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Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

The human necessity of sustainability calls for having enough food, clean water, and quality environmental land for food production. Every food item is subjected to natural spoilage and deterioration, mostly by microorganisms, the latter in some cases making foods potentially unsafe for consumers. Combating both the spoilage of foods and maintaining their safety are crucial challenges nowadays for food supply chains, and in this context alternative technologies in food processing with the use of "natural preservatives" have been suggested. We invite researchers to submit manuscripts to this Special Issue, which in particular should stress the latest developments in tackling issues of food quality and safety in the current globalized world, where food quality and food safety need to be maintained by using state-of-the art processing technologies in order to guarantee the wellbeing of traditional and modern consumers.







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