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Sustainable Innovation, Social Responsibility and Governance in the Agri-Food Value Chains

Message from the Guest Editors

In the agri-food sector, innovation is a strategic driver that makes it possible to create internal economies, and to address societal challenges. Moreover, at present the agri-food companies must be able to meet citizenconsumers' needs, increasingly attentive to important issues such as the food-health relationship, the fight against climate change, the depletion of natural resources, hydrogeological instability, and the loss of the landscape. In order to satisfy these new kinds of needs, the innovation process in food supply chains has become necessary and has oriented the choices of companies towards investments in sustainable innovations and social responsibility. This Special Issue will offer findings that address the topic of sustainable innovations and social responsibility in agri-food value chains and the coordination problems within them. Manuscripts describing new research, new summaries, and new theories are welcome.

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