

Special Issue

Restorative Agriculture

Message from the Guest Editors

Scrutiny of the environmental impacts of chemical fertilizer production and its application to soil has intensified in recent times. This, combined with an ever-changing climate, is necessitating changes to farming practices. The aim of this Special Issue is to highlight emerging opportunities for the development of sustainable and robust crop–soil management practices that can address these looming global challenges. The Issue welcomes work responding to the following subject areas:

- Developments in our understanding of the soil microbial community in cycling nutrients and water under changing climates;
- Recoupling the geosphere with soil environments to support viable agricultural systems;
- New advances in repurposing waste materials as soil amendments for fertilization and climate change adaptation, with the goal of decreasing reliance on chemical chemically produced soil inputs;
- Identification of ecological management practices that enhance soil agricultural productivity.

We look forward to your contribution to this exciting Special Issue: “Restorative Agriculture”.

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