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Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) Performance Assessment

Message from the Guest Editors

Since its debut in a United Nations report in 2006, environmental, social, and governance (ESG) criteria have shifted from the periphery into the mainstream. ESG performance has become a proxy for a company's resilience and risk management capabilities, but it also indicates and enhances the long-term value of a business. However, different rating agencies usually publish different ESG rating results. This Special Issue calls for a more critical discussion about how ESG performance could be assessed in a more welldesigned manner. We particularly invite articles that explore, examine and propose ESG performance assessment rationales and methods. Reviews, as well as prescriptive and experimental research, that assess ESG performance in industry and regions are welcome. The topics of potential interest include but are not restricted to: (1) ESG reporting; (2) ESG ratings; (3) ESG portfolio optimization; (4) ESG investing; (5) Construction of ESG measures; (6) Uncertainty in ESG performance assessment; (7) Divergency in ESG rating; (8) ESG data authenticity; (9) Decision analytics in ESG; (10) Efficiency analysis in ESG performance evaluation.

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