# **Special Issue**

# Sustainable Development in Urban and Regional Planning: New Findings, New Tools and New Perspectives

Message from the Guest Editors

As cities and regions become increasingly interconnected, the challenges of achieving sustainable development become more complex. The need for innovative solutions that integrate the human, economic, and ecological aspects of development is greater than ever.

This Special Issue aims to explore the latest advances in sustainable development in urban and regional planning. It will focus on new findings, tools, and perspectives to better understand the challenges and opportunities of urban and regional planning in a sustainable development context. We welcome contributions on the following topics:

- New findings and perspectives on sustainable development in urban and regional planning
- Innovative tools and approaches for urban and regional planning, such as artificial intelligence, geospatial analysis, and citizen science
- Exploring the economic, environmental, and social implications of urban and regional planning decisions
- Investigating the effects of urbanization on resource management and social equity
- Exploring the potential of digital technologies to support sustainable development.

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