



The Nexus of Renewable Energy, Water, and Food Systems

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Message from the Guest Editors

We are inviting submissions to a Special Issue of *Energies* on the subject area of “The Nexus of Renewable Energy, Water, and Food Systems”. Interactions among energy, water, and food systems represent grand global challenges in the Anthropocene era. Renewable energy transitions—including innovation, design, adoption, operation, maintenance, societal demand and opposition, economics, institutions, and policies—constitute key areas of research, particularly in relation to water and food systems.

Topics of interest for publication include, but are not limited to:

- Energy–water–food interactions, considering resource use, technology, infrastructure, and/or policy
- Climate-smart energy generation coupled to sustainable food and water use
- Off-grid renewables in the context of local water availability and food/ irrigation demand
- Smart Village and/or Smart Grid systems
- Resource efficiency—savings or expanded use?
- Life-cycle analysis of renewables, carbon and water footprints
- Renewable energy access, energy poverty, human dimensions
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