



Ocean Conservation and Pollution in an Era of Blue Economy

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Dear Colleagues,

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Ocean pollution is one of the main causes affecting the health and conservation of the global ocean. In the *renaissance* of the Blue Economy, ocean problems and solutions should be prioritized for an environmentally sustainable and socially equitable use of the oceans. The proactive and precautionary conservation of the ocean is key for the survival of marine species and the wellbeing of human beings

We welcome contributions from ocean scientists, marine ecotoxicologists, coastal and civil engineers, environmental engineers, oceanographers, social scientists and maritime anthropologists, environmental and fisheries economists in academia, government, industry, and non-governmental organizations that aim to highlight scientific advancements, new knowledge, and solution-oriented research within this Special Issue.





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