Special Issue

Sensory and Consumer Research for a Sustainable Food System

Message from the Guest Editor

The aim of this Special Issue of Foods is to gather and display cutting-edge research on sensory properties of and consumers' responses to foods contributing to a sustainable food system. Here, food is defined broadly: from ingredients and prototypes to products on the market, dishes, and even diets. This Special Issue welcomes original research articles and reviews on studies that have used sensory or consumer research to study food or food-related behavior that has the potential to contribute to a sustainable food system. The methods should have either applied human senses to evaluate foods (using trained or non-trained panel) or studied consumers' responses to foods (such as attitudes or hedonic responses to new sustainable foods). Clear and concisely written manuscripts are highly desirable and appreciated.

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