

## Special Issue

# Landscapes in the Time of Social Distancing: Pandemic and the Design of the Urban Environment

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For this Special Issue, we invite authors to submit research articles or commentaries that focus on one or more of the following topics: social distancing in the public space; streetscape in times of pandemic; recreational use of Informal Green Spaces (IGS) or green wastelands in the time of pandemic; urban parks in the time of social distancing; salutogenesis and biophilic design; nature connection indoors and window view studies; the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on communities and neighborhoods; green space and “recreation” through online immersive technologies; public space and the social “bubble”; the benefits of green spaces on public health and mental well-being during the pandemic; the roles of allotment gardens, community gardens, and urban farms in food production during the pandemic; from private to public—the roles of balconies, roof gardens, etc.; tactical urbanism and temporary responses for the pandemic in the city; and future, post-pandemic landscape architecture and urban design challenges.

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