

Special Issue

Urban Green Space and Sustainable Forest Management

Message from the Guest Editors

The main scope of this Special Issue is to combine the topic of urban green spaces (UGSs)—urban parks and gardens, woodlots, etc.—with the specifics of the sustainable management of municipal forests.

Historically, the principle of sustainability indicates that a forest's production should be managed to a specific limit in order to prevent as much undesirable damage as possible to the residual stand and overall ecosystem, and the detailed regulations are determined based on the concepts of guiding principles. The New EU Forest Strategy for 2030 aims to "set a vision and concrete actions to improve the quantity and quality of EU forests and strengthen their protection, restoration and resilience". The Strategy places forest demands in the context of changing environmental conditions due to climate change and meeting socio-economic needs. We look forward to receiving your contributions.

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