

Special Issue

Hydropower and Pumping Systems

Message from the Guest Editors

A hydropower solution relies on water flowing through a turbine to create electricity to be used by customers. In order to store energy for use at a later time, there are a number of different projects that use pumps to elevate water into a retained reservoir behind a dam, in tanks of the water sector or in natural topographic depressions—creating an on-demand energy source that can be released rapidly. This Special Issue aims to provide a scientific forum for new investigations and engineering opportunities and applications, where scientists, researchers, and experts can submit their novel developments, new design solutions, innovative approaches in several fields of hydraulics, and techniques, methods, and analyses in order to respond to the new challenges in hydropower and pumping systems as a base of hydraulic and hydrodynamics engineering applications from micro to large scales.

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