



## Quality and Production of Forage

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### **Message from the Guest Editor**

Dear Colleagues,

The present Special Issue will welcome contributions of both reviews and original articles. The aim is to receive scientific contributions from different countries (Europe, North and South America, Africa, Asia, Australia). The contributions will investigate the quality and production of the major and new forages in use around the world (including grasses, cereal or pulse crops used as forage); the influence of forage characteristics on animal performances and products quality; as well as the forage qualitative aspects as affected by conservation methods (hay and silage).

Manuscripts (reviews and original articles) may include, but are not limited to, the impact of the following topics:

- Innovative strategies for forage production;
- Forage quality and animal productive performance;
- Animal products as affected by forage in diet;
- Fertilization of forage crops;
- Crop production intensification for sustainable agriculture;
- Forage yield and quality under different environmental conditions;
- Forage conservation method.

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