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Sustainable Cities: Urban Form, Spatial Structure and Ecological Integration

Message from the Guest Editor

The aim of this Special Issue is to advance our current state of knowledge about the *physical*, *social*, *and cognitive spatial–organizational elements* of those built environments where humans and nature can thrive in a reciprocally resilient manner. In this Special Issue, research areas may include (but are not limited to) the following:

- New forms and structures at the building, neighborhood, or city level:
- Redefining and seamlessly integrating the vertical dimension of cities:
- Spatial networks of self-sufficient regenerative urban habitats;
- Biomimicry, circularity, and nature-based solutions in urban space;
- The intersection of walkability, climate resilience, and ecosystems;
- Historical and future evolution, including long-term existential resilience;
- Information, communication, and knowledge flows in and about urban space;
- Semiotics, posthumanism, and the meaning of sustainable place and spatiality;
- Implications of artificial intelligence and robotics for spatial form and structure.

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