

Special Issue

Biodiversity, Health, and Ecosystem Services of Mangroves

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue aims to highlight the latest status and trends in biodiversity, health, and ecosystem services of mangroves, especially in Asia, with several exceptions from mangrove-rich areas beyond Asia. Topics may include: **mangrove biodiversity**: plant species diversity, mangrove fauna diversity, mangrove fireflies and other insects, genetic differentiation of mangrove species, diversity of mangrove plant families; **health of mangrove ecosystem**: pest and diseases of mangrove species, mangrove health index, mangrove productivity, mangrove forest regeneration, invasive alien species, pollution; **mangrove ecosystem services**: plant–animal or –microbes interaction, ecotourism, charcoal production and other products, refugia for migratory birds, *Nypa* and its services, carbon and climate mitigation; **novel approaches**: practical conservation management options, methodologies, tools and available best practices and technologies using potential smart automated monitoring system, institutional and governance-related interventions for the sustainable management of mangrove resources, health and ecosystem services.

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