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Multifunctionality of Belowground Food Webs

Message from the Guest Editor

Belowground food webs play important roles, including key element cycling and soil agglomeration. Soil ecosystem multifunctionality, regarded as an important indicator for reflecting nutrient cycling and retention as well as plant diversity, makes it possible to reveal the multifunctionality of belowground food webs. Belowground biodiversity relates closely to ecosystem multifunctionality in various terrestrial ecosystems. However, must remains unknown about linkages between ecosystem multifunctionality and whole belowground diversity and the abundances of core organisms. With this Special Issue of *Agronomy*, we welcome the submission of papers involving linkages between ecosystem multifunctionality and belowground diversity and the abundance of core organisms, as well as those addressing functional gene diversity. We also encourage colleagues to submit papers revealing the contribution of belowground multifunctionality to aboveground crop yield in agroecosystems and papers disentangling mechanisms underlying the difference in multifunctionality between agricultural and nonagricultural soils.

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