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Spatiality and Governance

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You are invited to submit a paper proposal for the next thematic issue of BSGLg which will bring together original contributions devoted to the relationship between spatiality and governance.

The proposals will focus on the spatial aspects of institutional reforms (territorial recompositions) and governance rescaling, on the link between territorial development models and governance, on the spatial selectivity of governance processes, on the interactions between governance and the construction of spatiality, on the spatial governance of smart and sustainable cities, etc.

Contributions may be based on theoretical, methodological or empirical research, at all scales (from local to global) and for all territories (urban and rural).

Researchers from all disciplines (geography, regional sciences, urban planning, political sciences, etc.) are invited to submit proposals that address the relationships between spatiality and governance processes. Contributions can be submitted in English or French.

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