# Welcome to the 3rd International Electronic Conference on Environmental Research and Public Health

Dear scientists, researchers, and authors,

We are pleased to announce that the 3rd International Electronic Conference on Environmental Research and Public Health (*ECERPH-3*)—Public Health Issues in the Context of the COVID-19 Pandemic, chaired by Professor Jon Øyvind Odland, will be held on <a href="https://ecerph-3.sciforum.net/">https://ecerph-3.sciforum.net/</a> from 25 November to 9 December 2020.

We need to look at the pandemic from many sides, and we think we have covered many important aspects with your help in the different sessions of this conference. We aim to have a discussion relating to infectious disease, global health, mental health, reproductive health, occupational health, and environmental exposure, etc. We hope to encourage discovery across the discipline as we cover the following broad themes in sessions A–I, as listed below:

- Infectious Disease Epidemiology (Session A);
- Environmental Exposures and Health (Session B);
- Mental Health (Session C);
- Children's Health (Session D);
- Women's Health (Session E);
- Exercise and Health (Session F);
- Health Economics (Session G);
- Occupational Safety and Health (Session H);
- Public Health Statistics and Risk Assessment (Session I).

We proudly invite the global community of scholars to join *ECERPH-3* to present their latest public health research and development and share novel ideas on COVID-19 topics. Thanks to the flexibility of our innovative electronic platform, you are welcome both to upload and present your work and to attend the conference completely free of charge. We have also created a Special Issue (https://www.mdpi.com/journal/ijerph/special\_issues/IECERPH-3) for selected conference papers in our journal *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health* (ISSN 1660-4601, IF 2.849, https://www.mdpi.com/journal/ijerph). Papers submitted to this Special Issue, if accepted for publication, will receive a 20% discount on the Article Processing Charges.

ECERPH-3 offers you the opportunity to participate in an international scholarly conference without the concerns and expense of travelling—all you need is to have access to the Internet. During the conference period, you will be able to upload papers, posters, presentations (including videos) and comment on other presentations, and otherwise engage with fellow scholars in real time. In this way, the conference offers a novel opportunity to exchange opinions and views within the scholarly community and to discuss the papers and latest research in a discussion forum.

We hope you will be able to join this exciting event which is organized and sponsored by MDPI, a scholarly open access publisher (<a href="http://www.mdpi.com/">http://www.mdpi.com/</a>).

## Paper Submission Guidelines:

For information about the procedure for submission, peer-review, revision and acceptance of conference proceedings papers, please refer to the section "Instructions for Authors" at <a href="https://ecerph-3.sciforum.net/">https://ecerph-3.sciforum.net/</a>

#### Timeline:

Abstract Submission: 23 October 2020

Notification of Acceptance: 28 October 2020

Proceedings Paper Submission Deadline: 18 November 2020

Conference: 25 November-9 December 2020

We look forward to receiving your research papers and to welcoming you to this 3rd edition of the e-conference.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions.

Kind regards,

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