

Special Issue

Citizen Participation in Sustainable Local Decision-Making

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue aims to provide knowledge about how citizen participation can promote sustainable decision-making at the local level, i.e., how citizen participation can promote positive effects on the environmental, social, and economic dimensions at the local level, and what the drivers of and barriers to achieving these positive effects are. The following themes would be of particular interest (NB: this list is not exhaustive):

- What is the effect of citizen participation on environmental protection?
- How can e-participation promote sustainable decision-making at the local level?
- To what extent and how are cities including sustainable development goals (SDG) in their citizen participation strategies?
- Are public sector managers adequately considering the three dimensions of sustainable decision-making (i.e., the environmental, social, and economic dimensions) when adopting citizen participation at the local level?
- Case studies of best practices in citizen participation in sustainable local decision-making.

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