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Planetary Geologic Mapping and Remote Sensing (Second Edition)

Message from the Guest Editors

Planetary geologic mapping is largely based on analyses of various remote sensing data acquired by space missions and is fundamental in understanding the formation and evolution of planetary surfaces and shallow subsurfaces. Planetary remote sensing techniques and the ever-increasing data have greatly supported geologic mapping, as well as other scientific studies of the Moon, Mars and other planetary bodies in the solar system.

This is the second edition of the Special Issue "Planetary Geologic Mapping and Remote Sensing". The first edition was a great success and attracted much attention in the scientific community.

We welcome new submissions on the recent advances in planetary geologic mapping and planetary remote sensing. Articles may address, but are not limited to, the following topics: Planetary geologic mapping; Planetary geomorphologic mapping; Photogrammetric remote sensing of planetary surfaces; Spectroscopic remote sensing of planetary surfaces; Remote sensing methods, data calibration and validation; Planetary GIS for geologic mapping; Recent and future planetary exploration missions; Landing sites studies; Analog studies.

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