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# **Anthocyanin**

## Message from the Guest Editors

The emerging epidemic of chronic degenerative noncommunicable diseases such as neurodegenerative diseases, obesity, and cardiovascular disease has prompted the search for natural products able to counteract these pathologies. In this perspective, polyphenols and anthocyanins, in particular, which we ingest with food on a daily basis, represent one of the most attractive categories of bioactive molecules. Their activities range from antioxidant to cardiometabolic, neuropotective, anticancer, and antimicrobial effects. Authors are invited to submit manuscripts which focus on aspects related to anthocyanins, such as isolation and analytical characterization, biological activities (antioxidant, health promoting, antimicrobial), and nutritional aspects of anthocyanins intake (from absorption and metabolism to functional foods/nutraceuticals).

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