Special Issue

Coastal Forest Dynamics and Coastline Erosion, 2nd Edition

Message from the Guest Editors

A combination of anthropogenic and natural factors threaten the coastline and the forests that lie between the coast and the uplands. Rising sea levels encroach on coastal forests as well, and salt water has intruded into normally freshwater swamps. To forestall these changes, more information is needed to support efforts to maintain coastal forests, to regenerate and restore coastal forests for the near future, and to identify environmental conditions that need to be created when planning rehabilitation projects.

The aim of this Special Issue is to create a collection of articles addressing the basic and applied ecology of coastal species, how they respond to changes in their habitat, and analyses of rehabilitation projects. The scope of the Special Issue includes species commonly associated with coastal forests, the threats facing coastal forests with specific examples, and management practices used to regenerate and tend coastal forests.

The topics of manuscripts we are soliciting include the following, involving coastal species and changes in their habitat:
Silviculture;
Production ecology;
Ecohydrology;
Tolerance;
Restoration case studies.

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