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Innovative Water and Wastewater Treatment Technologies for Supporting Global Sustainability

Message from the Guest Editors

Treating water and wastewater demands a significant quantity of energy input, placing a financial burden on society. Therefore, cost- and energy-efficient water and wastewater treatments have become an important topic for the scientific community. Innovation should be created in water or wastewater treatment technology to economically remove both macro- and micro-pollutants from water, produce pristine potable water, without any negative impact on the environment. Potential topics include, but are not restricted to:

- Assessment of environmental and health risks caused by chemical pollutants in drinking water and wastewater
- Treatment of conventional and new organic/inorganic pollutants in water
- Fate of CECs in water treatment processes
- Energy-efficient treatment technologies for nitrogen and/or phosphorus in wastewater
- Automatic control of water and wastewater treatment processes for nitrogen and phosphorus
- Economic analysis of water and wastewater infrastructure
- Strategy for improving sustainability of water and environment

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