

Special Issue

Planning and Designing Livable and Sustainable Regions: Integrating Urban and Regional Perspectives

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue, titled “Planning and Designing Livable and Sustainable Regions: Integrating Urban and Regional Perspectives”, is dedicated to highlighting the latest advances in our understanding of the new findings (such as leading factors, influences, and mechanism), tools (such as artificial intelligence, geospatial analysis, computer modeling, and simulation), and perspectives (such as resilience, livability, and equity) of planning and designing regions in a livable and sustainable context.

This Special Issue welcomes the submission of manuscripts that link the following themes:

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- Innovative approaches and tools for urban and regional planning and designing in the livable and sustainable context;
- The effects and mechanism of planning and designing livable and sustainable regions;
- The relevant implications of economic, environmental, and social urban and regional planning decisions.

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

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