

## Special Issue

# Viruses and Climate Change: Looking for a Connection

### Message from the Guest Editors

The Special Issue invites submissions on the following topics, but additional relevant contributions are also welcome:

- **Climate-Driven Viral Dynamics:** Investigate the influence of global climate variations on the prevalence and behavior of viruses, exploring how climate factors may shape viral epidemiology.
- **Eco-Evolutionary Responses of Viruses:** Examine how viruses adapt and evolve in response to changing environmental conditions, impacting their virulence, transmission patterns, and host range.
- **Climate Change as a Catalyst for Viral Pandemics:** Explore the potential role of climate change in triggering or exacerbating viral pandemics, considering factors such as altered ecosystems, extreme weather events, and habitat disruption.
- **Resilience and Adaptation Strategies:** Discuss strategies for mitigating the impact of viral infections in the context of climate change, considering both global and local perspectives.

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