

# Special Issue

## Land, Land Use and Social Issues

### Message from the Guest Editors

Land, land use, land ownership, land tenure and land rights are much contested in concept and in practice. In addition to notions of place attachment and sense of place, critical concerns such as social justice, environmental justice, environmental movements, social protest, Indigenous peoples, informal tenure, land grabbing, livelihoods, displacement and resettlement, resistance and resilience are among the many issues that spring to mind when 'land' is considered from a social perspective. Many development projects cause the displacement of people. These changes can have profound social impacts for people rendered dispossessed by land grabbing. This Special Issue seeks to include papers that address any of the social aspects associated with land, land use and land management. We seek papers from around the world that address conceptual issues or case studies revealing the importance of land, and/or that discuss problems that arise in relation to land grabbing or project land acquisition.

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