

Special Issue

Research on Emerging Pollutants in Aquatic Systems

Message from the Guest Editors

Emerging organic pollutants in aquatic ecosystems, including pharmaceuticals, personal care products, microplastics, PFASs, and antimicrobial resistance (ARM), are increasingly detected in surface and groundwater bodies worldwide. This Special Issue aims to bring together recent advances in the identification, occurrence, fate, and transport of these contaminants across diverse aquatic environments. It also seeks contributions addressing innovative mitigation and treatment approaches, particularly those based on green and sustainable technologies, as well as methodologies for exposure and risk assessment at ecological and human-health levels. Interdisciplinary studies that link chemical analysis, ecological responses, modeling, and regulatory perspectives are especially welcome. Topics of interest include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Occurrence and monitoring of emerging pollutants;
- Fate, transport, and transformation in aquatic systems;
- Nature-based and advanced treatment solutions;
- Risk assessment and ecotoxicology;
- Modeling and prioritization frameworks;
- Policy and management strategies.

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