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Occurrence of Pharmaceuticals in Water and Their Removal Technologies

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Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

Knowledge on the occurrence of pharmaceuticals in the water cycle and on their fingerprints across the world is crucial to obtain a global perspective of the problem, and thus prioritize solutions. To tackle the problem, cutting-edge and effective treatment approaches need to be implemented prior to the discharge or reuse of waters contaminated with pharmaceuticals.

This Special Issue will focus on original articles or review articles addressing the following topics (however, this list is by no means exhaustive):

- The occurrence of pharmaceuticals in aquatic matrices (wastewater, surface/ground water, and drinking water): antineoplastic drugs; immunosuppressants; antibiotics; antifungals; antivirals; nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drugs; anticonvulsants; β-blockers, etc.
- Wastewater treatment: advanced oxidation technologies (AOTs such as UV-based technologies (e.g., UV/H2O2, UV/Cl); Fenton and photo-Fenton processes; TiO2 photocatalysis; ozone-based processes; etc.); membrane separation; biological treatments; adsorption; coupling technologies; and advances in materials, catalysts, and methods of AOTs for water treatment.

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