

## Special Issue

# Efficient and Secure Communications in Smart Cities

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This Special Issue aims to investigate the state-of-the-art and future perspectives for efficient and secure communication in smart cities. We encourage high-quality original research, reviews, critical perspectives, and opinion articles. Potential topics include but are not limited to the following:

- urban computing;
- tourism data management and analysis;
- spatial-temporal data fusion and mining;
- smart traffic; multi-party security computing;
- privacy preserving;
- machine learning for smart city;
- distributed/federated learning for smart city;
- wireless/mobile network communication;
- communication optimization.

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