# Special Issue

# Exploring the Use of Starch-Based Hydrocolloids in Food Gelation

## Message from the Guest Editors

The burgeoning field of hydrocolloid and hydrogel development has garnered escalating interest, driven by its multifaceted utility within the food industry. Of particular note are the recent advancements in multiemulsion gels, along with blends and hybrid gel systems, which have shown great promise due to their excellent performance. This Special Issue will focus on the cutting-edge innovations and applications of starchbased hydrocolloids in food gelation, which have emerged as pivotal components in this realm. Furthermore, it will also include various new achievements in different multi-emulsion gels, blends or hybrids gels. In this Special Issue, we invite both research and review articles that contribute to the understanding and application of these novel gel systems, with an emphasis on starch, hydrocolloids, hydrogel and food gelation as the central themes.

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