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Renewable Energy as a Mechanism for Managing Sustainable Development

Message from the Guest Editors

The problem of over-consumption stimulates greater energy demand, highlighting the importance of defining the environmental product life cycle (LCA), including cumulative energy consumption. Waste management also plays a crucial role in this context. Integrating renewable energy technologies with waste treatment processes—such as biogas production or waste-toenergy systems-enhances overall energy efficiency and contributes to environmental protection by reducing landfill use and emissions. Green social competence shapes conscious energy management and fosters forward-thinking approaches to the innovative development of the energy sector. Educating and engaging communities, promoting awareness, and integrating sustainability into public policy are all necessary steps toward a low-carbon future. This Special Issue aims to present and disseminate achievements in increasing the efficiency of renewable energy sources through innovative technological solutions, increased social acceptability, and sustainable energy management practices.

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