# **Special Issue**

# Biologic and Molecular Characterisation of Parasites and Antiparasitic Activity of Natural Products: A Themed Issue Dedicated to Dr. Rafael A. Martínez-Díaz

### Message from the Guest Editors

Rafael A. Martínez-Díaz, Professor of Parasitology at the Faculty of Medicine in the Autonomous University of Madrid (Spain), was a tireless worker who dedicated more than 30 years of his life to contributing to the advancement of Parasitology. In addition to being an excellent researcher, "Rafa" was an exceptional teacher, much loved by his students for his wisdom, his patience, and his logical and orderly way of teaching.

In the scientific field, Rafa excelled especially in two areas to which he devoted equal parts of his time: the biological, genetic, and epidemiological characterization of animal and human parasites, and the search for new treatments against various parasitosis, especially treatments based on natural products and their components. In this Special Issue, contributions in both thematic areas are welcome in the form of original research, short communications, and reviews.

### **Guest Editors**

Dr. María Teresa Gómez-Muñoz

Dr. Azucena González Coloma

Prof. Dr. María Bailén

Prof. Dr. Francisco Ponce-Gordo

### Deadline for manuscript submissions

closed (31 October 2023)



## **Microorganisms**

an Open Access Journal by MDPI

Impact Factor 4.2 CiteScore 7.7 Indexed in PubMed



#### mdpi.com/si/102037

Microorganisms
Editorial Office
MDPI, Grosspeteranlage 5
4052 Basel, Switzerland
Tel: +41 61 683 77 34
microorganisms@mdpi.com

mdpi.com/journal/ microorganisms





## Microorganisms

an Open Access Journal by MDPI

Impact Factor 4.2 CiteScore 7.7 Indexed in PubMed



# **About the Journal**

### Message from the Editor-in-Chief

"Microorganism" merges the idea of the very small with the idea of the evolving reproducing organism is a unifying principle for the discipline of microbiology. Our journal recognizes the broadly diverse yet connected nature of microorganisms and provides an advanced publishing forum for original articles from scientists involved in high-quality basic and applied research on any prokaryotic or eukaryotic microorganism, and for research on the ecology, genomics and evolution of microbial communities as well as that exploring cultured microorganisms in the laboratory.

### Editor-in-Chief

Dr. Nico Jehmlich

Department of Molecular Toxicology, UFZ-Helmholtz Centre for Environmental Research, 04318 Leipzig, Germany

### **Author Benefits**

### **High Visibility:**

indexed within Scopus, SCIE (Web of Science), PubMed, PMC, PubAg, CAPlus / SciFinder, AGRIS, and other databases.

### **Journal Rank:**

JCR - Q2 (Microbiology) / CiteScore - Q1 (Microbiology (medical))

### **Rapid Publication:**

manuscripts are peer-reviewed and a first decision is provided to authors approximately 15.2 days after submission; acceptance to publication is undertaken in 2.9 days (median values for papers published in this journal in the first half of 2025).

