

Special Issue

Fungi and Health

Message from the Guest Editor

The Special Issue explores the role of fungi in human health. As human activities, modern medicine, and climate change exacerbate the effects of fungi on human health, it has become critical to expand our knowledge and understanding of pathogenic fungi. This Special Issue covers major examples of human pathogenic fungi, including *Aspergillus fumigatus*, *Cryptococcus neoformans* and *gattii*, *Candida albicans* spp., *Coccidioides* spp., and *Microsporidia* phylum. These studies contribute to a better understanding of the niche and epidemiology of fungal pathogens, as well as how they are acquired and transmitted by human patients. In addition, this Special Issue highlights the importance of researching novel diagnostic methods and analyzing clinical data to spot trends. It encourages the submission of research articles, review articles, and short newsletters, to promote scientific collaboration and expand research networks. This Special Issue will provide a platform for scholars to navigate a wide range of scientific fields more effectively, increase the visibility and impact of research outputs, and promote the rapid development of scientific discovery and applications.

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