



Sustainable Business and Developing Collaborative Interorganizational Relationships

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A Special Issue will be prepared with the theme Sustainable Business and Developing Collaborative Interorganizational Relationships. We invite papers that focus on the interorganizational relationships of multi-stakeholder initiatives involving private, public organizations and non-profit organizations, that aim to address societal and environmental problems. Themes can be:

- What makes these collaborative initiatives successful from a relational point of view;
- What are the organizational and relational dynamics when working in such partnerships where a diversity of interests, identities and perspectives is prevalent;
- What entails adequate governance of these initiatives and what are the challenges thereof;
- What are important factors in creating and developing such collaborative initiatives (e.g. how to engage stakeholders; how to intervene so as to develop collaboration; how to develop collaborative skills;
- What are critical perspectives on such collaborative multi-stakeholder initiatives.





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