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Urban areas are complex ecosystems in which forests can act as essential contributors to their environmental and economic values. With the continuous growth and fragmentation of urban areas, the management and planning of urban forests have been addressed to restore deforested or degraded landscapes, to regain their ecological functions, and to enhance human well-being. Achieving these goals requires the broadest possible support in terms of knowledge exchange and expertise and sets the scene to improve urban forest and landscape restoration interventions. This support could be crucial to adapt to the urban landscape to future scenarios, including climate change effects. This Special Issue offers the opportunity to describe findings related to the integration issues between forest resources and urban ecosystems. Research articles can focus on any aspect of urban forestry and landscape restoration, such as monitoring, management plans, ecosystem services assessment, ecological functions, human health and wellbeing, and case studies.

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