

Special Issue

The Concept of Spirituality and Its Place in Contemporary Societies

Message from the Guest Editors

In contemporary societies, the concept of spirituality covers an increasing variety of individual experiences related to well-being and the search for wholeness and unity within the divine and the universe. The role that spirituality plays in personal identity, self-awareness, embodiment, and well-being makes this concept relevant to multiple processes in contemporary societies. It covers a variety of concerns questioning modern public discourses related to gender, cross-generational issues, cultural contexts, profession/the workplace, and religious pluralism and non-religion. We invite contributors to this Special Issue to consider these dynamics within broader sociological theories and empirical research, especially focusing on the following topics:

- Spirituality and religious pluralism;
- Spirituality at the workplace;
- Gender and spirituality;
- Youth and spirituality;
- Spirituality in everyday life;
- Sociological measures of spirituality.

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