

Special Issue

Economic Revitalization and Place Management for Urban Commercial Areas

Message from the Guest Editor

Articles might include but are not limited to work that addresses the following questions in part, or in combination:

- What has been the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on urban commercial districts?
- What set of national, state/provincial, and/or local public policies and/or governance arrangements have emerged to address these issues?
- What have been the early impacts of COVID-19 on the viability of locally owned small businesses versus chain establishments?
- How have reductions in urban office occupancy impacted commercial district viability?
- How have reductions in public transit use impacted commercial district planning?
- How have business district management organizations (BIDs) responded to the pandemic?
- What role does or has zoning played in commercial viability in places, and how might this change in the future?
- What role do arts organizations have in the future in partnering with urban commercial spaces to activate and enliven public spaces in commercial districts?

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