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Sustainability for Disaster Mitigation in Underground Engineering

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This Special Issue invites cutting-edge research and innovative technological applications related to disaster prediction, early warning, structural stability, and sustainable development in underground engineering. We encourage the submission of original research and review articles focusing on intelligent disaster prevention and control, stability analysis of underground structures, collaborative protection of resources and environments, as well as green materials and low-carbon construction technologies. Topics of interest include, but are not limited to, the following:

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- Research on the long-term stability of underground structures under extreme conditions (high stress, temperature, and pressure), employing digital geomechanics simulations for dynamic assessments.
- Collaborative protection of groundwater resources and geological environments, emphasizing sustainable practices to prevent over-exploitation and contamination during underground construction.

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