# **Special Issue**

# Ecology and Conservation Science in Resolving Human– Wildlife Conflicts of Sustainability

### Message from the Guest Editor

Human-wildlife conflict (HWC) has a history that predates the development of human civilization. Several conservation projects exist which focus on monitoring biodiversity loss and wildlife development. Although HWC is an age-old phenomenon, its complexity, and growing severity has elevated it to the forefront of wildlife management concerns. Several variables are associated with the increase in severity, including the extension of human activities into wildlife habitats, the recovery and growth of a number of wildlife species, and significant environmental changes. Developing public awareness of the value of protecting biodiversity would help to spur progress in solution-oriented ecology and conservation science in other areas to handle the issue of HWCs and sustainability. We invite scholars to submit articles on ecology and conservation science on environmental sustainability to this Special Issue, the focus of which will be on the human-wildlife conflict. Topics that address environmental protection, biodiversity monitoring, sustainable consumption and/or livelihood, public environmental awareness, biodiversity and human development are encouraged.

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