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## Advances in Ecohydrology for Water Resources Optimization in Arid and Semi-arid Areas

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### Message from the Guest Editors

Conserving water resources is current challenge that will become increasingly urgent in future years due to climate change. The arid and semi-arid areas of the globe are expected to be particularly affected by changing water availability. Consequently, advances in ecohydrology sciences (i.e., the interplay between ecological and hydrological processes) are necessary to enhance the understanding of the critical zone hydrology, to optimize water resources usage in arid and semi-arid areas, and mitigate climate change.

This Special Issue aims to investigate the relationships between hydrological and ecological processes and how these interactions can contribute to the optimization of the water resources in arid and semi-arid areas. Similarly, evaluating water management options and testing new experimental procedures in these areas are essential to produce robust water savings. Hydrology and water resources should be prevalent aspects of submitted investigations. Theoretical, methodological, and case studies, as well as review papers, are welcome.



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