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Sustainable Mining and Processing of Mineral Resources

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This Special Issue aims at contributing to the existing literature with papers related to the definition of the conceptual framework for sustainable mineral extraction and processing, the demonstration of successful practices for sustainable mine planning, operation, and closure, including stakeholder management and corporate responsibility issues and the review of literature in relevant topics. Emphasis will be placed on actions planning and implementation to eliminate the environmental, economic, and social impacts after the closure of mines and to enhance just development by adopting innovative land uses. Moreover, the papers included in this Special Issue will be related to the development of novel technologies to enable sustainable extraction of critical raw materials from mineral deposits and secondary sources.

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