



Citizen Science and the Role in Sustainable Development

Guest Editors:

Dr. Florian Heigl

Dr. Steffen Fritz

Dr. Daniel Dörler

Dr. Silke L. Voigt-Heucke

Deadline for manuscript
submissions:

closed (31 October 2020)

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue aims to discuss the role citizen science (CS) can play in monitoring and implementing the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals. We envisage this Special Issue becoming a cornerstone of the scientific literature, which illustrates the potential of citizen science in the SDG process. We are interested in receiving papers from all disciplines which illustrate via case studies and existing projects how CS contributes to achieving the SDGs on a local, regional, and national level. We also welcome contributions which outline the future potential of CS and the role it can play in reaching the SDGs. We are furthermore interested in contributions which showcase the link of CS and the potential of integrating it with other traditional and non-traditional data sources such as earth observation and big data in general.





an Open Access Journal by MDPI

Editor-in-Chief

Prof. Dr. Marc A. Rosen

Faculty of Engineering and
Applied Science, University of
Ontario Institute of Technology,
Oshawa, ON L1G 0C5, Canada

Message from the Editor-in-Chief

I encourage you to contribute a research or comprehensive review article for consideration for publication in *Sustainability*, an international Open Access journal which provides an advanced forum for research findings in areas related to sustainability and sustainable development. *Sustainability* publishes original research articles, review articles and communications. I am confident you will find the journal contributes to enhancing understanding of sustainability and fostering initiatives and applications of sustainability-based measures and activities.

Author Benefits

Open Access: free for readers, with [article processing charges \(APC\)](#) paid by authors or their institutions.

High Visibility: indexed within [Scopus](#), [SCIE](#) and [SSCI \(Web of Science\)](#), [GEOBASE](#), [GeoRef](#), [Inspec](#), [AGRIS](#), [RePEc](#), [CAPlus / SciFinder](#), and [other databases](#).

Journal Rank: JCR - Q2 (*Environmental Studies*) / CiteScore - Q1 (*Geography, Planning and Development*)

Contact Us

Sustainability Editorial Office
MDPI, St. Alban-Anlage 66
4052 Basel, Switzerland

Tel: +41 61 683 77 34
www.mdpi.com

mdpi.com/journal/sustainability
sustainability@mdpi.com
[X@Sus_MDPI](#)