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# Digital Twins and Robot Sensing for Smart Construction and Facilities Management

Guest Editors:	Message from the Guest Editors
Dr. Vincent Gan	Dear Colleagues,
Dr. Ali Ghahramani	The COVID-19 pandemic has severely disrupted global
Dr. Weiwei Chen	economic activities, and has very rapidly changed the way we designed, operated, and maintained the built
Dr. Mingzhu Wang	environment. As previous relevant research on building design has much focused on structure, function and
Deadline for manuscript submissions: closed (31 October 2023)	appearance, planners in trying to anticipate the new
	environmental inventions as related to the building
	performance faces exceptional difficulties. There is huge
	unmet needs to transform conventional operating arrays of
	old buildings towards autonomous built environment for
	improving its sustainability, resiliency, and well-being.
	Nowadays, innovative digital technologies such as Digital
	Twin, Robotics, Artificial Intelligence, and 5G have bring new
	opportunities for research, and seek to transform the way
	people design and manage the built environment. This
	Special Issue aims to collect state-of-the-art research on the
	latest development of innovative digital solutions for
	autonomous built environment management. Critical reviews
	and original research papers which address current research

studies are welcome.

gaps, theoretical frameworks, methodologies, and case

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