

Special Issue

Aquaculture Impacts on Marine Ecosystems

Message from the Guest Editor

It is well known that aquaculture is one of the principal and very rapidly growing human activities carried out in the marine environment. Aquaculture can be seen from different points of view—as seafood production, as production of economic benefits, as employment opportunities, etc. However, in any case, successful aquaculture activities are highly dependent on the environment and the use of natural resources, having inevitable effects on different components of marine ecosystems. Therefore, the aim of this Special Issue is to gather and provide the most recent information about the very diverse effects of marine aquaculture activities on different components of marine ecosystems. These effects might be positive or negative, direct or indirect, evident on small (local) or wide spatial scales, and may have influences on nutrients, native populations of marine organisms and the trophic structure in the ecosystem. New knowledge on these relations between different marine aquaculture activities and marine ecosystems is likely to play an important role in proper planning in the context of ecosystem-based management (EBM) in the future.

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