



# Call for Papers

## Advances from Early Career Researchers in Plant Sciences

This special issue aims to highlight the work of researchers at the beginning of their academic career working in the fields of climate change relating to all segments of plant sciences. We encourage submissions that are interdisciplinary in nature and focus on aspects like physiological adaptation, ecological response, and development of plants.

### Submission guidelines:

- This special issue accepts manuscripts in the form of an original research article where the first author is an early researcher at the time of submission.
- Manuscripts from undergraduate students, masters, Ph.D. students and postdoctoral fellows who are first time authors must be accompanied by a letter from their supervisor or departmental chair, confirming the significance of the work achieved by the student. Faculty members in their first two years of employment are also eligible to submit manuscripts for this special issue.
- Maximum article length = 10,000 words (excluding title page & references).
- The manuscript must report new (should not be considered for a publication elsewhere) and previously unpublished results.
- Manuscripts must be submitted by May 31, 2022 to be considered for the issue.
- Six papers will be accepted for this special issue and will be published in the journal as open-access papers (100% open access fee waiver).
- Authors are asked to send an email to the editors-in-chief (Dr. Christian Lacroix: [lacroix@upei.ca](mailto:lacroix@upei.ca) and Dr. Liette Vasseur: [lvasseur@brocku.ca](mailto:lvasseur@brocku.ca)) with the tentative title of the manuscript and an abstract in order to confirm the suitability of the submission for this Special Issue.
- Evaluation and selection criteria of submissions will be based on novelty, thematic relevance, and motivation for the work.
- Authors guidelines: Follow Botany Authors Guidelines at [cdnsiencepub.com/journal/cjb/authors#guidelines](https://cdnsiencepub.com/journal/cjb/authors#guidelines)

**For any other queries, please contact:**  
**Sherestha Saini (Managing Editor, Botany)**  
[sherestha.saini@cdnsiencepub.com](mailto:sherestha.saini@cdnsiencepub.com)

### Guest Editors

**Dr. Christian Lacroix**, Editor-in-Chief, University of Prince Edward Island, Canada

**Dr. Liette Vasseur**, Editor-in-Chief, Brock University, Canada

**SUBMISSION DEADLINE: May 31, 2022**

Learn more: [canscipub.com/ECR-special-issue](https://canscipub.com/ECR-special-issue)



**Botany**  
An International Journal  
for Plant Biology