

Special Issue

Veterinary Vaccines and Diagnostic Tools

Message from the Guest Editors

The lifesaving role of vaccination in the fight against SARS-CoV-2 provides a great reminder of the importance of vaccines controlling various animal diseases. During these periods, pathogens have posed a constant threat to the health and welfare of animals and to the humans who care for them, either directly or indirectly. Despite remarkable advances in treatments and diagnostics this century, vaccination remains the most effective means to protect animal populations from serious diseases. By improving our understanding of the various immune responses and their role in disease prevention, we can best harness the utilization of vaccines in the ongoing tussle between pathogens and their hosts. This Special Issue focuses on veterinary vaccines and diagnostic tools. Submissions of original articles, systematic reviews, short communications and other types of articles on related topics are welcomed. All manuscripts will follow standard journal peer review practices. We look forward to receiving your contributions to this Special Issue.

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Message from the Editor-in-Chief

Vaccines (ISSN 2076-393X), founded in 2013, now has a firm history of publishing peer-reviewed, state-of-the-art research papers on vaccines and vaccination in the broadest sense. Areas covered include, but are not limited to, novel and emerging vaccine technologies, building on in-depth knowledge of what constitutes a protective immune response. These can be new vaccines for old diseases, or old vaccines for new diseases. Vaccines against cancer and autoimmune diseases explicitly are also within the scope of the journal. Because public opinion and even government policies towards vaccines and vaccination have changed, vaccine policy and public health issues are major concerns. Climate change will also have an impact on the spread of infectious diseases, and thus also on vaccine and vaccination policies worldwide.

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