

Special Issue

Human-Environment Interactions, Natural and Technological Hazards, and the Impacts of Disasters on Social-Ecological Systems

Message from the Guest Editors

Climate change is only one of the many factors involved in the complex human-environment interactions that drive disasters. Growing populations, uncontrolled development, etc. Human activities have resulted in biodiversity loss and have compromised critical regulating and provisioning ecosystem services (Sudmeier-Rieux et al. 2019). To enhance resilience to disasters, it is critical to advance our understanding of the interlinkages between human-environment interactions, the hazards society faces, and disaster impacts on social-ecological systems. This special issue calls for papers that can address the complexities of human-environment interactions associated with disasters caused by natural, technological, or techna (i.e., natural hazard triggered by technology) hazards. Papers are expected to use theoretical/conceptual frameworks, data, and methodological approaches that appropriately address the research question(s) posed and are accepted in their field of study.

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