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# The Circular Economy as a Promoter of Sustainability

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This special issue of Sustainability, with the theme "The Circular Economy as a Promoter of Sustainability", aims to publish research or review articles dealing with the topics related with (i) sustainable development strategies based on the circular economy concept, (ii) exploring the role and progress of production and consumption to waste management, including energy, (iii) market for secondary raw materials, (iv) closed loop product lifecycles, (v) recycling and re-use, and (vi) support consumers choosing sustainable products and services.









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