

Special Issue

Climate Change and Harmful Algal Blooms

Message from the Guest Editor

The increasing frequency and intensity of harmful algal blooms (HAB) have been repeatedly reported worldwide, most likely as a response to changes in climatic conditions. Toxic algal species have been reported in regions where they were previously not known. Increasing seawater temperature, nutrients inputs, and light and ocean acidification, among changes to other parameters, appear to be stimulating the phytoplankton community and increasing the prevalence of harmful algal blooms, with consequences for the environment and seafood safety. This Special Issue aims to (1) raise awareness about changes to marine environments that are leading to the occurrence and spread of new toxic algae species, and the detection of new or emerging toxins; (2) call for a retrospective analysis of time-series data on toxic phytoplankton and toxins; and (3) act as a venue for the description and presentation of new technological tools for ocean observation in order to improve HAB and HAB-toxins survey.

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