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Urban Ageing-Challenges, Spatialities and Gender Perspective

Message from the Guest Editors

The population is aging rapidly, and this is particularly evident in cities. This demographic shift is not uniform across communities and has been strongly related to gender. Spatial aging discrepancies within cities may be associated with a certain tendency toward territorially divergent concentration of process determinants. Hence, as the older population are expected to fully participate in an aging and urbanizing society, urban aging has a number of implications for public and societal life as well as private spending on pensions, healthcare, education, economic growth, and welfare. This Special Issue of *Societies* seeks research papers on innovative theoretical and methodological approaches in studies on urban aging, but also papers comparing aspects of aging in urban, suburban, or rural settings. Papers addressing gender-related dimensions in aging are especially welcome.

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