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Water Quality and Its Interlinkages with the Sustainable Development Goals

Message from the Guest Editors

Good water quality is an important factor for both human wellbeing and good status of ecological systems. Water quality's ubiquitous role in society and nature makes it a key factor in achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), and in various important trade-offs and synergies among the goals and their underlying targets. The aim of this Special Issue is to collect research results on interactions, both trade-offs and synergies, between water quality and the SDGs. Submitted manuscripts can address (but are not limited to) the following topics:

- Integrated policies and measures that help advance the SDG water quality target and other SDG targets;
- Trade-offs and synergies between water quality and other SDG targets—ranking their importance;
- Water quality and biodiversity, especially policy contexts;
- Water quality and poverty;
- The relationship between water quality and gender equality;
- Water quality and achieving health targets of the SDGs;
- Governance issues related to water quality;
- Changing water quality and its impacts on economic sectors.

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