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Message from the Guest Editors

In recent years, the proliferation of e-commerce business models has helped customers to access product information online easily and receive products they ordered whenever and wherever they want. As customers are accustomed to e-commerce services, it becomes crucial to improve the quality of such services. To deal with the problems in the urban logistics environment, wise investment in automation and intelligent algorithms for the logistics systems are critical. By carefully incorporating the existing urban infrastructures with logistics facilities, efficient and sustainable freight transportation is expected to become possible. Furthermore, novel business models will supplement the current urban logistics systems and contribute to achieving the sustainable growth of on-demand business models. Combining research ideas in logistics and supply chain management, operations research, computer science, and transport engineering is necessary to provide differentiated solutions. We invite you to submit papers for this Special Issue. Any relevant papers in the broad areas of logistics innovations in urban areas are welcome.





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