

# Special Issue

## Husbandry and Welfare of Young Ruminants

### Message from the Guest Editor

This Special Issue hopes to bring together research on the evidence-based husbandry of young ruminants. A further aim is to promote positive welfare in young ruminants, support the move away from simply aiming toward an absence of negative welfare, and promote an enhanced experience for these animals. Original research papers, as well as literature reviews from different research areas, such as environmental enrichment, colostrum management, housing design, precision technology, welfare, and behavior, are invited to this Special Issue.

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