Message from the Guest Editor

Dear Colleagues,

Infections due to foodborne pathogens continue to be a major source of disease worldwide, especially in developing countries where these infections are a significant cause of morbidity and mortality. Foodborne diseases can be caused by a number of viral, bacterial, and eukaryotic pathogens.

In this Special Issue, we invite submissions from the many disciplines that cover this broad field. These can include original research spanning the “farm-to-fork” aspect of food safety. Of particular interest is: emerging foodborne pathogens, emergence of drug resistance in pathogens, microbial pathogenesis, and use of novel technologies to detect, identify or classify foodborne pathogens.

We look forward to your contribution.

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Message from the Editor-in-Chief

The worldwide impact of infectious disease is incalculable. The consequences for human health in terms of morbidity and mortality are obvious and vast but, when infections of animals and plants are also taken into account, it is hard to imagine any other disease that has such a significant impact on our lives—on healthcare systems, on agriculture and on world economics. *Pathogens* is proud to continue to serve the international community by publishing high quality studies that further our understanding of infection and have meaningful consequences for disease intervention.

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