Special Issue

Advanced Technologies for Water Erosion Mapping and Environmental Change Detection

Message from the Guest Editor

Water erosion remains one of the most significant forms of land degradation worldwide, contributing to soil loss, reduced agricultural productivity, and sedimentation in river systems and reservoirs. This Special Issue aims to highlight the latest advances in mapping and monitoring water erosion using cutting-edge remote sensing and geospatial technologies. We invite contributions that demonstrate the application of unmanned aerial vehicles (UAVs), LiDAR, and high-resolution photogrammetry for the creation of digital elevation models (DEMs), which are critical for detecting erosion patterns and quantifying topographic change. Papers that integrate these technologies with GIS-based modelling, change detection analysis, and ground-based validation are especially encouraged. The Special Issue also welcomes studies focused on temporal erosion assessment, post-event landscape reconstruction (e.g., after floods or storms), and the monitoring of gully development, surface runoff, and landform evolution in both natural and agricultural landscapes.

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