## **Special Issue**

# Reproductive Diseases in Ruminants

#### Message from the Guest Editor

I am glad to invite you to contribute to this Special Issue of Animals entitled 'Reproductive Diseases in Ruminants'. Reproductive efficiency underpins ruminant livestock production, impacting the sustainability and profitability of dairy, beef, and small ruminant systems globally. However, reproductive diseases remain largely uncontrolled. The main reason is likely that these multifactorial diseases, caused by infectious agents, are also affected by factors like nutritional imbalances, environmental stress, and genetic predispositions, highlighting the difficulty of managing and preventing them. For this issue, original research articles and reviews are welcome. Research areas may include (but are not limited to) the following: the discovery of new species, emerging threats, advances in diagnostic tools, immunology and pathology studies, diagnostic techniques, novel vaccines, alternative treatments, innovations in preventive strategies, host/pathogen interaction, epidemiological studies, risk factors, and economic impacts.

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