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Agricultural development spans over multiple interrelated domains, including rural population, resource markets, agricultural production, and environmental systems. The proper balancing of the needs of different stakeholders requires policy interventions that may be facilitated at different levels (international, national, and subnational policies). This Special Issue deals with the complex problematics of agricultural development, with a focus on local policies, sociological considerations, and economic analyses. The quantitative and qualitative approaches can be taken to address the most relevant challenges for contemporary agricultural systems, stemming from sustainability goals, supply chain disruptions, and resilience objectives. The topics to be addressed in this Special Issue include, but are not limited to, the following:

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Agricultural finance and trade;
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Implementation of cross-cutting objectives in agriculture;
Sustainable agricultural development;
Sustainable rural development;
Local action towards agricultural development;
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