

Special Issue

Exploring Underground Built Heritage

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue on Exploring Underground Built Heritage seeks to shed light on built activities below the earth's surface, the use of which (past and contemporary) can be a powerful asset for local development. Underground built heritage (UBH), as defined by the COST Action [underground4value](#), is a manmade artefact and/or an infrastructure that has purpose, architectural or engineering qualities, (traditional) construction methods and materials, and associated social practices, providing insights into human history, and can bring cultural, social, environmental, and economic benefits. **This Special Issue on Exploring Underground Built Heritage** welcomes contributions that address relevant issues, such as historical context, the use of materials, construction methods, etc., and highlight the cultural, social, historical, architectural, and engineering significance of an UBH asset.

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