

Special Issue

COVID-19: Current Situation and Future Trends

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue provides an avenue for authors from various disciplines to provide feedback on the response and our future preparedness around COVID-19 globally, as well as to disseminate critical information about the SARS-CoV-2 virus and the associated COVID-19 pandemic. We are accepting submissions from around the world, but we are particularly interested in submissions featuring perspectives from the southern hemisphere. The scope of the issue shall encompass the following:

- Original articles about COVID-19 (including epidemiology, modelling, clinical data, treatment, prevention, countermeasures, impact on tropical regions, vaccines, response, and preparedness);
- Original articles about SARS-CoV-2, including new variants (microbiology, virology, diagnosis, transmission, pathology, and vaccinology);
- Perspectives about COVID-19 and SARS-CoV-2 (comparisons with past coronavirus outbreaks, impactful local initiatives, novel responses and commentaries);
- Reviews on COVID-19 (based on systematic and narrative reviews);
- Innovations (vaccine development, drug trials, facilitating international travel and other countermeasures).

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