Special Issue

Emerging Micropollutants: Challenges and Solutions in Detection and Treatment

Message from the Guest Editors

Micropollutants, which are mainly organic chemicals, have been regarded as significant challenges in water treatment due to their low concentrations, exceptional chemical stability, and profound toxicity. Since emerging micropollutants are now widely present in the natural environment, there is an urgent need to understand their nature and characteristics, as well as their transport and transformation patterns in the aquatic environment. The subtopics of a submitted manuscript may include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Establishing fingerprints of micropollutant distribution;
- Determining the toxicity of micropollutants;
- Rapid detection of micropollutants;
- Treatment of micropollutants;
- Treatment of micropollutants in industrial discharges;
- Treatment of micropollutants in domestic emissions;
- Treatment of micropollutants from agricultural emissions:
- Treatment of micropollutants produced by microorganisms;
- Adsorption of micropollutants;
- Membrane separation of micropollutants;
- Chemical oxidation of micropollutants;
- Electrochemical oxidation of micropollutants;
- Photocatalytic oxidation of micropollutants.

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