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Urban Energy Districts: Innovation, Sustainability, and Sharing for a Solidary Future

Message from the Guest Editors

Urban energy districts constitute innovative collaboration models where citizens, businesses, and local entities unite to enhance energy efficiency, reduce carbon emissions, and bolster energy resilience, covering technological, spatial, regulatory, financial, legal, social, economic, health and wellness perspectives. Within an urban energy district, citizens can work together with politicians, R&I stakeholders, industry, investors, and healthcare professionals in order to outline possible approaches towards the implementation of a positive, sustainable, inclusive and healthy urban energy district. Being part of an urban energy district also offers a tangible opportunity to contribute to local regeneration and promote more inclusive, sustainable, healthy and resilient spaces. This Special Issue provides design guidelines and technological solutions for urban energy districts that integrate technological innovation and transversal aspects such as sustainability, wellness and economic and social impact. We look forward to receiving your contributions.

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