



## Territory Spatial Planning toward High-Quality Development in China

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### Message from the Guest Editors

China officially launched the unified spatial planning system—territory spatial planning in 2019, defining objectives, framework, requirements, procedures, and its role in national development. The new spatial planning system integrates the main functional zoning, land use planning, urban–rural planning, and eco-environmental planning into a unified planning system, including master planning, detailed planning and specialized planning, with the aim of alleviating the contradiction in the process of designing, implementing, and supervising spatial plans. At present, the territory spatial planning is playing an increasingly important role in China’s high-quality development.

The purpose of this Special Issue is to provide up-to-date knowledge in territory spatial planning and high-quality development in China. It aims to advance and share current insights in the theory, methodology, and application of territory spatial planning toward high-quality development in land use, economic growth, environmental management, etc.





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