

Special Issue

Cultural Landscape Approaches and Climate Change Policy

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue aims to review discourses and frameworks and contribute to the state-of-the-art knowledge of the relationships between climate change, cultural landscapes, and local sustainable adaptation. It will provide background pieces on options, empirical investigation of potential local climate change adaptation and mitigation strategies, and discuss opportunities and challenges in facilitating new approaches to climate change adaptation that incorporate cultural landscapes. Topics of interest include but are not limited to:

- Reviews of existing indicators, methods, and tools for the assessment of climate change impacts on cultural landscapes and cultural heritage resources;
- Analyses of the cultural landscape approach and integrated landscape approach to climate change;
- Reviews focused on the challenges and opportunities of integrating climate change mitigation and adaptation policies with cultural landscapes;
- Methods of improving adaptive capacities of local institutions;
- Protecting cultural landscapes using climate-smart agriculture, agroforestry or agroecology approaches.

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