# **Special Issue**

## Green Space Planning, Design and Governance for Enhanced Human Wellbeing

## Message from the Guest Editors

Green spaces have long been confirmed to be the essential components of urban lands that can provide multiple services for human wellbeing. Many studies aim to understand which measures are impactful to optimize human wellbeing outcomes in green spaces. However, most existing studies focus on the specific characteristics of green spaces that are beneficial. To what extent active human interventions can transform green spaces for enhanced human wellbeing have not been well synthesized. This special issue aims to solicit relevant studies in demonstrating the role of landscape planning, design, and governance for enhanced human wellbeing. To draw inspiration from a wide variety of disciplines, this special issue broadly defines green spaces and human wellbeing. Green spaces can be different parks, forests, natural reserves, agricultural landscapes, etc. human wellbeing can cover basic materials for living well, physical and mental health, security, as well as good social relations. The highlighted requirement of this special issue is action-based research, which means that the included papers should have clear action implications for planning, design or governance of green spaces.

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