Special Issue

Co-Creating Sustainability: Integration of Local Ecological Knowledge in Art Works

Message from the Guest Editors

We welcome both theoretical and empirical studies which explore the link between environmental art and local ecological knowledge, such as research on the roles of art (e.g., learning about LEK through artwork and methods of integrating local community members in cocreation processes). Additionally, valuable insight could be provided by the reflection of existing case studies regarding the potential of artwork to serve as a driving force to preserve LEK and/or safeguard its existence. We are also expecting contributions that discuss how and to what extent various art processes are applied in connection with LEK, including the power of art in terms of change and the re-creation of responsibility. We encourage the use of novel and unconventional approaches with high interdisciplinary ground. Further, we welcome various disciplinary members to submit their studies, including researchers from the applied sciences (e.g., architecture), social science and humanities (e.g., culinary arts), as well as professional artists practising various types of art including but not limited to visual arts.

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