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Managing Sustainable Megaprojects along China's New Silk Roads

Message from the Guest Editors

China's ancient, maritime, digital, and polar silk roads are an ambitious program to connect China to Asia, Africa, and Europe. It involves many countries and more than USD 1 trillion worth of megaprojects. The program involves considerable risks such as Chinese lending to indebted developing countries, political instabilities and public resistance in host countries, as well as geopolitical opposition. We invite case studies of megaprojects that cover, but not exclusively, the following themes in a sustainable way:

Institutional and policy frameworks for megaprojects; Public sector project identification, feasibility, project preparation, structuring, and procurement Sponsor's bid preparation; Lender's due diligence; Sponsor's preconstruction activities; Project mobilization; Construction and close out; Operation and maintenance; Handing over.

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