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Climate Change Law, Policy and Governance for Sustainable Development

Message from the Guest Editor

For the global community, climate change represents perhaps the greatest sustainability challenge of our time. Due to the complexity of the climate crisis, from mitigation to adaptation to loss and damage, it also represents an immense governance challenge. While the science is clear, and more and more cost-effective solutions are available, many jurisdictions continue to struggle in their effort to decarbonize and adapt, while others are thriving through this transition.

Among the governance challenges certainly are the complexity of the climate issue, the interdisciplinary nature of many of the solutions, the social and economic implications, the pace of change in our understanding of the problem and available solutions, the intra- and intergenerational distribution of the impacts, the many interests that are affected by action and inaction on this critical issue, and the disconnect between decision-makers and those affected.

This Special Issue invites contributions to explore these and other governance challenges. The goal is to improve the understanding of the key challenges and offer solutions that can help jurisdictions struggling with the decarbonization of their societies.

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