

# Special Issue

## Climate Change and Volunteering

### Message from the Guest Editors

The Special Issue is to call attention to the role that volunteers and the voluntary sector have in developing community-led responses to climate change, as well as to understand the untapped potential of volunteers in securing lasting gains in adaptation, mitigation and resilience. We also call attention to the governance challenges that face governments at all levels, NGOs and the voluntary sector in mobilizing volunteers effectively. Finally, it aims at building concepts for future research on volunteering and volunteers, including spatial, 'placial', social cultural, political, institutional and ethical dimensions. This Special Issue empirically and theoretically explores the hitherto under-researched concepts and roles of volunteers and volunteering in responding to climate change. It calls for papers on a variety of related themes and issues, topics may include but are not limited to:

- Volunteering for Mitigation (Including Social Innovation)
- Volunteering for Adaptation
- Volunteering and Climate Science: Citizen Science
- The Role of Volunteers in Achieving SDG Goal 13: Climate Action
- Volunteers and Climate Protest
- Volunteering during Extreme Weather Events

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