neurotoxins in Vertebrates

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- 1. Toxin resistance is seen at many trophic levels. (This Thesis Chapter 2)
- 2. Functional toxicity assays can reveal resistance adaptations. (This Thesis Chapter 3)
- 3. Many snake-eating birds have no resistance to cobra α -neurotoxin. (This Thesis Chapter 4)
- 4. There is convergent evolution of the N-glycosylated form of resistance modification in several snake lineages. (This Thesis Chapter 5)
- 5. Relatively simple adaptations can bring solutions to complicated evolutionary problems.
- 6. Almost every technology, medicine, and tool we use today are byproducts of scientific search.
- 7. Invasive species are producing biodiversity crises in several geographical regions.
- 8. Research is seeing what everyone can see but nobody has thought.
- 9. Every student needs guidance to find the light at the end of the tunnel.
- 10. The famous Dutch directness is an excellent quality.
- 11. The Netherlands leads the world in agricultural innovation.