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Historical Land Use Change and Sustainable Forest Use

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The purpose of this Special Issue is to promote the sustainable use of forests. The scope of this Special Issue includes the historical land use change dominated by cropland, as well as forest change including deforestation, afforestation, etc. This Special Issue is expected to mean challenges and opportunity for improving land use planning, land management options, and environment sustainability.

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