

Special Issue

Urban Forests and Greening for Sustainable Cities

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue invites contributions and reports new research and findings on the ecology and innovation aspects of urban forests and urban green spaces and their sustainable management.

Potential topics include, but are not limited to:

- Impacts of urban forests and urban greening on air, soil, and water
- Urban greening strategies to increase biodiversity and ecological value in cities
- Sustainable practices and technologies for urban forestry and urban greening
- Innovative approaches to plant and canopy management in urban areas
- Innovative approaches to plant pest management in urban environments
- Designing urban forests and green spaces to promote ecological balance
- Integrating urban green spaces to enhance biodiversity corridors
- Entomofauna in urban environments
- Ecosystem services provided by urban forests
- Carbon balance in urban forests
- The benefit of urban forests to urban climate

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