



## Culture, Landscape and Sustainability

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### Message from the Guest Editors

In the current context of ongoing crises, cultural change continues to imbue landscapes with new qualities and characteristics, while sustainability-related concepts, policies and practices continue to remain both propagated and contested. This Special Issue seeks to ascertain and highlight recent theoretical and epistemological contributions, as well as methodological innovations and empirical applications, in the nexus of culture and landscape, cultural sustainability and landscape sustainability.

We invite research ranging from specific case studies to theoretical-methodological inroads into the interfaces between these subjects:

- How do culture, landscape and sustainability come together in socio-spatial experience and practice?
- What is or may be the role of culture in landscape planning, stewardship, use and governance, and vice versa?
- How are we to operationalize (cultural) sustainability in new contexts of landscape change?
- How to tackle reactionary, adaptive, resilient, interim-usage, 'traditional' or other processes in our landscapes?
- How do top-down policy-making interacts and is best accommodated with bottom-up needs and priorities in the landscape?

