

Special Issue

Swine Management: Reproduction and Breeding

Message from the Guest Editor

The upcoming Special Issue of our journal invites original research, reviews, and innovative approaches focused on swine management with a spotlight on reproduction and breeding. As global demand for pork production rises, optimizing reproductive efficiency and genetic improvement in swine has never been more crucial. This Special Issue seeks to bring together cutting-edge insights into reproductive physiology, breeding strategies, assisted reproductive technologies, genetic selection, and management practices that enhance productivity and animal welfare. We welcome contributions from a broad spectrum of disciplines, including animal genetics, veterinary sciences, reproductive biotechnology, and sustainable livestock systems. As scientists, whether you are working with AI, embryo transfer, genomic selection, or practical on-farm management, your research can help shape the future of swine production. Join us in advancing science and innovation in swine reproduction and breeding. Submit your work and be part of this essential conversation!

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