## **Special Issue**

# Insect Farming, Biomass Processing and Practical Applications in Animal Nutrition

#### Message from the Guest Editors

We are pleased to invite original research papers and reviews that address any aspect of insect production, processing, and usage in animal nutrition. Topics are sustainable technologies of insect farming, practical and theoretical models of automatic solutions for largescale objects, upscaling models, parental stocks and rearing management, nutrition and feed application, breeding value assessment and genetic selection. sustainability assessment, biomass conservation, drying methods, and separation of protein and fat as well as their effects on product nutritive value and quality. And in the practical application of insect-derived products on nutritive value and quality of complete feeds and calculation of their diets-including corrected methods of protein level estimation, the widely understood effects on animal metabolism, and the assessment of insect application on sustainability and economy of animal production. In particular, papers on the practical use of insect products concerning the nutrition in all groups of animals are welcome, including aquaculture, poultry, pigs, cattle, companion, exotic, and wild animals.

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