

Special Issue

Mega-City Regions in the Global South

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue focuses on the complexities of mega-city regions in the Global South. It aims to bring professional practices and academic discussion into conversation with one another, help to address key issues in these places, and advance the theoretical understandings of mega-city regions. We welcome theoretical reflections from different perspectives, methodological explorations from different disciplines, and empirical studies (both qualitative, such as case studies, and quantitative, such as modeling) from different geographic areas in the Global South. The key topics include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Global cities in the Global South;
- Social and spatial dynamics in large cities, mega cities, and mega-city regions;
- Demographic, land, and industrial development in mega-city regions;
- Spatial planning and governance in large cities and megaregions;
- Urban-rural interaction in regional development;
- Mega-city regions in the national and/or global economy;
- Post-colonial and critical urban theory;
- Comparative urban studies.

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