

Special Issue

Interactions between Fungi and Plant Parasitic Nematodes

Message from the Guest Editors

Fungi and nematodes have crucial roles in maintaining ecosystem stability and nutrient cycling. Plants can be influenced by the complex interplay among these associated organisms. This Special Issue contributes to a deeper understanding of the complex relationships between fungi and nematodes towards plant health, and their applications in sustainable agriculture and plant protection. Potential topics include, but are not limited to:

- Attraction and repulsion dynamics;
- Chemosensation, communicators, signal pathways, and receptors;
- The influence of environmental factors on fungal-nematode interactions;
- Host specificity and selectivity in fungal-nematode interactions;
- Application of omics technologies to study fungal-nematode interactions;
- The role of fungal-nematode interactions in the development of plant diseases;
- Fungal nematocidal potential in nematode management strategies;
- Ecological impacts of fungal-nematode interactions in soil ecosystems;
- Future perspectives for biological control in agriculture.

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