Special Issue

Soil Pollution and Remediation: Multidisciplinary Approaches to a Global Challenge

Message from the Guest Editors

Soil pollution is a complex global environmental issue involving a variety of contaminants, from metals and pesticides to microplastics and persistent organic pollutants (POPs). This Special Issue is dedicated to exploring the multiple facets of soil pollution and the innovative remediation strategies that are needed to restore the health of terrestrial ecosystems. We invite authors to submit original research, systematic reviews, and case studies addressing the following themes:

- the impacts of metals and other inorganic contaminants on soil health and emerging remediation techniques;
- the growing concern over microplastics and nanoplastics in agricultural and urban soils;
- the role of POPs in soil degradation and innovations in remediation;
- remediation strategies for soils contaminated by hydrocarbons;
- the application of fungi and other microorganisms in bioremediation;
- the use of nanotechnology in soil remediation;
- innovative approaches to the remediation of urban soils that are affected by multiple sources of contamination;
- the effectiveness and limitations of phytoremediation as an ecological and sustainable strategy for cleaning contaminated soils.

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