

Special Issue

Underground Space Planning and Design for Sustainable Development

Message from the Guest Editors

The development and utilization of underground space resources is an inevitable necessity for human beings to achieve sustainable development, and has become a national strategic demand of many countries. In recent years, the increasing number of studies and practices related to the planning and development of underground space worldwide has provided an opportunity to enhance our understanding of the relationship between underground space utilisation and sustainable development. We propose a wide-ranging topic that can be summarized as “Underground Space Planning and Design for Sustainable Development”. This highly interdisciplinary theme can, therefore, involve a wide scientific audience, from geologists to mining, urban, environmental and management engineers, as well as economists and educators. This Special Issue invites submissions of articles that contribute to a better understanding of the planning and development of urban underground space for sustainable cities and underground mines. We look forward to receiving your contributions.

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