



## Emerging and Re-emerging Fish and Shellfish Viruses - Special Issue Dedicated to Dr. James R. Winton

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### Message from the Guest Editors

Dear colleagues,

As many of you are aware, Dr. James R. Winton of the United States Geological Service Western Fisheries Research Center, Seattle, Washington has recently retired after a remarkable career in fish health research and management that focused on fish viruses. We, his students, friends, colleagues, and collaborators are assembling this Special Issue on emerging and re-emerging fish and shellfish viruses as a tribute to his outstanding career.

Emerging and re-emerging fish and shellfish viral infections present a substantial impediment to fishery conservation, sustainability, and farming. Overwhelmed by the current situation, fishery managers and scientists are anxious to decipher the nature of emerging viruses, their reservoirs, modes of transmission, as well as potential targets for drug discovery and vaccine development.

We would like to invite you to contribute to Dr. Winton's Special Issue by submitting a research paper, review article, or short communication that further our understanding of fish and shellfish viruses' pathogenicity, immunology, epidemiology, improved diagnostics, newly developed vaccines, taxonomy, and host susceptibility.





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