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UAV Application for Monitoring Coastal Morphology

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This Special Issue aims at collecting new insights and benefits deriving from the use of UAVs in studies focusing on coastal geomorphology. Recent advancements in the methodologies, techniques, data processing, and future developments of UAV systems are also welcome, as well as studies including, but not limited to, the following aspects:

- Tracking of coastal sediment and/or sediment dynamics by means of UAVs;
- Detection of hotspots of erosion (or accretion) induced by storms or by regular coastal hydrodynamics;
- Integration of UAV datasets with historical imagery gathered from traditional sources and used for shoreline or long-term studies of coastal evolution;
- The use of UAVs in investigating dune morphology and volume variations in the beach system;
- UAVs applied as a rapid tool to assess the impact of storms or flooding extents in coastal areas at risk;
- UAV application for hydrodynamic measurements in coastal systems;
- UAV as tool for monitoring the evolution of nourishment projects or ecosystem-based approaches for coastal defense;
- Any kind of UAV application related to coastal morphodynamics studies.



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