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# **Circular Economy: A Move towards Economical Viable Sustainability**

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A circular economy approach to sustainability not only reduces the use of and conserves raw materials, but it also increases the consumption of refurbished, repurposed and reused eco-designed products, and in prolonging the lifespan of materials and products, it is an economically viable approach to business. This Special Issue aims to bring together an eclectic review of emerging approaches to circular economy in product design and remanufacture —for example, in the Higher Education sector, office furnishing and consumer products.

The purpose of this Special Issue is to offer an outlet for storytelling, case study writing and research papers focusing on the implementation of a circular economy approach across a wide range of business sectors, from consumer products to office furniture. This issue will supplement the theoretical approaches to research in the area by providing evidence through examples of managing product design and remanufacture, barriers to implementation and market leadership.









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