

Special Issue

Integrating Climate Change Adaptation, Disaster Risk Reduction and Sustainable Urban Planning

Message from the Guest Editor

The Special Issue invites contributions presenting Urban (Spatial) Planning cases aiming at Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR) and Climate Change Adaptation (CCA) and deploying appropriate tools and processes for their integration; DRR and CCA policies and measures successfully embedded in existing Urban Plans based on the sustainability principles; catalysts and/or obstacles to the integration of the principles of sustainability with CCA and DRR in the context of urban (spatial) planning procedures. Original research articles and reviews are welcome. Research areas may include the following:

- Approaches and methods for urban resilience and adaptive capacity assessments;
- Resilient, adaptive and transformative urban planning to accommodate the uncertainties of CC and DR;
- Urban planning objectives, tools, processes, agencies and principles reducing vulnerability to CC hazards;
- Public communication/consultation and urban governance processes raising urban communities' awareness of CC hazards and associated disaster risks;
- New technologies serving the resilience and adaptation capacity of cities.

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