

Special Issue

Food Waste Management and Sustainability in the Food System

Message from the Guest Editor

Food waste is one of the main challenges threatening the sustainability of food systems, and its reduction is recognized as an urgent issue due to public concerns related to the expected growth of the world population, increasing pressures on environmental resources, and changes in dietary patterns.

This Special Issue invites authors to contribute with original research or case studies presenting new evidence concerning:

- Quantification of food waste and its impact in different stages of the food supply chain;
- Factors determining food waste at the consumer and household level;
- Strategies for the exploitation of losses and waste in different stages of the supply chain;
- Strategies implemented by producers or retailers in order to prevent and reduce food waste;
- Innovative solutions and actions proposed by public and private entities aimed at minimizing food waste along the supply chain;
- Solutions aimed at recovering food waste and promoting the donation of food and/or support food sharing practices for vulnerable consumers.

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