

Special Issue

Biodiversity, Conservation and Sustainable Development: Research and Practices

Message from the Guest Editors

In recent years, we have become aware of the benefits of preserving natural ecosystems and biodiversity with regard to human well-being and sustainable development. Today, we strive to integrate biodiversity conservation and economic growth using a holistic approach to sustainable development; although this concept is now widely accepted, many challenges remain. To address these challenges, synergism between theory and practice is essential. The aim of this Special Issue is to provide a platform to promote the exchange and dissemination of knowledge on the current research and best practices in biodiversity protection and sustainable development, to advance our understanding of the challenges and opportunities in the field of biodiversity conservation and sustainable development. In this Special Issue, original research articles and reviews are welcome. We encourage submissions from researchers, practitioners, and stakeholders across various disciplines, including, but not limited to: ecology, biology, economics, sociology, anthropology, and policy. We look forward to receiving your contributions to this important topic.

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