

Special Issue

“Searching for a Better Life with My Community”: Migratory Trends in Religious-Based Social Net-Works

Message from the Guest Editors

Migration is almost always motivated by the desire to change one’s position and living conditions for the better. Although dominant in decision-making, economic considerations are often complemented and shaped by religious factors, which can play a fundamental role in migration decisions and the processes of adaptation and integration. Religious communities may provide spiritual, social, or economic support networks for migrants. Given that migration affects all aspects of life, it is essential to understand how these diverse contexts influence migrants’ experiences. We are therefore interested in manuscripts that examine these issues from local, regional, and global perspectives, offering a multi-pronged approach to exploring the impact of migration communities. We encourage submissions of papers that offer interdisciplinary and innovative approaches to analyzing the relationship between migration and religion, considering both the positive and negative aspects of these processes at different community levels. We look forward to receiving your contributions.

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