

Call for papers

Ornamental Horticulture Journal

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"New crops, new uses"

Ornamental Horticulture is seeking submissions for a Special Issue, entitled "New crops, new uses". The Special Issue seeks contributions that explore new information, applications and technologies related to ornamental and medicinal plants, gardens and landscaping planning.

Specifically, it seeks manuscripts that consider plants for commercial purposes (including flowers and foliages), plants used as medicinal, condiments, and aromatics; plants for gardens, landscape and landscaping, as well as, uses for urban purposes. It is important to consider the biotechnology areas and how it has been widely used to improve plant development. Also *in vitro* propagation, plant transformation and molecular biology are important aspects, which provide the identification and development of new crops and varieties. Aspects that are involved in plant development as soil and nutrition, pests and diseases resistance, postharvest, commercialization, botany and others are also welcome to this issue.

Since the environmental sustainability is nowadays very important to all areas of knowledge, papers that focus on it will be appreciated, as well as studies with adaptation under different environmental stresses, identifying varieties suited to a changing climate.

Otherwise, it will be suitable new species and new uses for gardening, showing new possibilities on design, and elements. How come these species can contribute to garden management or for the new uses for the public spaces, urban afforestation are important topics in landscape/landscaping area.

We seek very high-quality original scientific, technical or review papers. This special issue aims to provide a podium for papers from national and international experts in horticulture, with the purpose of summarizing recent achievements in these fields. Potential topics regarding this special issue could include, but are not limited to:

- Plant micropropagation and transformation;
- Plant breeding

- New crops/varieties;
- Plant physiology;
- Soil and plant nutrition (adaptation);
- Commercialization;
- Pests and plant diseases;
- Postharvest technology;
- Plant growth and development;
- Medicinal, condimental and aromatic plants;
- Gardening;
- Landscape and landscaping
- Urban trees
- Urban afforestation
- Parks and conservation areas

Important Dates:

- Full paper submission deadline: May 18th, 2018

Submission Procedures:

- Manuscripts prepare: see Authors Guideline on the website <https://ornamentalhorticulture.emnuvens.com.br/rbho/about/submissions#authorGuidelines>. Papers that are not in adequate format can be rejected, but author could re-submit before the deadline ends.
- The manuscripts must to be written in English.
- Papers submitted must not be submitted or has not been copyrighted or published elsewhere.
- Manuscripts should be submitted using online submission system: <https://ornamentalhorticulture.emnuvens.com.br/rbho/index>
- Submitted papers to this special issue will be peer reviewed based on quality, originality, organization and clarity of writing. Quality on English version is also required.