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Urban Economic Development and Planning: Sustainable Development

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This Special Issue will present research findings addressing urban planning policies and experiences that originate from the interplay among environmental, social, and economic factors in a broad sense. A fundamental concept of sustainable development is achieving human development goals while simultaneously maintaining the capacity of natural systems to supply the natural resources and ecosystem services that are essential to human economies and society. The 17 sustainable development goals established by the UNGA address global concerns. The goals would inspire a rethinking of urban development and planning in all nations, taking into account the social, environmental, and economic aspects of sustainable development in mind. Our focus in this Special Issue is to publish articles of scholarly merit on a wide variety of topics and apply a wide variety of methods to urban economics from a sustainable development perspective. This Special Issue encourages the submission of papers that contribute to urban economic development and planning for sustainable development through theoretical and empirical contributions.

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