



Household Sustainability

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Message from the Guest Editors

Households make environmental, social, and financial choices and decisions on a day-to-day basis. Traditional economic models usually focus on maximizing problems within one unit and one lifecycle, ignoring the needs of other units and future generations. Household sustainability is a new research field that aims to understand how households make environmental, social, and financial choices, and the interactions and influences across these three dimensions, to maximize their current utility without hurting the utility of future generations. Within the existing economic frameworks, household sustainability considers two additional fundamental issues: (1) concerns for the long-term growth (for descendants), and (2) constraints placed on human societies.

The Special Issue seeks research that provides insights on sustainable day-to-day actions of households as well as factors underlying households' choices. Both theoretical and empirical research papers related to the above topics are welcome. This Special Issue aims to offer a platform where all different topics may be presented to recompose the multi-faceted subject within the area of household sustainability.





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