

Special Issue

Biostimulants: A Sustainable Approach for Ameliorating Abiotic Stress Tolerance in Crops

Message from the Guest Editor

Biostimulants represent a sustainable approach for ameliorating abiotic stress tolerance in crops, addressing challenges like drought, salinity, and extreme temperatures that impede crop productivity and threaten food security. Historically, traditional agricultural practices relied heavily on chemical fertilizers and pesticides, leading to environmental degradation and unsustainable farming systems. This special issue focuses on exploring biostimulants' potential in enhancing crop resilience to abiotic stresses. This Special Issue seeks to compile comprehensive research demonstrating biostimulants' efficacy in improving plant physiological processes, soil health, and overall crop performance under stress conditions. We are soliciting papers that provide novel insights into the development and application of biostimulants, field trials showcasing their practical benefits, and reviews summarizing current knowledge and future directions in this field. Contributions that integrate interdisciplinary approaches and demonstrate biostimulants' impact on sustainable agriculture are particularly encouraged.

Guest Editor

Dr. Jose M. Mulet

Institute for Plant Molecular and Cell Biology (IBMCP), Universitat Politècnica de València-CSIC, 46022 Valencia, Spain

Deadline for manuscript submissions

closed (30 April 2025)



Agronomy

an Open Access Journal
by MDPI

Impact Factor 3.4
CiteScore 6.7



mdpi.com/si/211036

Agronomy
Editorial Office
MDPI, Grosspeteranlage 5
4052 Basel, Switzerland
Tel: +41 61 683 77 34
agronomy@mdpi.com

[mdpi.com/journal/
agronomy](https://mdpi.com/journal/agronomy)





Agronomy

an Open Access Journal
by MDPI

Impact Factor 3.4
CiteScore 6.7



[mdpi.com/journal/
agronomy](https://mdpi.com/journal/agronomy)



About the Journal

Message from the Editor-in-Chief

Agronomy draws together researchers from diverse areas of agricultural research with a common aim of enhancing agricultural productivity globally. The journal provides unlimited free access to all those interested in advancing agricultural science from both the research and general community. Papers are released immediately after acceptance through the internet.

Agronomy is supported by our authors and their institutes through low article processing charges (APC) for accepted papers. We hope you will support the journal by becoming one of our authors.

Editor-in-Chief

Prof. Dr. Leslie A. Weston

Gulbali Centre for Agriculture, Water and Environment Research,
Charles Sturt University, Wagga Wagga, NSW 2678, Australia

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, and other databases.

Journal Rank:

JCR - Q1 (Agronomy) / CiteScore - Q1 (Agronomy and Crop Science)