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Rural Revitalization and the Green Transformation of Global Agriculture

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What is the role of agriculture? It is one of the most powerful tools to end poverty, boost shared prosperity, and feed a projected 9.7 billion people by 2050. After eight years of arduous efforts, China has offered the world a model for poverty alleviation by lifting nearly 100 million Chinese people out of poverty, now China is committed to promoting two major strategies to further improve its level of modernization; one is to achieve comprehensive rural revitalization, and the other is to achieve green agricultural transformation. Not only China but also the whole world has been paying great attention to this topic. This Special Issue serves as a platform to call for and collect global wisdom that focuses on 1) the economic/political aspects of rural revitalization and the green transformation of agriculture; 2) green crop production systems and integrated soil-crop system management; 3) integrated crop-livestock production systems, manure management; 4) green food products and industry; 5) the rural environment and ecosystem services. Other closely related or interdisciplinary studies are also warmly welcomed.

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