

Special Issue

Empowering Change: Consumer Influence on Sustainable Food Systems in a New Era

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This Special Issue aims to explore consumer perceptions and behaviors within sustainable food systems, analyzing their impact on food choices, purchases, consumption patterns, and the transformation of food systems. This Special Issue invites researchers to submit original research articles or reviews related to the following (please note that the list is not exhaustive):

- Consumer Cognition and Attitudes Towards Sustainable Food;
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- Price Sensitivity and Its Influence on Sustainable Food Purchasing Behavior;
- Digital Platforms and Consumer Engagement with Local and Organic Food Systems;
- Cross-Cultural Differences in Sustainable Food Choices and Consumption Patterns;
- Consumer Awareness of Environmental Impact and Its Effect on Food Choices;
- The Role of Social Media in Shaping Consumer Perceptions of Sustainability in Food;
- Consumer Reactions to New Food Technologies: From Lab-Grown Meat to Plant-Based Alternatives;
- The Influence of Ethical Marketing on Consumer Behavior in Sustainable Food Markets.

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