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Climate Adaptation, Sustainability, Ethics, and Well-Being

Message from the Guest Editor

Global climate change is already negatively affecting and expected to have more dramatic effects on the livelihoods and well-being of communities around the world.

There is an emerging body of scholarship, empirical data, and indigenous and community knowledge on diverse aspects of human well-being, climate adaptations, land ethics, and human development. However, there is a significant gap in understanding the deep cause–effect relationships between adaptation strategies, sustainability, well-being, and ethical considerations in different cultures and at an individual, community, and global scale.

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