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Food Environment and Food Retailing: Nutrition, Health and Sustainable Food Policy

Message from the Guest Editor

Over the last 50 years, food systems globally have undergone profound transitions. In most countries around the world, food environments are increasingly being dominated by large multi-national food retailers. This transition has great implications up and down the food chain. The effects of food retail change can therefore have an impact on environmental health related to farming practices, as well as human health in terms of changes in food availability and affordability. In this Special Issue we aim to produce a collective picture of the impact of food environments and particularly food retail systems at all of these levels, environmental health, agricultural and food producer livelihoods, and consumer and nutrition outcomes. We invite applications that address the impact of food environments in all of these areas. We particularly encourage contributions and analyses from low- and middle-income settings where food retail and food environment change is most recent and still ongoing.

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