
Special Issue on
Bacterial Adhesion and Biofilms Formation

Call for Papers

Bacterial adhesion to surfaces and subsequent formation of microcolonies play important roles in biofilm formation. It has received much attention in the last decade, as it has become clear that virtually all types of bacteria can form biofilms and that this may be the preferred mode of bacterial existence in nature.

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

- Bacteria-surface interactions
- Biofilm structure
- Biofilm resistance
- Bacterial adhesion on surface
- Biofilm formation and control
- Mechanisms of bacterial adhesion and development
- Techniques and measurement of bacterial and biofilm adhesion
- Usefulness and harmfulness of biofilm

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