# Special Issue

# Applications of (Big) Data Analysis in A/E/C

## Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue (SI), entitled "Application of (Big) Data Analysis in A/E/C", in Buildings has issued a call for papers. The Special Issue will focus on quality papers outlining novel contributions of the application of big data theory, modelling techniques, and methodologies as a tool for leveraging data analytics in the building industry. Contributions are also welcomed from related topics covering various application domains of the global A/E/C (architecture, engineering, and construction) industry, including, but not limited to, construction management (including building information, land use, etc.), structure engineering and health, materials, transportation management and facilities, and geotechnical engineering. Research involving or utilising theory and modelling methodologies during one, some, or all phases of data collection, data preprocessing, data analysis, prediction, and the decision support functions of the (big) data analysis process are welcomed...... For further reading, please follow the link to the Special Issue Website at: https://www.mdpi.com/journal/buildings/special\_issues / GV29ERG645

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