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Increase in the mean global temperature, and especially the increased intensity and frequency of extreme weather events in the recent decades, have led to world-wide awareness and concerns about climate change.

In this special issue of WATER, we seek research contributions focused on climate change effects on hydrological processes, water resources, ecosystems and agriculture. We aim to cover a wide range of recent climate change studies on the storage, movement and variability of water resources in the high mountain ranges (or water towers) of the world. Studies focused on the resulting alterations to the eco and agricultural systems in the downstream areas of the watersheds are equally welcome. Analyses should be based on realistic data observed at the fine local and regional scales in the human occupied areas rather than at the global scale and in the polar areas which have been largely covered by IPCC. Research methods can be either based on down-scaling of the general circulation models (GCMs), or applying the watershed models to local landscape and climate conditions.

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