

Special Issue

Mite Nature: Taxonomy, Behavior and Dispersion

Message from the Guest Editors

Mites, together with ticks, are the most diverse and largest group of arachnids. Mites' taxonomy is a highly dynamic science with many new species being described under a diverse range of new tools for microscopy and biomolecular technology. This Special Issue is looking to bring together efforts and tools to improve the understanding of mite systematics, behavior, and dispersion strategies.

We are pleased to invite you to submit your manuscript for a Special Issue on "**Mites: Taxonomy, Behavior, and Dispersion**". In this Special Issue, original research articles and reviews are welcome. Research areas may include (but not be limited to) the following:

- Mite taxonomy and systematic reviews;
- Phylogeny of mite families;
- Tools and strategies to the study of mites;
- Mite behavior, adventive, and invasive species;
- Mite chemical ecology;
- Dispersion strategies and host colonization.

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