## **Special Issue**

# The New Era of Sustainable Public Procurement

#### Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue plans to give an overview of the most recent advances in the field of SPP, including sustainable, social, inclusive, green, environmental, biodiverse and circular public procurement. Potential topics include, but are not limited to:

- insights in the status quo of sustainable public procurement;
- insights in where most impact can be generated with sustainable public procurement;
- properties of buying organizations that explain the uptake of sustainable public procurement;
- detailed insights in to what extent barriers and drivers are more or less important in different contexts;
- policy approaches for sustainable public procurement;
- tender techniques for sustainable public procurement;
- effects of collaboration on the uptake of sustainable public procurement;
- effects of sustainable public procurement on the environment and social challenges; and
- effects of sustainable public procurement on markets and innovation.

We would be happy to receive a brief abstract or summary of your proposed paper if you wish to enquire about the appropriateness of your submission for consideration in this Special Issue.

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