

# Special Issue

## Ecology, Diversity and Functions of Members of the Planctomycetes, Verrucomicrobia and Chlamydia (PVC) Superphylum

### Message from the Guest Editors

The PVC superphylum is one of the most unknown and enigmatic clusters of microorganisms and consists of the phyla Planctomycetes, Verrucomicrobia, and Chlamydiae, which are comprised of unusual characteristics and traits. We welcome all kinds of studies covering various aspects of ecology, diversity, and functions of planctomycetes, verrucomicrobia, and chlamydia bacteria. Potential topics include but are not limited to the following: novel PVC bacteria; genome-based systematics of and metabolic traits of members of the PVC superphylum.

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