# **Special Issue**

# Physical Performance and Recovery during Exercise-Induced Muscle Damage

# Message from the Guest Editor

Exercise-induced muscle damage (EIMD) is a common occurrence following strenuous exercise, particularly with unfamiliar activities involving eccentric contractions. The signs and symptoms of EIMD may include muscle soreness, local oedema, elevated enzymes (e.g., creatine kinase), reduced joint mobility, and compromised muscular contractility, which typically continues for 24-96 hours post-exercise. Thus, inadequate recovery following strenuous training sessions may impair the quality of training or augment the risks of physical injuries. Expanding our understanding in these areas will assist in managing the signs and symptoms of EIMD, improve athlete monitoring during strenuous training periods and enhance athlete readiness for each training session. In this Special Issue, papers on all methods and approaches with respect to acute and chronic responses of EIMD will be considered. Empirical papers are preferred, but reviews and theoretical papers will also be considered.

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