

# Special Issue

## Large-Span, Tall and Special Steel and Composite Structures

### Message from the Guest Editors

Steel structures, especially large-span, tall and special steel and composite structures, have gained significant popularity in civil engineering due to their high assembly rate, ease of construction, and excellent ductility. In recent years, advancements in intelligent design and construction techniques have shown great potential in enhancing the performance, efficiency, and resilience of steel structures. This [Special Issue](#) is dedicated, but not limited to, current research on experimental, theoretical, computational, and related research work on large-span, tall and special steel and composite structures.

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Current urban environments are home to multi-modal transit systems, extensive energy grids, a building stock, and integrated services. Sprawling neighborhoods are composed of buildings that accommodate living and working quarters. However, it is expected that the cities and communities of the future will face complex and enormous challenges, including maintenance, interconnectivity, resilience, energy efficiency, and sustainability issues, to name but a few. A smart city uses advanced technologies and a digital infrastructure to improve the outcomes in every aspect of a city's operations. A smart building optimizes the experience of occupants, staff, and management by using a modern and connected environment. Innovations in technology that can bring dramatic improvements to design, planning, and policy are critical in developing the cities and buildings of the future.

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