



## Ageing and the Mind or Healthy Minds in an Ageing Population

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### Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleague,

This year, 2021, is the start of the United Nations decade of healthy aging. This presents an important opportunity to improve the lives of older adults, including their mental health.

As a global population, we are aging faster than ever. Currently, adults aged 65 years or older outnumber children under the age of 5 years. The World Health Organization estimates that by the end of this decade, the number of people aged 60 years of age or older will be 1.4 billion, with the majority living in developed countries.

This Special Issue focuses on the critical issues related to aging and the mind as we start the decade of healthy aging. We invite you to contribute with an original report, observation or review.





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