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Changing Societies under Extreme Environments in Asia

Message from the Guest Editors

Asia has high-altitude areas that are under extreme lowtemperatures, such as the Pamir, Himalaya, Tibet, and Karakorum. It is also characterized by extremely arid areas, such as Western and Northern China, and Eastern Pamir. The drivers responsible for societal changes and the resultant land use/land cover changes in such countries and regions are not limited to climate change, but include civil wars, sudden change in political institutions, reinforcement of governmental controls, and environmental pollution and related health burdens. We invite case studies of synthesis studies, focusing on Asian issues. However, comparisons with other parts of the world, for global synthesis, are not excluded. This Special Issue will select works from the Global Land Programme 2018 Asia Conference, Each submission to this Special Issue should contain at least 50% of new material. Participants of this conference will receive a 20% discount on the Article Processing Charges.

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