

## Special Issue

# Urban and Public Policy against COVID-19

### Message from the Guest Editors

The start of the 2020s was arguably defined by chaos across the world, with the novel COVID-19 at the focal point. In March 2020, the World Health Organization (WHO) declared that the severity of the viral spread had reached pandemic proportions. The main focus of the exploratory Special Issue is to examine varying approaches to implementation and enforcement of physical/social distancing measures given the respective historical and evolving social norms in multi-national areas that rely heavily on tourism money for a healthy economy. Submissions could relate, but are not limited, to the following topics:

- Quarantine policy: cross-regional comparative case study;
- Sustainable eco-tourism in the pandemic era;
- Measuring performance in contactless education and teaching;
- Innovative quarantine policy;
- New type of governance models beyond COVID-19;
- Spatial analysis and modeling on COVID-19 quarantine policy trend, applying machine learning;
- New global business models after the national isolation policy.

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