Topical Collection

The State-of-the-Art Propagation and Breeding Techniques for Horticulture Crops

Message from the Collection Editor

Since the 1990s, new biotechnology techniques have been applied to the propagation and breeding of horticultural species, providing efficient alternatives to traditional methods for the improvement of novel cultivars. This has been possible through the development of transformation protocols starting from many sources of explants. More recently, a number of new techniques have been developed and classified as new plant breeding techniques. This Topical Collection, titled “The State-of-the-Art Propagation and Breeding Techniques for Horticulture Crops”, aims to gather the main recent advances in new horticultural propagation and breeding methods. We encourage researchers and experts to submit high-quality manuscripts related to the above-mentioned topics to this Topical Collection, which may include basic and applied studies.

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