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## **Special Issue on Livestock**

## **Call for Papers**

**Livestock** are domesticated animals raised in an agricultural setting to produce commodities such as food, fiber, and labor. The breeding, maintenance, and slaughter of these animals, known as animal husbandry, is a component of modern agriculture that has been practiced in many cultures since humanity's transition to farming from hunter-gatherer lifestyles. **Livestock** production continues to play a major economic and cultural role in numerous rural communities.

In this special issue, we intend to invite front-line researchers and authors to submit original researches and review articles on exploring **livestock**. Potential topics include, but are not limited to:

- Animal rearing
- Farming practices
- Livestock diseases
- Livestock transportation and marketing
- Animal welfare
- Environmental effects of meat production
- Economic and social benefits

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Please kindly specify the "**Special Issue**" under your manuscript title. The research field "**Special Issue** – *Livestock*" should be selected during your submission.

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