# **Special Issue**

# New Insights Into Leishmaniasis and Chagas Disease: Focus on Diagnosis and Genetic Characterization of Parasites: 2nd Edition

# Message from the Guest Editors

This second volume of this Special Issue follows on from the success of the first. Thus, we invite you to publish your research in this 2nd

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Leishmaniasis and Chagas disease, caused by the kinetoplastid protozoa *Leishmania spp.* and *Trypanosoma cruzi*, respectively, are among the most relevant neglected tropical diseases (NTDs). Both infections affect millions of people worldwide and are considered a global challenge.

Clinical manifestations and disease outcomes are diverse, depending on several patient-related factors, as well as the *Leishmania* species involved. Therefore, both diagnostic and typing techniques are essential to guide patient management and treatment.

We are pleased to invite you to contribute to this Special Issue, which is focused on the diagnosis and genetic diversity of these important parasitic infections, by submitting original articles and reviews. Our aim is to highligh the latest developments in the field and to gather new insights and perspectives in this area.

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