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Advancing the Circular Economy—The Path to Sustainability

Message from the Guest Editors

In the context of urbanization, the economy has achieved rapid development, while the extensive highinput economic development mode and serious pollution have required new manners of production and technique improvement. Meanwhile, a failure to reuse resources increases the risk of resource depletion, environmental degradation, natural disasters, social stability, and economic stagnation. On the other hand, extensive consumption and conspicuous unsustainability can lead to resource waste and environmental pollution, resulting in huge environmental losses and treatment costs. Circular economy is an effective approach to support economic development based on resource reuse, recycling, and waste reduction and can transform the traditional "resource-product-waste" mode of economic development into a "resource-product-waste-recycleproduct" mode of development. We look forward to your contributions. Prof.Dr. Xueting Zeng Dr. Lirong Liu

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