

Special Issue

Understanding of the Microbiome at the Genome Level

Message from the Guest Editors

A comprehensive understanding of how beneficial and pathogenic microbes interact with the host and other microorganisms is essential for developing microbiome manipulation strategies to enhance host health. As the of this Special Issue, we encourage the scientific community to submit contributions (original research articles, review articles, and short communications) in the following (but not exclusive) areas:

- Genomic research on microorganisms isolated (or recovered from metagenomic data) from the microbiomes.
- Genome-resolved inter-microbial interactions inside the microbiome
- Roles of beneficial- or pathogenicity-associated genes in the interactions of microbes with the microbiome
- The role of mycobiota and their interaction with bacteria
- The role of gut microbiota in stress (weaning stress, nutritional stress, heat stress, oxidative stress and etc.)

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