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We invite original research articles, review papers, case studies, and policy analyses that delve into the various aspects of energy law, particularly the role which law plays in shaping and reshaping the subject. We are particularly interested in papers that explore the role of energy law in relation to facilitating investments and the financing of renewable energy, carbon capture and storage carbon adjustment and low-emission technologies. We are also interested in papers that examine regulatory strategies and approval processes in the energy sector, the role of law and policy in coordinating cross-sector collaborations, just transition and redistribution of environmental externalities, navigating transition dynamics, community engagement, etc.

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