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Floodplain Ecology and Sustainable Restoration with Regard to Ecosystem Services

Message from the Guest Editor

Starting with the "green movement" in the past century, the awareness was raised that nature is providing values and even services for the society. The term "ecosystem" services" (ES) became popular along with "sustainability", and floodplains came back into focus. Floodplain restoration is an instrument of river management to achieve both flood protection and biodiversity as well as floodplain-related ES. Therefore, it is necessary to carry out restoration measures as sustainably as possible. This Special Issue will comprise selected papers on the topics of sustainable floodplain restoration with regard to ecosystem services. Additional focus is on an improved floodplain ecology, which will sustain and foster habitats and consequently biodiversity. We also welcome articles from socioecology and sustainable engineering dealing with ES on floodplains.

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