

Special Issue

Sustainable Use of Marine Resources: Challenges, Dilemmas and Opportunities from Catch to Consumers

Message from the Guest Editors

The Special Issue aims to supplement the existing literature by focusing on the challenges, dilemmas and opportunities related to the utilization of marine resources throughout value chains from catch to consumer and in line with sustainability goals at the national and supranational level. We seek research applying diverse research methods, including detailed case studies and econometric modeling of fisheries management systems, fisher behavior and fisher–processor interactions, as well as the performance of ex-vessel markets, to further our understanding of factors influencing sustainable resource use. We also encourage ethnographic and survey-based consumer research as well as novel methods such as eye-tracking to examine consumers' in-store choices, focusing on the role of sustainability claims, ecolabels and quality cues. Studies on barriers to and drivers of sustainable consumer behavior related to seafood are also welcome. Topics may include, but are not limited to:

- Dilemmas between sustainability goals and fishery management and regulation;
- Trade-offs in fishery management such as costs and efficiency versus price and quality;

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