

## Special Issue

# Intelligent Understanding and Analysis of Urban Big Data

### Message from the Guest Editors

With the continuous advancement of global urbanization, the accumulation of urban big data is growing exponentially. The intelligent understanding and analysis of big data will redefine perspectives on urban analysis and decision support systems. However, with the surge of sensor data, geographic information data, satellite imagery, and social media data, current challenges lie in the efficient integration and analysis of multi-source heterogeneous data. In addition, the real-time nature, accuracy, and privacy protection of big data cannot be overlooked. By applying the latest advancements in intelligent technology and big data, this Special Issue aims to promote the optimization and innovation of urban management and services to address the diverse challenges that modern cities face. Possible topics include, but are not limited to, the following:

- AI-enabled multimodal data fusion;
- Urban spatial data modeling and visualization;
- Urban function pattern analysis;
- Urban environment monitoring;
- Urban planning and management;
- Sustainable urban development;
- Big data-driven smart city management and services.

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