

# Special Issue

## Recent Advances of Solutions Algorithms for Logistics Routing Problems

### Message from the Guest Editors

Operations research (OR) and other relevant topics have been considered by researchers as regards their applicability to LM. One of the most useful applications of OR is logistics modeling in terms of different optimization problems, such as the vehicle routing problem (VRP) and arc routing problem (ARP). This Special Issue seeks to contribute to the development of models and solution algorithms in logistics routing problems. Authors are cordially invited to submit original research papers, review articles, empirical studies, and case studies (for teaching and training) for the Special Issue to *Logistics* until 31 December 2021. Manuscripts or papers can be submitted on the following topics:

- Extended models of VRPs and ARPs;
- Applications of exact solutions and meta-heuristic algorithms in logistics;
- Uncertainty control in logistics system;
- Sustainable development of logistics system;
- Applications of multicriteria decision-making (MCDM) approaches in logistics;
- Applications of the Internet of Things (IoT) in the logistics system;
- Enhancement of LM during pandemics;
- Case studies in the field of logistics.

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### Deadline for manuscript submissions

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