# **Special Issue**

# Fish Nutrition and Physiology

## Message from the Guest Editors

Fish account for 20% of the global population's animal protein intake. Specially, fish are unique and rich sources of omega-3 long-chain polyunsaturated fatty acids with beneficial impacts on human health. Scientists believe that fish farming will be a much more important food source in the future. High-quality feed is crucial for fish growth, health, and reproduction during farming. For a long time, the focus of traditional fish nutrition studies has been mainly on nutrient requirements, but in recent decades the interaction of nutrition and physiology has drawn a great deal of attention. The digestion, absorption, and metabolism of nutrients are associated with the physiological responses of fish. For instance, why high-carbohydrate feeds induce "diabetes" in fish, and whether fish meal can be totally replaced by plant protein are questions that remain to be answered. This Special Issue aims to collect studies (original research articles, perspectives, reviews, and mini-reviews) that focus on the physiology, biochemistry, and physiology of nutrition, and the interaction of nutrients and physiological responses

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