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Insects and Their Derivatives for Human Practical Uses 2nd Edition

Message from the Guest Editors

Insect culture has some environmental advantages compared to other forms of animal production; as such, insects are currently considered part of the circular economy. Nevertheless, the use of insects has not yet been widely adopted by humans. Insects have been proposed as a source of protein and valuable fatty acids, and chitin has been described as a probiotic and as suitable for use in recyclable containers. Insects are also useful in medical therapies. This Special Issue of *Insects* aims to present multidisciplinary approaches to the use of insects and their derivatives for human purposes, such as for nutritional, medical and legal purposes, in rearing systems, for food safety, and as environmental markers. Considering the success of our previous Special Issue "[Insects and Their Derivatives for Human Practical Uses](#)", we are pleased to launch [Insects and Their Derivatives for Human Practical Uses \(Volume II\)](#). Both original submissions and reviews will be considered for publication.

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