# Special Issue

# Sustainable Rangeland Management to Protect Habitat and Livelihoods

# Message from the Guest Editors

Rangelands, covering up to a third of the earth's ice-free surface, provide livelihoods and food security for 800 million people, as well as critical habitat for wildlife. If sustainably managed as coupled human-natural systems, rangelands provide win-wins for people and nature, balancing human well-being and wildlife conservation... We invite papers for a Special Issue to showcase evidence of coupled social and environmental benefits from innovative management in rangelands and tested strategies for making a transition to regenerative approaches. This Special Issue seeks to move beyond theory and anecdotes toward evidence for sustainable rangeland management, in terms of what works and why. We welcome field-based experiments testing mechanisms or enabling conditions for sustainable or regenerative systems, case studies showcasing ecological and/or social outcomes of novel policy, incentive structures or other catalysts for systems change, or socio-ecological modeling testing new hypotheses or providing new techniques for monitoring and managing for sustainability.

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