# Special Issue

# Object Detection in Remote Sensing Images Based on Artificial Intelligence

### Message from the Guest Editors

Recent breakthroughs in artificial intelligence (AI), particularly deep learning (DL), have revolutionized object detection in remote sensing images (RSIs). Techniques like convolutional neural networks (CNNs), transformer-based architectures, and hybrid models have demonstrated remarkable capabilities in addressing domain-specific challenges, enabling higher accuracy, robustness, and efficiency. Despite these advances, critical gaps remain, including the need for lightweight models for edge deployment, generalization across heterogeneous datasets, interpretability of Al decisions, and handling of low-resolution or weakly annotated data. Furthermore, emerging trends such as multimodal data fusion and few-shot learning demand deeper exploration. This Special Issue seeks to compile cutting-edge research on Al-driven object detection in RSIs, emphasizing novel algorithms, benchmark datasets, and real-world applications. By fostering interdisciplinary collaboration, we aim to accelerate progress in this field, bridging the gap between theoretical innovation and practical implementation to meet the growing demands of global remote sensing communities.

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