# **Special Issue**

# Societal Responses to Climate Change: Shaping Public Discourse and Policy

### Message from the Guest Editors

We are pleased to announce a call for academic papers on the topic of "Societal Responses to Climate Change: Shaping Public Discourse and Policy." As the global climate crisis unfolds, understanding how societies respond, engage, and mobilize to address climate change is crucial. The various social sciences disciplines play a significant role in exploring the complex interactions between individuals, communities, and private and public institutions. Research areas may include (but are not limited to) the following:

- Societal responses to climate change across different levels: public and private sectors as well as local, regional, and global movements;
- Academic discourse of sociology and climate change: theoretical frameworks, conceptual models, and approaches;
- Public discourse on climate change: analyses, formulations, and implementation of policy initiatives;
- Community and indigenous movements as a response to climate change: public attitudes, behaviours, values, and motivations.

We look forward to receiving your contributions!

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