

Special Issue

Remote Sensing of Forest Carbon

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue invites papers highlighting cutting-edge research in the remote sensing of forest carbon, including advances in the data and methodologies used to measure the key biophysical parameters required for its estimation. For example, optical and hyperspectral data distinguish forest tree species composition, ranging technologies such as radar and lidar make detailed measurements of three-dimensional forest structure, and thermal sensing provides insight into forest ecosystem function. Remote sensors are collecting these data from the full range of terrestrial, UAS, airborne, and spaceborne platforms. We look to include papers in this Special Issue that describe emerging methods such as machine learning in the estimation and scaling of forest carbon attributes, as well as time-series algorithms leveraging the historical satellite record to provide perspectives on forest carbon dynamics. Studies demonstrating the remote sensing retrieval and integration of key forest parameters for initializing, calibrating, and/or validating mechanistic carbon cycle and land surface models are also encouraged.

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