

## Special Issue

# Advances of Spectrometric Techniques in Food Analysis and Authentication

### Message from the Guest Editor

The food industry and consumers demand for tools that can assure the quality (e.g., composition) and origin of foods (e.g., authenticity, fraud, provenance) in both the supply and value chains, have increased during the past decades. Although there have been advances and improvements in instrumentation, and techniques that have excellent analytical capabilities, some of these methods are considered time consuming and expensive. These issues have encouraged developments in the utilization of a wide range of spectrometric techniques, such as vibrational spectroscopy and data analytics. This Special Issue seeks articles (e.g., short reviews, reviews, case studies) demonstrating recent progress in spectrometry techniques, including NIR, MIR, hyperspectral, Raman, UV-VIS, machine learning in food analytics and authentication applications (e.g., fraud, provenance, traceability). Articles focusing on novel device technologies, miniaturization, machine learning or the application of these technologies for the characterization of food products are also welcomed.

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