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Traditional and Non-Traditional Grain-Based Products: Addressing Challenges Through Formulation and Processing

Message from the Guest Editors

Which advancements in formulation and processing will be key to ensure that grains are used as food to their fullest potential? What approaches can further increase our understanding of grain-based products whose structure is determined by biopolymer functionality? How can traditional products such as baked goods or pasta be optimized in terms of nutritional attributes, textural properties, shelf-life, and sustainability? Can non-traditional grain-based foods be formulated and structured in a way that makes them more competitive with the products they intend to resemble? Are there novel product categories or processing tools that deserve more attention? Acknowledging the role of cereals, pseudocereals, and legumes as the base for nutrient-rich foods which can provide pleasant eating experiences, much research is ongoing to enhance product properties through optimizing formulation and/or developing innovative processes. We invite you to share your perspective on tackling current challenges and laying out opportunities in the area of grain-based products through the submission of an original research article or review paper.

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