

Special Issue

Coffee Science: Innovations Across the Production-to-Consumer Chain

Message from the Guest Editors

Coffee is one of the most consumed beverages worldwide and has long generated scholarly interest. While its health benefits continue to be investigated, the diversity in coffee preparation methods. Consequently, characterizing coffee's chemical composition and identifying its bioactive compounds remain key scientific pursuits. Meanwhile, modern consumers are increasingly informed and demand not only high-quality products but also sustainable practices, ethical sourcing, and the preservation of the beverage's authenticity. This Special Issue invites contributions focused on coffee and its by-products, highlighting innovations throughout the entire production-to-consumer chain. Emphasis should be placed on food science and the development of novel food products or applications derived from coffee, within the framework of sustainable and technologically advanced practices.

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