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Genomic Insights into Parasites of Fishes

Message from the Guest Editor

Parasites of fishes are highly diverse and speciose, and all major parasitic phyla are represented. Some species are considered highly important for fisheries and aquaculture. Despite this, many species are underdescribed, or even unknown. Advances in genomic and molecular technologies present an opportunity to develop a more robust understanding of fish host-parasite relationships, as well as the evolutionary relationships of parasite groups. With the advent of new technologies, there is an opportunity to develop deeper and broader insights into these parasites. This Special Issue is open to all studies employing genomic techniques to advance the understanding of fish parasites.

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