

## Special Issue

# Advances in Tilapia Aquaculture

### Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue, titled “Advances in Tilapia Aquaculture”, aims to present cutting-edge research addressing critical developments in the field. Topics include the following:

- Nutrition: Feed formulation and optimization, sustainable ingredients, dietary requirements, broodstock nutrition, insect meal, and plant-based additives;
- Physiology and Environmental Factors: Fish stress and welfare, transport and handling practices, water quality, stocking density, and behavioral assessments;
- Breeding and Genetics: Genomic applications, genetic resource conservation, breeding programs, endocrine regulation, and semen cryopreservation;
- Pathology and Disease Control: Immune enhancers, vaccine development, prophylactic protocols, and prebiotics and probiotics;
- Innovative Technologies: Aquaponics, biofloc systems, polyculture integration, slaughtering methods, and quality assurance practices.

We welcome submissions that explore these themes, particularly those focused on nutrition, physiology, pathology, and genetics. Contributions that enhance the understanding and advancement of tilapia aquaculture in any related area are strongly encouraged.

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