

Special Issue

Sustainable and Community-Based Approaches for the Reduction of Landslide Impacts

Message from the Guest Editors

Landslide phenomena can have significant impacts on people's life, health, and property. Natural hazard can be analyzed from a multidisciplinary perspective: Social and economic impact, "natural environment" impact, and psychological and physical impact. The reduction of the impact of landslides can be addressed by adopting a number of appropriate strategies and methodologies. However, it is important that the methodologies and approaches used be sustainable and community-based, that is, integrated approaches that take into account the social, cultural, political, and economic dynamics of the potentially affected territory. 'Community-based' means working with communities to identify and provide solutions to landslide vulnerability together. This Special Issue wants to address the sustainable and community-based approaches to enhancing strategies for avoiding or reducing landslide impact on people, private and public building, lifelines, and the natural environment.

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