

## Special Issue

# Chitosan and Natural Compounds for the Control of Preharvest and Postharvest Diseases of Horticultural Commodities

### Message from the Guest Editors

Most plant pathogens and foodborne microorganisms are of international interest; hence, their control falls upon all of us. Therefore, the purpose of this Special Issue is to publish relevant scientific data and reviews that include novel non-chemical and non-toxic alternatives for the control of agricultural pathogenic microorganisms. The scope of this Special Issue of *Molecules* entitled, 'Chitosan and natural compounds for the control of preharvest and postharvest diseases of horticultural commodities' is focused on ongoing research and the latest developments with animal and plant derivatives, plus other options that are gaining interest within the scientific community.

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