

Special Issue

Cultural Heritage Preservation as a Basis for Sustainable Development and Transformation of Historic Urban Landscapes

Message from the Guest Editors

Cultural heritage and cultural landscapes are a popular topic of research. Often preservation and development is presented as two poles that need to be balanced. With this Special Issue we want to follow a contemporary approach that uses heritage (preservation) as the starting point and resource for sustainable development policies, strategies, projects, and results. Starting with a systemic understanding of heritage that includes objects, landscapes, subjects, processes, values, etc. and views heritage as a system and process, this Special Issue shall explore how heritage can contribute, stimulate, facilitate, and accompany urban development and also transformation projects and processes. The goal of this Special Issue is to collect papers (original research articles and review papers) to give insights about heritage preservation and transformation as a basis for the sustainable development and transformation of historic urban landscapes.

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