## **Special Issue**

## Fungal Pathogenesis and Host-Pathogen Interactions

## Message from the Guest Editor

The Journal of Fungi is pleased to announce a new Special Issue entitled "Fungal Pathogenesis and Host-Pathogen Interactions". This issue will focus on exploring the complex dynamics between fungal pathogens and their hosts. Topics of interest include, but are not limited to:

- Fungal virulence factors and pathogenicity
- Host immune responses to fungal infections
- Interplay between fungal pathogens and the host microbiome
- Comparative genomics of fungal pathogens and their hosts, analyzing metabolic pathways and interactions
- Cellular signaling pathways involved in host-pathogen interactions
- Antifungal drug resistance and novel treatment strategies
- Development of fungal vaccines and immunotherapies
- Environmental factors influencing fungal pathogenesis

Researchers and clinicians from various disciplines, including microbiology, immunology, infectious diseases, and molecular biology, are encouraged to submit original research articles and reviews.

## **Guest Editor**

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## Deadline for manuscript submissions

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