Special Issue

Air Quality in Spain and the Iberian Peninsula

Message from the Guest Editors

Important contributions to the study of dust aerosol have taken place in Spain due to unique geographical conditions. This includes dust measurement and detection, modelling, and implications for urban air quality and health effects when dust aerosol interacts with local pollutants. In this Special Issue, we will focus on the state-of-the-art studies on air pollution in Spain and the Iberian Peninsula. The COVID-19 pandemic caused a major change in anthropogenic emission patterns that provided a unique opportunity to study physico-chemical pollutant properties under this altered scenario. Mobility restrictions marked a before-andafter scenario that must be studied in the next years. The journal Atmosphere dedicates this Special Issue to present the latest advances in air pollution and air quality studies in southwestern Europe, paying particular attention to the changes caused by the COVID-19 pandemic. The session is open for submissions of original results from field and controlled investigations, modelling, and review papers related to the topics exposed above.

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