



Forage and Bioenergy Crops

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Both forage and bioenergy crops are increasing in importance in the world. Alfalfa (*Medicago sativa* L.) is the number one forage in the world but many other perennial and annual legumes, grasses, and forbs are of local importance.

Bioenergy crops production increased in the last decade in an effort to replace fossil fuels. Numerous species have been evaluated as feedstocks for energy production. Many of these species are common forages, now with a new purpose (i.e. switchgrass, reed canarygrass, forage sorghum).

This special issue will focus on “Forages and Bioenergy Crops”. We welcome novel research and reviews covering all related topics in forages and bioenergy crops, including crop genetics and improvement, production management, forage quality, novel crops, soil fertility and microbiology, soil-plant interaction, phytopathology, crop physiology, modelling, life cycle assessment, economics and marketing, and policy.





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