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Message from the Guest Editors

Seafood demand is ever growing over a widening share of populations in modern economies due to its nutritional and health benefits. Solid growth in the seafood sector has given rise to challenges in the sustainable management and conservation of fishery resources, including conservation impacts on nontarget species. While the aquaculture sector has recently grown rapidly to meet rising seafood demand, the sector has remained underutilized in the face of many challenges including disease, environmental degradation, climate change, stringent regulation, stiff competition for key inputs, etc. Developing better approaches to overcome these issues will remain of paramount importance. This special edition seeks papers that identify the successful drivers of sustainable seafood production and consumption, including issues in capture fisheries and aquaculture. Lessons from both success and failures will pave a path for future seafood sustainability. Successful innovation in managing and conserving marine resources and in sustainable aquaculture production ultimately offers the potential to optimize seafood's contribution to societal welfare.

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