

The Giant Squid



- Dr Bukodera works at the National Museum of Natural History in Washington, D.C.





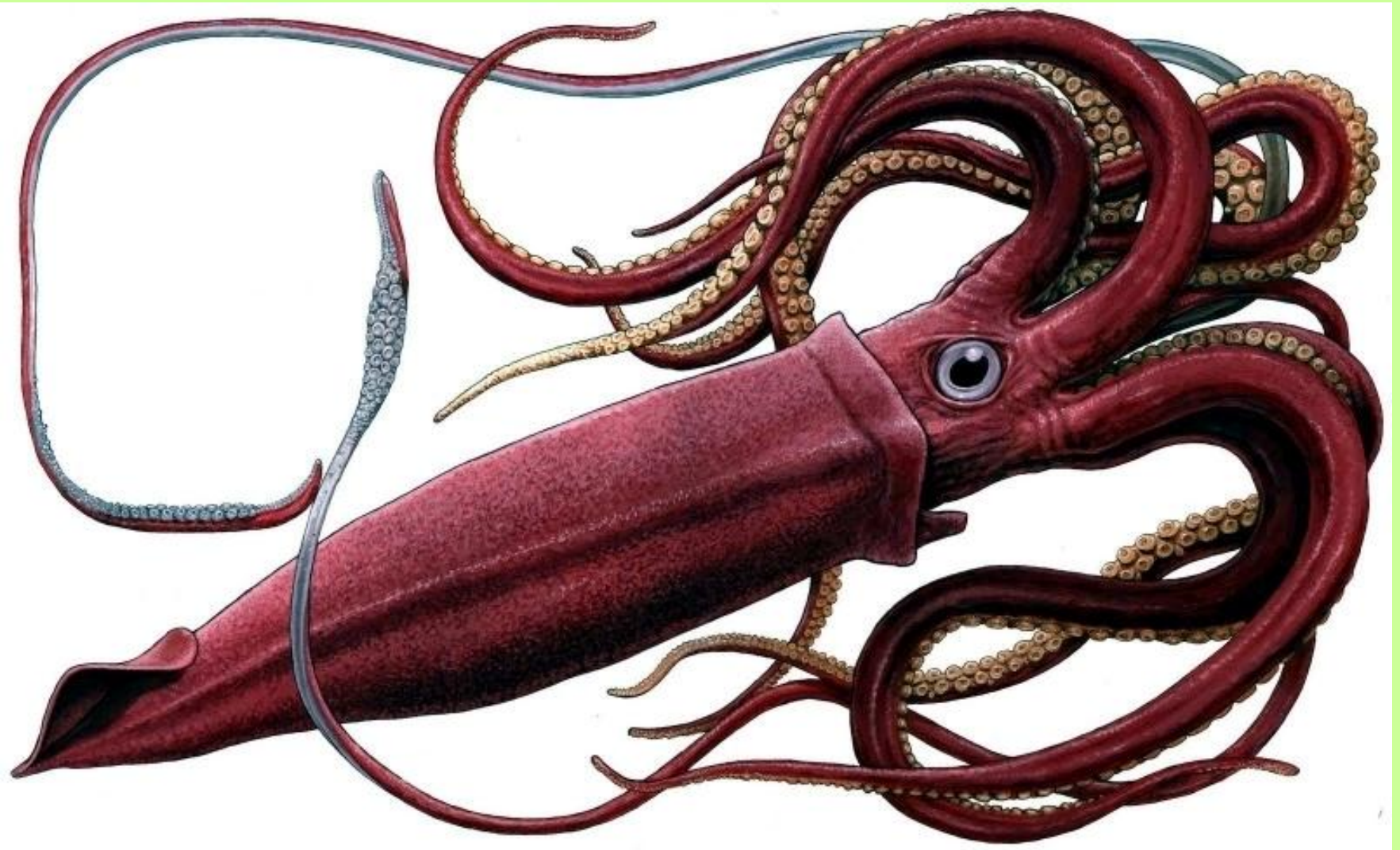
- He is a scientist who studies the giant squid.



- Dr Bukodera tells us, “The giant squid is a very big animal. It lives deep in the sea. So it’s an unusual animal.”



- We know the giant squid is very long – about 18 metres. It's longer than a big bus!



- The giant squid has got eight arms and two long *tentacles*. The tentacles can be 15 metres long.



- It has a *beak* and large head with very big eyes. They are thirty-eight centimeters wide – the size of a basketball.



When in danger, it uses its inky cloud to scare its enemy.