

Special Issue

Microbial Biosensors for Soil Monitoring

Message from the Guest Editor

Soils are the fundament of terrestrial ecosystems, providing essential ecosystem services. Soil damage has gradually been increasing due to anthropogenic activities and increased soil use. Loss of soil carbon, soil pollution, and erosion are global problems. This Special Issue aims to present innovative research focused on monitoring soil parameters using microbial biosensors or bioassays. This can include, but is not limited to, standard agrochemical parameters, biological parameters, as well as soil damage or pollution indicators. Laboratory studies as well as development of portable methods for in situ use are welcome. Of special interests are studies comparing standard analytical methods with bioanalytical processes. The methods should use living or dead microorganisms including genetically engineered organisms (bioreporters). Research papers, opinion papers, as well as critical reviews related to field are welcome.

- Soil quality
- Soil pollution
- Soil biosensors
- Soil bioassays
- Bioreporters
- Soil microbial communities

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