



Landscape and Nature Conservation Issues in Human-Altered Environments

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Landscapes all over the world are at a growing rate affected by agricultural intensification, forest management activities, industry, transport, water regulation, and urbanisation, as well as the abandonment of rural areas. Intensive management, especially during the past century, has seriously altered human-dominated landscapes and caused severe biodiversity loss. Exploring historical management reasons and their various consequences is inevitable for developing and implementing conservation efforts. In this special issue, we invite case studies to describe some top issues on the potential drivers of landscape change that provide evidence to underpin future policy development and conservation management.





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