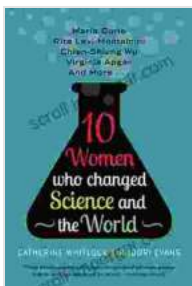


10 Women Who Changed Science and the World

Throughout history, women have made significant contributions to science and the world. Despite facing numerous obstacles and prejudices, these women persevered and achieved remarkable breakthroughs that have shaped our understanding of the universe and improved our lives.



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In this article, we will introduce you to 10 extraordinary women who broke barriers and made groundbreaking contributions to science. Their stories are inspiring and remind us that anyone, regardless of gender, can achieve great things if they have the passion, determination, and support.

Marie Curie



Marie Curie was a Polish and naturalized-French physicist and chemist who conducted pioneering research on radioactivity. She is best known for her discovery of the elements polonium and radium. Curie was the first woman to win a Nobel Prize, and the only person to win Nobel Prizes in two different scientific fields.

Curie's work had a profound impact on the development of nuclear physics and chemistry. Her discovery of radium led to the development of new medical treatments for cancer and other diseases.

Rosalind Franklin



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Franklin's contributions to the discovery of the structure of DNA were crucial, but her work was often overlooked. She died of ovarian cancer at the age of 37, before receiving the recognition she deserved.

Ada Lovelace



Ada Lovelace was a British mathematician and writer who is considered to be the first computer programmer. She worked with Charles Babbage on the development of his Analytical Engine, a mechanical computer. Lovelace wrote the first algorithm for the Analytical Engine, which is considered to be the first computer program.

Lovelace's work was groundbreaking and laid the foundation for the development of modern computers. She is often referred to as the "mother of computer programming."

Barbara McClintock



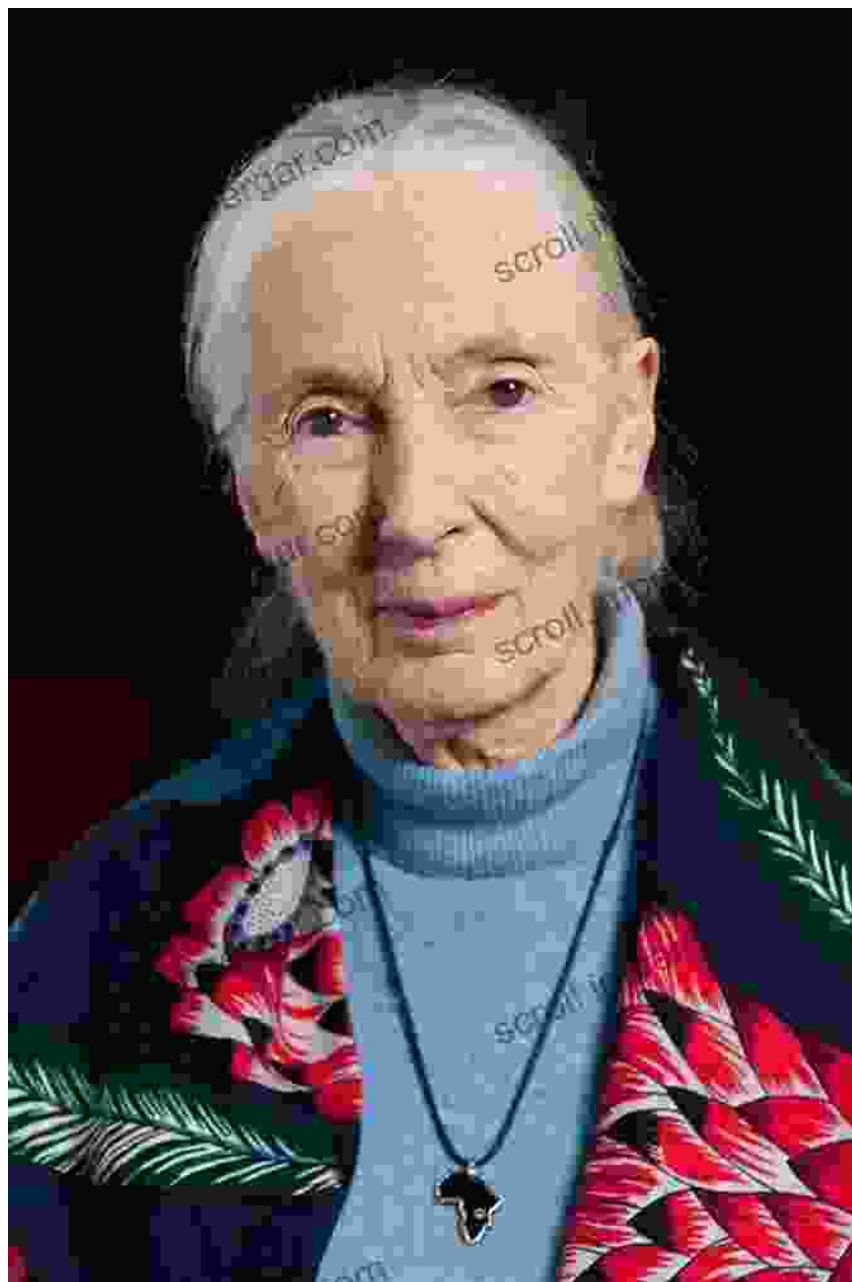
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genome. McClintock's work had a profound impact on our understanding of genetics and evolution.

McClintock's work was often overlooked and dismissed by her male colleagues. However, she persisted in her research and eventually gained recognition for her groundbreaking discoveries.

Jane Goodall



Jane Goodall is a British primatologist and anthropologist who is considered to be one of the world's leading experts on chimpanzees. She has spent over 50 years studying chimpanzees in their natural habitat in Tanzania. Goodall's work has provided us with a wealth of knowledge about chimpanzee behavior and ecology.

Goodall's work has also had a significant impact on our understanding of human evolution. Her research has shown that chimpanzees are our closest living relatives and that we share many of the same behaviors and emotions.

Rachel Carson



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human health. It helped to spark the environmental movement and led to the banning of DDT and other harmful pesticides.

Carson's work was groundbreaking and helped to change the way we think about the environment. She is considered to be one of the founders of the modern environmental movement.

Rita Levi-Montalcini

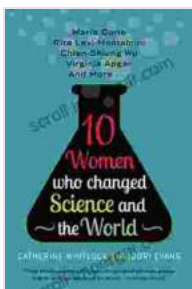


Rita Levi-Montalcini was an Italian neurologist who won the Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine for her discovery of nerve growth factor. Nerve growth factor is a protein that is essential for the development and growth

of neurons. Levi-Montalcini's work has had a profound impact on our understanding of neurology and has led to the development of new treatments for neurological diseases.

Levi-Montalcini was a brilliant scientist and a passionate advocate for women in science. She was the first woman to be elected to the Italian Senate and the first female president of the Pontifical Academy of Sciences.

Sally Ride



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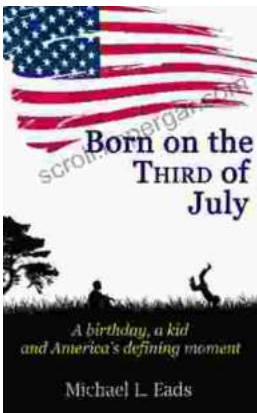
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