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Special Issue Invitation—*You are what you eat: Feeding the future*

Theme

In 2026 the IFHE World Home Economics Day theme is "*You are what you eat: Feeding the future*". This topic highlights how dietary choices impact long-term health and societal wellbeing across all demographics and regions. The theme connects nutritional decisions to physical, cognitive, and social development—from supporting infant growth in developing nations to maintaining elderly independence in affluent societies. This provides an excellent opportunity for a Special Issue of the *IJHE*.


Invitation to be appointed Guest Special Issue Editor

If you are interested in serving as Special Issue Editor, following are details of the required expertise and how to nominate. An ideal special issue leader will have cross-cultural expertise in nutrition's role throughout the lifespan, understanding both immediate health impacts and long-term socioeconomic implications. They will be an active researcher with qualifications at doctoral level and experience in fields related to the topic, including interventions that promote sustainable, nutritious food choices at the household level while addressing barriers to healthy eating across diverse global contexts. If this is you, and you are willing to serve as Special Issue Editor, please send your CV and a justification for your selection to: intjournalhomeeconomics@gmail.com The Editorial Board will consider nominations and appoint the successful Guest Editor. Applications are due 1 April 2025.

Invitation to submit manuscripts to the Special Issue

The following schedule applies to all manuscripts submitted for consideration to the Special Issue:

Abstracts Due:	1 May, 2025
Responses to Authors from Guest Special Issue Editor:	30 June, 2025
Full papers Due:	30 September, 2025
Outcomes of Peer Review Process Managed by Guest Editor:	30 October, 2025
Revised Papers Approved by the Guest Editor:	15 November, 2025
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