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## Urban Landscape Transformation vs. Heritage

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### Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

As cities today are facing the consequences of rapid population growth and uncontrolled urbanisation, as well as the impact of environmental changes and disaster, there is a growing pressure in terms of land resources and limited usable land available in urban areas. Within this rapidly shifting everchanging and globally evolving urban context, rethinking the role of heritage as an integral part of urban landscapes and land usage requires new attention, definitions and comparisons.

The Special Issue, therefore, employs the term heritage urbanism, an internationally recognised scientific approach to the restoration and revitalisation of cultural natural and mixed heritage.

The goal of this Special Issue is to collect papers (original research articles and review papers) to address the following questions:

- How can urban landscape transformation contribute to the protection and preservation of heritage?
- Does urban landscape transformation, in fact, transform heritage?
- Can urban landscape transformation generate, create and develop new heritage?

We look forward to receiving your original research articles and reviews.

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