

## Special Issue

# Carbon-Focused Land Use Strategies: Pathways to Climate Resilience

### Message from the Guest Editors

Land use is key to both mitigating and adapting to climate change. This Special Issue explores innovative, carbon-focused land use strategies that enhance resilience, reduce greenhouse gas emissions, and support sustainable development. We welcome interdisciplinary contributions on topics such as carbon farming, forest management, agroforestry, soil carbon sequestration, land-based mitigation, and the role of policy and governance. Submissions may include research articles, case studies, and policy analyses offering practical insights for advancing carbon-focused land use in a changing climate.

### Guest Editors

Dr. Xiao Liu  
Prof. Dr. Shifu Wang  
Dr. Jinda Qi

### Deadline for manuscript submissions

30 June 2026



## Land

---

an Open Access Journal  
by MDPI

---

Impact Factor 3.2  
CiteScore 5.9



[mdpi.com/si/237205](https://mdpi.com/si/237205)

*Land*  
Editorial Office  
MDPI, Grosspeteranlage 5  
4052 Basel, Switzerland  
Tel: +41 61 683 77 34  
[land@mdpi.com](mailto:land@mdpi.com)

[mdpi.com/journal/  
land](https://mdpi.com/journal/land)





# Land

---

an Open Access Journal  
by MDPI

---

Impact Factor 3.2  
CiteScore 5.9



[mdpi.com/journal/  
land](https://mdpi.com/journal/land)



## About the Journal

### Message from the Editor-in-Chief

*Land* is the only open access journal covering all aspects of land science, and it is a pioneering platform for publishing on land system science. Our editorial board is comprised of eminent scholars. We publish high quality research on societally relevant, emerging and innovative topics and results in land system research. It is now one of the top land journals with a significant Impact Factor, and has a goal to become the best journal in land in the coming years.

---

### Editor-in-Chief

Prof. Dr. Christine Fürst  
Department Sustainable Landscape Development, Institute for  
Geosciences and Geography, University of Halle, Halle, Germany

---

### Author Benefits

#### Open Access:

free for readers, with article processing charges (APC) paid by authors or their institutions.

#### High Visibility:

indexed within Scopus, SSCI (Web of Science), GEOBASE, PubAg, AGRIS, GeoRef, RePEc, and other databases.

#### Journal Rank:

JCR - Q2 (Environmental Studies) / CiteScore - Q1 (Nature and Landscape Conservation)