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Geomechanics for Energy and a Sustainable Environment

Message from the Guest Editors

With carbon-based resources facing depletion and concerns about climate change, energy geotechnology must play a key role in the development of a sustainable energy scheme involving energy resources, such as natural carbohydrates, nuclear energy, and renewable sources (wind, solar, geothermal, hydropower, biofuels, and tidal and wave energy), but it must not be restricted. Moreover, geotechnical engineering is required to provide new techniques to preserve the environment from a sustainability perspective, including CO2 emission and energy-related wastes reduction, as well as the introduction of new, environmentally-friendly, and low-carbon emitting materials for geotechnical engineering practices.

The Special Issue welcomes contributions to resolve energy and environment-related geotechnical engineering issues from fundamental research to practical implementation scales. The aim of this Special Issue is to provide a source of *Geomechanics for Energy and a Sustainable Environment* that deals with conventional and renewable energy sources, recent attempts in CO2 and industrial waste decution, and the development of new materials/methods for sustainable development.

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