Special Issue

From Farm to Table: Sustainable Management in Animal Husbandry

Message from the Guest Editors

For decades, applied practices and technologies in animal husbandry were aimed to increase productivity with no or minor concerns of the effects of this drive, either locally or globally. However, with time, various issues of such production practices have been detected, and a need for solutions has emerged. Sustainable animal husbandry balances between the growing demand for animal-derived products and the need to reduce negative side-effects. In order to preserve ecological processes, biodiversity, and productivity into the future, sustainable animal husbandry integrates environmental, social, and economic aspects of food production. Principles of sustainability in animal husbandry can be applied through the entire process of production (i.e., from farm to table).

This Special Issue will offer findings that address the challenge of sustainable food management in animal husbandry. Manuscripts describing new approaches, new syntheses, and new theories are welcome.

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