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## Ecological Quality Status Assessment of Aquatic Ecosystems: New Methods and Perspectives for the Future

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This Special Issue will provide new scientific knowledge by attracting high-quality papers on the use of meiofaunal organisms and/or eDNA and/or fingerprinting techniques to monitor diversity and the health of transitional and marine waters. Specifically, this Special Issue will highlight the need for an improvement of the marine legislation implementation process, particularly focusing on new groups like meiofauna and new techniques either numerical or molecular. Contributions that consider recent fossil assemblages for the reconstruction of paleoecological quality status and to define in situ reference conditions using the hindcasting approach are also welcome.

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