

Special Issue

Innovative Methods and Approaches for the Evaluation and Valorisation of Historical and Architectural Heritage

Message from the Guest Editors

The assessment of historical and architectural heritage presents a critical challenge and significant opportunity in sustainable development. These cultural assets serve dual roles as custodians of collective identity and catalysts for socioeconomic value creation. This inherent duality necessitates sophisticated evaluation frameworks that transcend conventional economic metrics. Recent methodological advances enable more comprehensive assessment of heritage value, capturing intrinsic cultural significance and extrinsic societal impacts. This Special Issue examines the integration of traditional appraisal systems with innovative approaches incorporating cultural, social and sustainability dimensions. We seek to foster interdisciplinary dialogue across economics, architecture, engineering, urban planning and heritage studies to address contemporary valuation challenges. We welcome contributions across 4 key domains:

- Innovative methodologies for economic evaluation of heritage assets
- Analytical frameworks assessing sociocultural and environmental impacts
- Integration models connecting heritage assessment with urban regeneration
- Comparative case studies demonstrating practical applications

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