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The Effect of Ocean Acidification on Skeletal Structures

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Message from the Guest Editors

The Special Issue aims to bring together current knowledge on OA in carbonate depositional ecosystems in perspective and review papers, and the latest research results, to provide a basis for this ongoing discussion. These ecosystems include but are not limited to coral reefs, oyster reefs, calcifying algae, etc. in which calcifiers are the predominant reef engineer. Thus, we invite contributions on new research outcomes in skeletal precipitation and structure, physiological mechanisms that underpin complex host and symbiont interactions, and responses of heterotrophic and phototrophic calcifiers under projected OA conditions. The goal is to contribute to a better understanding of what to expect for the future of carbonate depositional systems, resilience, and potential avenues for counteracting negative effects on calcification triggered by increasing CO2 concentrations.

If you are interested in contributing to the Special Issue but may not able to meet the deadline, please do not hesitate to contact us. As we aim for an interesting compilation of state-of-the-art and novel insights, we invite you to contribute your view to this growing Special Issue.











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