

## Special Issue

# Renewable Energy Technologies and Systems: Technical, Environmental, Economic, Social, and Cultural Challenges

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In this Special Issue, departing from the idea that the sustainability of energy policy interventions does not stand alone but derive from changes in the techno-socio-economic structures, we aim to bring together contributions from scholars working in different but energy-related topics in order to provide a holistic view on how to overcome those challenges and to attain sustainable energy systems. This would allow a more informed energy policy design, contributing to achieve a more sustainable and inclusive development as well as to reach a just energy transition, where a more participatory approach from citizens and communities in this transition process is deemed essential.

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