

## Special Issue

# Sustainable Smart Cities and Smart Villages Research

### Message from the Guest Editors

For this Special Issue, we welcome papers dealing with case studies, literature review, survey findings, analytical methods, and tools. Examples of topics of interest include:

- Studies on sustainable smart cities research;
- Elaboration on the concept of smart villages;
- Smart urban applications for different domains of human activity including education, transportation, energy, accessibility, policy making, governance, entertainment, collaboration, behavior etc.;
- Advanced information and communication technologies for smart cities research including data mining, analytics, cloud computing, open source technologies, virtual and augmented reality, collaborative platforms, content management systems, etc.;
- Policy-making and sustainable government initiatives for smart social businesses and entrepreneurship in villages and rural areas;
- Case studies, prototypes and project deliverables related to smart cities research; Irregular migratory flows and smart villages initiatives;
- Public consultation and open smart democracy.

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