

Special Issue

Food Contaminants and Their Risk Assessment

Message from the Guest Editors

Food contamination by chemicals from the environment is a worldwide food safety issue, causing a tremendous threat to human health. These chemicals belong to many groups, such as metals/metalloids, POPs, PAHs, PFCs, PPCPs, electronic waste, radioactive elements, plastics, and nanoparticles. They may contaminate our food, including crops, livestock, seafood, and drinking water and exert adverse effects on our health. Therefore, it is vital to perform assessments of the associated potential risks. Monitoring contamination levels, enactment of control measures including remediation, and consideration of socio-political implications are important to provide safer food globally. I invite you to contribute on the basis of your experience in this Special Issue which aims to strengthen the knowledge on the typical and emerging food contaminants that impact on human health, for a more precise risk assessment.

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