Special Issue

Foodborne Pathogens— Genome Sequencing Collection

Message from the Guest Editors

It is well known that next/third-generation sequencing technologies along with bioinformatic applications are currently revolutionizing food microbiology. The focus of this Special Issue is to address the most recent trends in the application of deep sequencing technologies in characterizing foodborne pathogens, therefore ensuring food safety. The scope of this Special Issue will be broad so as to encompass well-known foodborne pathogens in addition to emerging foodborne pathogens. Reports on the utilization of next/third-generation sequencing technologies in characterization of the microbiome associated with food/food process environments are also very welcome.

The main goal of this issue is to enlighten and promote the broad application of DNA deep sequencing technologies within the food industry. In addition, we also endeavor to address the novel applications highlighting the research gaps with an aim to increase food safety by driving further research into this theme. We look forward to receiving your latest research findings to be published in this special issue.

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The worldwide impact of infectious disease is incalculable. The consequences for human health in terms of morbidity and mortality are obvious and vast but, when infections of animals and plants are also taken into account, it is hard to imagine any other disease that has such a significant impact on our lives—on healthcare systems, on agriculture and on world economics. *Pathogens* is proud to continue to serve the international community by publishing high quality studies that further our understanding of infection and have meaningful consequences for disease intervention.

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