Special Issue

Recent Progress in CO₂ Emission from the World's Rivers

Message from the Guest Editors

We are guest-editing a special issue of Water - Recent Progress in CO2 Emission from the World's Rivers. Manuscripts will be selected through both invitation and open call, and the publisher Water will waive the fee for all accepted papers in this Feature Paper special issue. Terrestrial carbon export from river systems to coastal and marine environments is a crucial component of the global carbon cycling. However, current global estimates of CO2 flux from rivers to the atmosphere vary largely, i.e. nearly 9-folds from the lowest to the highest estimate, and the large discrepancy may have stemmed from a number of factors. This Feature Paper special issue aims at bringing together the latest research on CO2 emission of the world's rivers from headwaters to lowland and estuarine rivers. We encourage submissions of high-quality studies concerning dissolved carbon transport and transformation in riverine systems across climatic, geological and land use gradients. We especially encourage papers that address CO2 from the word's major rivers and that stimulate critical thinking pertinent to constraining uncertainties in global estimation of riverine CO2 emission.

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