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Sustainable Coordination in Supply Chain Management—Risk Factors in Ensuring Coordination and Cooperation in Supply Chains and Actively Strengthening the Reliability of Supply Chains

Message from the Guest Editors

Three key global theoretical trends in supply chains have been identified for three components of global changes, indicating their developmental potential:

The digital supply chain to support Industry 4.0. The shift from a traditional supply chain to a digital supply chain (will be supported by the next generation of low-cost robotics) appears as a necessity;

The resilient supply chain (ability to anticipate, prepare for, adapt to incremental change and sudden disruptions) to counterbalance unforeseen black swan events, as is the case with the COVID-19 pandemic;

The sustainable supply chain to support, among others, the positive behavior of producers and consumers (economic, social, and environmental, the combination and balance of which is supposed to result in equilibrium in the economy).

This transformation will require new management strategies. This Special Issue on “Sustainable Coordination in Supply Chain Management—Risk Factors in Ensuring Coordination and Cooperation in Supply Chains and Actively Strengthening the Reliability of Supply Chains” intends to collect the newest studies in the field.

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