# **Special Issue**

## Microbial Community Dynamics in Marine Ecosystem

### Message from the Guest Editors

Please consider submitting a manuscript to the Journal of Marine Science and Engineering for a Special Issue on Microbial Community Dynamics in Marine Ecosystems". Despite their small size, microorganisms play a crucial role at sea, contributing to the overall biomass and biodiversity. Microbial communities, key elements for the ecological dynamics of the marine environment, are characterized by an astonishing functional and genetic diversity. Our knowledge on marine microbiology, including the deep-sea, has certainly been enlarged thanks to the development, improvement, and application of modern exploration and investigation techniques (including advanced biomolecular tools). This has led to gaining a deepen insight into the relationships existing between microbes and their surrounding environment (e.g., water masses, sediments, sea-ice). For this Special Issue, we are looking for experimental studies, reviews, and distributional surveys relating to any aspect of microbial diversity, including ecology, population dynamics, and molecular biology, related to eukaryotes, prokaryotes, and viruses in the marine environment.

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