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## **New Insights in Soil Quality and Management**

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## **Message from the Guest Editors**

Soil is a central component in the regulation of nutrient cycles, the control and buffering of contamination, as well as the control and regulation of the C cycle, among others. Methods used to determine soil quality and soil management, according to different sources of impacts, such as polymetallic contamination, pesticides, forest fires, desertification, erosion, etc., are constantly evolving and innovating.

This Special Issue aims to present the most relevant advances in the following: different indicators and modes of soil management, such as the establishment of quality indicators in soils, as well as indicators and indices of risk in relation to different ecosystem and human health disturbances; the creation of predictive models of soil quality and management using remote sensing and AI techniques; the development of indicators and sensors for determining soil quality; methods of soil quality assessment; and the various strategies and forms of sustainable soil management. Studies are encouraged to consider applied solutions in the fields of agriculture, forestry, industry, and mining, as well as to explore urban soils in real situations and medium—long-term studies.











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