



Malnutrition and Unsustainability: The Role of the Diet in Achieving Global Security and an Adequate, Safe, and Sustainable Food System

Guest Editor:

Dr. Marika Ferrari

Council for Agricultural Research
and Economics-Research Centre
for Food and Nutrition, Via
Ardeatina 546, 00178 Rome, Italy
marika.ferrari@crea.gov.it

Deadline for manuscript
submissions:

closed (1 July 2021)

Message from the Guest Editor

Dear Colleagues,

Approaching food systems by adopting the perspective of diets can bring operational insights to the issue of the evolution of food systems towards sustainability according to its four dimensions: ecological, economic, social and food security and nutrition. Diet can be a good entry point to see what can be done individually and collectively to improve the ability of food systems to provide sufficient quantity, quality, and diversity of safe, affordable, and nutritious foods preserving biodiversity at production level and diversity of diet.

Examples of important research questions that this Special Issue hopes to address include (but are not limited to):

- Are some target groups more susceptible to unsustainable diet for micronutrient deficiency/hunger and/or obesity than others?
- How can we operationalize changes in the food system and diet combining health aspects and sustainable dimensions?
- What is the contribution of national dietary guidelines to address the shift versus a sustainable diet?
- How is a possible strategy to ensure biodiversity and nutrition security through food consumption?





nutrients



an Open Access Journal by MDPI

Editors-in-Chief

Prof. Dr. Lluís Serra-Majem

Professor of Preventive Medicine & Public Health, Director of the Research Institute of Biomedical and Health Sciences, University of Las Palmas de Gran Canaria, Spain

Prof. Dr. Maria Luz Fernandez

Department of Nutritional Sciences, University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT 06269, USA

Message from the Editorial Board

Nutrients is an on-line open access journal that was first published in 2009. *Nutrients* adheres to rigorous peer-review and editorial processes and publishes only high quality manuscripts that address important issues related to the impacts of nutrients on human health. The Impact Factor of *Nutrients* has risen rapidly since its establishment and it is now ranked in the first quartile of journals publishing in the field of nutrition and dietetics research.

Author Benefits

Open Access:— free for readers, with article processing charges (APC) paid by authors or their institutions.

High Visibility: indexed within Scopus, SCIE (Web of Science), PubMed, MEDLINE, PMC, Embase, AGRICOLA, AGRIS, and many other databases.

Journal Rank: JCR - Q1 (*Nutrition & Dietetics*) / CiteScore - Q1 (*Food Science*)

Contact Us

Nutrients
MDPI, St. Alban-Anlage 66
4052 Basel, Switzerland

Tel: +41 61 683 77 34
Fax: +41 61 302 89 18
www.mdpi.com

mdpi.com/journal/nutrients
nutrients@mdpi.com
@Nutrients_MDPI