

Special Issue

Sustainable Aquaculture and Community Development

Message from the Guest Editor

There is compelling evidence that wild harvests of fish, crustaceans and other aquatic species will not be able to keep up with the demands of a global population that is expected to reach 9.7 billion by 2050. Around 90% of the world's stocks are now fully fished or overfished, while habitat degradation and human-induced climate change are placing increased stress on all aquatic life. Higher incomes and greater consumer awareness of the nutritional benefits of aquatic products are pushing global per capita consumption to record highs.

Sustainable aquaculture must be viewed through a broad lens that encompasses the social dynamics and diversity of the communities in which it takes place. This Special Issue aims to investigate the contribution of aquaculture to community development, and the challenges associated with local resource use, from a variety of perspectives. These include, but are not limited to, food security, poverty alleviation, governance, and livelihoods. Insights from marine and freshwater environments, and developed and developing nations are welcome in this issue.

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