

## Special Issue

# Transformation and Sustainability in Higher Education: Emerging Issues and the Research Developments

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The Special Issue aims to investigate the critical role of higher education institutions (HEIs) in promoting the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). The concept of sustainability is multidimensional, affecting all aspects of life—educational, social, environmental, and economic—in such a way that either the progression or regression of one dimension affects the others, with universal consequences. Responding to sustainability needs, values, and competences, HEIs need to redefine their goals, content, and modes of delivery of their programs, as well as expand their internalization and partnerships with institutions and other bodies beyond universities. Moreover, the rapid development of AI is driving systemic changes in every function and aspect of academic institutions and not just in the context of the aims and methodology of teaching and learning. The Special Issue invites original theoretical and research articles investigating the emerging issues and recent developments in the transformation and sustainability of higher education in a rapidly changing world.

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