

## Special Issue

# Management of Wood-Attacking Insects

### Message from the Guest Editors

Wood is the most abundant biomass resource on the earth, and has been used throughout human history as an environmentally-friendly material. Wood-attacking insects are rich in diversity and abundance in tropical and sub-tropical countries, and the recent increase in global wood imports and exports has accelerated the invasion of these cryptic pests into new areas. This Special Issue of *Insects* will feature original research articles and reviews by leading research entomologists, wood scientists, and associated experts. Articles will focus on the biology, ecology, and physiology of current and emerging pest species and sustainable best practices for their management.

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