

# Special Issue

## Land Use, Heritage and Ecosystem Services

### Message from the Guest Editors

The goal of this Special Issue is to collect papers (original research articles and reviews) that provide innovative insights into the interactions between land use, heritage, and ecosystem services. This Special Issue will welcome manuscripts that link to the following themes:

- Planning and management strategies for conserving natural areas and cultural heritage.
- Impacts of land use change on ecosystem services, such as soil quality, biodiversity, and water regulation.
- Effects of climate change on coastal landscapes, wetlands, and valleys, as well as their relation to natural and cultural heritage.
- Applications of geographic information systems (GISs) and territorial analysis for sustainable land management.
- Interactions between forest fires, land use, and ecosystem services.
- Coastal processes, beach erosion, and adaptation to climate-induced sea level increases, with an emphasis on coastal heritage conservation.

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