# **Special Issue**

# Enhancing Aquatic Animal Health Through Feed Additives

# Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue aims to compile cutting-edge research on the development and application of feed additives to bolster fish immune function.

Key themes to be explored include the following: Impacts of feed additives on fish stress response, immunological, antioxidant, and health status. Efficacy of different feed additive types in various fish species at different growing stages (larvae, juveniles and breeders). Feed additives as promotors of fish or shrimp performance and resilience. Interactions between feed additives and other management practices. Safety and sustainability considerations for the use of feed additives. Economic and environmental impacts of feed additive applications. Mechanisms of action of feed additives on fish or shrimp immune responses.

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