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Renovation of Buildings and Revitalization of Urban and Rural Areas towards Sustainability

Message from the Guest Editors

We invite you to publish your research findings and scientific discoveries on building renovation and urban and rural revitalization. Sustainability is often defined as "restore, renew, replenish" mindset, and in line with this thought, we encourage research on adapting people's living conditions to meet the requirements of modern civilization. The Special Issue provides a forum for architects, engineers, as well as scientists and practitioners to expand their knowledge, exchange experiences, present the latest developments, and learn about trends in the development and application of sustainable development in architectural, construction, and infrastructure engineering. Manuscripts containing current research findings and scientific discoveries on the following research topics are encouraged:

- Building renovation in sustainable building development;
- The revitalization of urban and rural areas;
- The adaptation of historic buildings for modern use;
- Damage diagnostics as a basis for renovation investments;
- Renovation problems in building objects;
- Material, construction, and execution issues in repairs and renovations.

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