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# Impact of COVID-19 on the Environment, Energy and Economics

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The COVID-19 (Novel Coronavirus—Sars-Cov-2) pandemic has been declared a global pandemic by the World Health Organization due to its devastating impact on humanity. In line with the SDGs and the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, we invite papers on the following topics: 1) Chemicals-waste management-water and sanitation and COVID-19; 2) COVID-19 and the environment: transmission via surfaces, air, water, soildetection of COVID-19 virus—the impact of environmental factors on transmission, survival, and infectivity such as wetness, dryness, temperature, relative humidity, sunlight, and air pollution (particulates, bioaerosol); 3) COVID-19 and oceans and blue economy biodiversity and wildlife; 4) COVID-19 and economic growth, green recovery/greening economies; 5) Effective containment and preventive options and strategies for present and future spread, i.e., face masks, hand wash, disinfection technologies in public places and healthcare facilities; 6) Forecasting shortand long-term impact of the COVID-19 pandemic owing to current intervention and preventive measures.

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