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Sustainable Marine Aquaculture and Fisheries

Message from the Guest Editor

As the global population increases, fisheries and aquaculture become increasingly critical to attend to the growing demand for safe and nutritional food. The majority of seafood comes from fisheries with over 77 million metric tons of wild fish and shellfish harvested every year. However, these fisheries place significant pressure on aquatic populations and ecosystems. Aguaculture may help to meet nutritional demands while preserving natural resources. According to recent studies, over 40% of the fish, shellfish and other seafood consumed is farmed. However, aquaculture presents unique challenges over traditional fisheries. Many environmental conditions must be carefully maintained in order to have successful aquaculture production. Furthermore, certain aquaculture practices may result in negative environmental impacts. It is essential that we identify and promote sustainable fishery and aquaculture practices to secure long-term operations and to safeguard the environment. As stated in the title, this issue is dedicated to research that clearly integrates sustainability for both marine aquaculture and fisheries.

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