

Editorial

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As Chief Editors, we would like to express our appreciation to all the contributors who have made significant contributions to the overall quality of this 40th volume (Special Issue of MYTRIBOS 2023 – Part 2). All articles are original research works with the goal of being applicable in a variety of situations.

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