

Special Issue

Socio-Economic, Environmental, and Political Aspects of Rational Management and Land Use/Cover around the World

Message from the Guest Editors

Land use/cover change stems from the multifaceted interaction of social, ecological, and geophysical processes. It is the leading cause of global environmental change. Political, technological, human, and biophysical factors (urbanization, agricultural expansion, population growth, and deforestation) and other driving forces have been reported as the causes of the rapid land use/cover changes over the past decades. It is essential to understand land use/cover change and describe its drivers to provide effective support for land planning and land management regulation. We will welcome contributions where various socioeconomic, environmental, and political aspects are combined with other factors and applied in various disciplines such as land management, land use/cover change, land surveying, environmental engineering, and landscape architecture. We invite all prospective authors to share their research.

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