





an Open Access Journal by MDPI

Cropping Systems: Implications on Climate and Environment

Guest Editors:

Dr. Luca Vitale

Institute for Agricultural and Forestry Systems in the Mediterranean (ISAFoM), National Research Council of Italy-CNR, 80055 Portici, NA, Italy

Prof. Dr. Carmen Arena

Department of Biology, University of Naples "Federico II", Naples 80126, NA, Italy

Dr. Anna Tedeschi

Institute of Biosciences and Bioresources (IBBR), National Research Council of Italy-CNR, 80055 Portici, Naples, Italy

Deadline for manuscript submissions:

closed (25 February 2023)

Message from the Guest Editors

Modern agricultural systems, characterized by intensive production and soil utilization, have a deep impact on both climate and the environment. A large number of management practices contribute to emissions in the atmosphere of trace gases affecting the climate.

In order to mitigate the impact of cropping systems on climate and the environment, it is crucial to shift toward sustainable agriculture, merging the intensification of production with environmental well-being. This goal can be achieved via a profound knowledge of soil-plant-atmosphere interactions and the use of eco-friendly agronomic practices.

This Special Issue will accept reviews and full and short research papers from a broad range of interdisciplinary research concerning agroecosystems and management practices, also including the impact of manure and tillage on soil, soil biota, and soil-plant interactions.

Particularly welcome are research papers on the following topics:

- Crop and soil management
- Agroecology
- Sustainable intensification of productions
- Crop ecology
- Mass and energy exchange between biosphere and atmosphere
- Greenhouse gases



Specialsue







an Open Access Journal by MDPI

Editor-in-Chief

Prof. Dr. Les Copeland

Sydney Institute of Agriculture, School of Life and Environmental Sciences, The University of Sydney, Sydney, NSW 2006, Australia

Message from the Editor-in-Chief

Agriculture (ISSN 2077-0472) is an international, cross-disciplinary and scholarly journal on the science and technology of crop and animal production, and management of the natural resource base for agricultural production. We invite submissions from authors according to the aims and scope of the journal described in more detail on this page. Agriculture is published in an open access format – articles are published on the journal's website immediately after acceptance, giving the scientific community and the public unlimited and free access to the content.

Author Benefits

Open Access: free for readers, with article processing charges (APC) paid by authors or their institutions.

High Visibility: indexed within Scopus, SCIE (Web of Science), PubAg, AGRIS, RePEc, and other databases.

Journal Rank: JCR - Q1 (Agronomy) / CiteScore - Q1 (Plant Science)

Contact Us