

Special Issue

Soil Health and Agricultural Sustainability

Message from the Guest Editors

Currently, soil health faces multifaceted challenges, including the deterioration and pollution of chemical properties, the degradation of physical structure and functions, imbalances and the weakening of biological communities and their functions, etc. This Special Issue aims to address the critical role that soil ecosystems have in sustaining agricultural productivity and environmental resilience. With increasing pressures from climate change, land degradation, and intensive farming, maintaining soil health has become fundamental to achieving long-term food security and sustainable development goals. This Special Issue invites research that explores innovative approaches—including biological, physical, and chemical strategies—to enhance soil quality, restore degraded lands, and promote resource-efficient farming systems. Contributions may cover topics such as organic matter management, nutrient cycling, contamination remediation, and the integration of traditional knowledge with modern technologies.

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