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# **Drones for Participatory and Community-Based Sciences**

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## **Message from the Guest Editors**

Dear Colleagues,

We are pleased to invite submissions to the MDPI Drones Special Issue on "Drones for Participatory and Community-Based Sciences".

The Special Issue expands upon the work of several of the Guest Editors, who have worked at the intersection of drones, GIS, science communication, K-12 education, and community-based and participatory methodologies for years. The Special Issue also expands upon the important synthesis article outlined in a 2019 Drones article by Paneque-Gálvez—"The Vargas-Ramírez and Emergence of Community Drones (2012–2017)". We welcome contributions from a wide variety of scholars across multiple fields and across the globe. We have particular interest in creating a Special Issue that centers and teams working with diverse diverse voices stakeholders, particularly those scholars/practitioners from scholars/practitioners working those underrepresented populations in the drone technologies field specifically, and STEM disciplines more broadly.











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