# Special Issue

# Secondary Metabolism in Tea Plants

# Message from the Guest Editors

Secondary metabolism is very important throughout lives of tea plants. It includes the interaction of tea plants with the surrounding environment (insects, plants, microbes, etc.); the quality and quantity of the tea leaves, with the influence of the aroma, taste, flavor, color: the propagation and stress resistance; and the healthy functions of related tea secondary metabolites. This Special Issue welcomes the submission of comprehensive studies of various aspects of tea secondary metabolism, such as the physiology, genetics, biochemistry, biotechnology, breeding, cultivation, quality, and utilization of tea plants. In the context of this Special Issue, studies on detecting the characteristics of tea metabolites, generated in processing and storage, are welcomed. With Special Issue will broaden our understanding of tea secondary metabolism, and will deepen our knowledge in the field of tea science.

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