

Special Issue

Gut Microbiome: Current Status and Future Perspectives

Message from the Guest Editors

Gut microbiota are now considered as one of the key elements contributing to the regulation of host health. Because of the development of molecular tools and techniques, the complex interactions between the host and the different microorganisms are progressively being deciphered. Gut microbiota deviations are linked with many diseases including obesity, type 2 diabetes, intestinal bowel diseases (IBDs) and several types of cancer. Moreover, scientists have identified that the gut microbiome contributes not only to the health and diseases of the gut itself, but also to those remote extra-enteric organs such as the liver, brain, heart and bone via a bidirectional signaling process. With the rapid development of gut microbiome research and the increase in up-to-date knowledge, the monitoring of the host microbiome has become an emerging area of diagnostics for personalized medicine. Therefore, we invite colleagues and health professionals in basic, clinical and field research to submit their manuscripts to this Special Issue in the form of original research studies and reviews.

Guest Editors

Dr. Vlasta Demeckova

Dr. Petra Hradicka

Dr. Dagmar Mudronova

Deadline for manuscript submissions

closed (31 December 2024)



Pathogens

an Open Access Journal
by MDPI

Impact Factor 3.3
CiteScore 6.8
Indexed in PubMed



mdpi.com/si/127372

Pathogens
Editorial Office
MDPI, Grosspeteranlage 5
4052 Basel, Switzerland
Tel: +41 61 683 77 34
pathogens@mdpi.com

[mdpi.com/journal/
pathogens](https://mdpi.com/journal/pathogens)





Pathogens

an Open Access Journal
by MDPI

Impact Factor 3.3
CiteScore 6.8
Indexed in PubMed



[mdpi.com/journal/
pathogens](https://mdpi.com/journal/pathogens)



About the Journal

Message from the Editor-in-Chief

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.

Editor-in-Chief

Prof. Dr. Hinh Ly

Department of Veterinary and Biomedical Sciences, College of
Veterinary Medicine, University of Minnesota, Saint Paul, MN 55108,
USA

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, PubAg, CaPlus / SciFinder, AGRIS, and other databases.

Journal Rank:

JCR - Q2 (Microbiology) / CiteScore - Q1 (Infectious Diseases)