

Special Issue

Concentration and Competition in the Fisheries Sector: Current Trends and Challenges for Sustainability and Human Well-Being

Message from the Guest Editor

Globalization is increasing the economic power of transnational corporations in relation to national governments, but the effects of this gradual shift in global fisheries are largely unknown. There is a need to better understand the dynamics of the capital of fishing companies because the capital behavior, actors and/or firms can significantly impact the fisheries sector around the world. Despite this substantial body of theoretical work, there are currently few empirical studies that primarily investigate investment in fisheries and the firm-level investment drivers in fisheries. This Special Issue goes beyond the state of the art by collecting scientific papers related but not limited to the following topics:

- Current situation concerning the ownership structure of fishing vessels and the concentration of vessels and quotas,
- Concentration of vessels, quotas, fishing rights and licenses,
- Characterizing local, regional or national notable transactions, and
- Financialization and the role of banks in the fisheries sector.

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