

## Special Issue

# New Approaches to Sustainable Development in Clusters and Regional Innovation Systems

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*The collection of papers will bring new evidence and interpretations on supporting and hindering factors entering paths towards sustainability within and between traditional or emergent localized clusters of productive activities (local production systems). Specifically, the papers will look at cases embedded or anchored in the different places (cities, industrial districts, rural areas, etc.) and ecosystems that may constitute a regional context of territorial development (sub-national areas such as NUTS 2 regions in EU, metropolitan statistical areas in the USA, prefectures and large cities in China, etc.).*

Keywords: green clusters; industrial districts; circular economy; sustainable regional innovation systems; innovative milieux; territorial development; agricultural innovation systems; agricultural innovation ecosystems; multi-level approach to sustainability transitions; social and material innovation in sustainability transitions; socio-cultural and institutional lock-in; distributive conflicts; rent coalitions; contemporary challenges; pandemic crisis; post-pandemic recovery

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