

Special Issue

Circular Economy and Bio-Economy in the Agriculture: Advances in Public Policies and New Corporate Strategies on Sustainable Development

Message from the Guest Editor

Traditionally, agriculture has been the primary source of resources for ensuring the health and nutrition of the world's population. Nowadays, agricultural production has a bigger potential contribution, even more if we consider problems such as food scarcity or inequality in several countries. The aim of this Special Issue is to review strategies from both governments and firms, related with the circular Economy Framework as well as bio-economy in the agricultural sector (in line with the SDGs). This Special Issue invites the submission of papers focused on the evolution of public policies that affect sustainability and bio-economy. Moreover, papers that deepen on the evolution of companies' and farmers' strategies that operate in the agricultural sector in order to achieve more sustainable processes are welcome. Finally, this Special Issue may contain papers that reflect the negative externalities produced by the linear production process as well as the particular strategies developed by farmers and companies which tend to adapt their process to the circular economy. It also will include papers related to new technologies applied.

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