Special Issue

Propolis and Other Bee Products: Beneficial Effects on Health and Processing Technology

Message from the Guest Editors

Bee products are among the most useful natural products favored by natural medicine scientists for their possible pluripotent nutritional and biotic applications; they have been implemented in medicine since ancient times. Honey, propolis, bee pollen, royal jelly, beeswax and bee venom represent pluripotent leading pharmaceutical raw materials. The aforementioned raw materials are characterized by the active substances' unique content/composition, responsible for their specific therapeutic properties.

The functional and health properties of bee products depend not only on the content of bioactive substances, but also on the technological process.

The aim of modern methods for the application of bee products as medicines is to modify both techniques and parameters as well as the composition of bee products, in order to obtain apitherapeutic products with diverse pro-health properties.

This Special Issue will be dedicated to new perspectives in chemical and functional properties of bee products as well as opportunities for the implementation of bee products in therapy.

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