

Special Issue

Plant Management and Soil Improvement in Specialty Crop Production—2nd Edition

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue focuses on the importance of effective plant management and soil improvement practices in the production of specialty crops. Specialty crops are high-value crops that require optimal growing conditions to ensure healthy growth and high yields, such as for fruits, vegetables, and herbs. The aim is to provide a comprehensive overview of the latest research and best practices in plant management and soil improvement, including topics such as soil health, nutrient management, water management, pest and disease control, and sustainable production methods. Topics for this call for papers include, but are not restricted to:

- Soil health;
- Nutrient management;
- Water management;
- Pest and disease control;
- Sustainable production methods;
- Plant growth;
- Soil remediation;
- Plant stress response and adaptation.

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