Special Issue

Knowledge Management for the Sustainable Supply Chain

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue will comprise a selection of theoretical and empirical studies in the context of sustainable supply chains with particular regards to knowledge management (creation, storage, transfer and utilization) and its impact on the supply network performance. We put forward a list of possible and interesting topics which, however, is not to be considered exhaustive:

- The role of information and knowledge in supplier relationship management (SRM) practices for sustainable supply chains
- supply chain management/advanced planning and scheduling systems impact on social, environmental and economic performance of supply chains
- Supply Chain strategic design to avoid suboptimizations in sustainability and value creation at a supply chain level
- Coordinating product and supply chain design decisions to improve sustainability in supply chain management
- Sustainability in supply chain operations as a driver for competitive and financial–economic performance of SC actors
- The role of blockchain technology in underpinning transparent knowledge exchanges and trust along the SC
- KM challenges in closed-loop supply chains for the sustainable circular economy

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