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Wetland Conservation and Ecological Restoration

Message from the Guest Editors

Since the onset of the Anthropocene, humanity's impact on and capacity to modify the environment have dramatically increased. To mitigate such negative impacts, a growing number of wetland restoration efforts have been undertaken in recent years. The concepts of "nature-based solutions", "adaptive management", and "ecological networks" seem to offer better prospects, and are now being used to reframe wetland restoration on critical uncertainties reduction, climate change adaptation, and mitigation strategies. As the world enters the United Nations Decade on Ecosystem Restoration (2021-2030), countries and organizations around the world will pay more attention to the innovation of ecological restoration underpinnings for ensuring that restoration achieves its full potential in delivering social and ecological coordination and, ultimately, sustainable developments.

Therefore, we invite you to contribute your recent research in relation to understanding the ecohydrological processes, environmental effects, and integrated regulation of wetland ecosystems to wetland conservation and management.

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