

Special Issue

Barriers to Learning and Participation in Educational Settings: Lights and Shadows Towards Inclusive Education

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We welcome original research articles and reviews that address, but are not limited to, the following themes:

- **Systemic Barriers:** Studies examining how educational policies, institutional structures and funding constraints affect inclusivity.
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- **Best Practices and Interventions:** Evaluations of programs and strategies that have successfully improved inclusivity in educational settings.
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