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Energy Efficiency and Circular Economy: Strategies towards Sustainability

Message from the Guest Editor

Energy is used in every sector of human activity and is crucial for attaining quality of life and sustainability. Energy systems are still based on fossil fuels, which cause pollution problems, climate change, and health problems, reducing quality of life. Additionally, they are unevenly distributed which makes countries more externally energy-dependent. On the other hand, the circular economy intends to eliminate waste and pollution by closing loops and using specific strategies. Works on these two areas can be very important since they are transversal and can have a huge potential in significantly impacting society and increasing sustainability.

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- Energy efficiency in waste management/treatment
- Energy efficiency in water management/treatment
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- Circular economy and resources

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