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We invite papers to be contributed to this Special Issue that seek to address modern and contemporary challenges in the sphere of SMEs and sustainability. We particularly welcome papers that focus on the following topics:

- How SMEs can put sustainability at the heart of their entrepreneurial strategy and thus make a difference.
- Sustainability embedded in the entrepreneurial models and production processes of SMEs.
- The effect of sustainable entrepreneurial performance on growth.
- The role of governments in promoting social responsibility and environmental sustainability.
- The role of NGOs in promoting social responsibility and environmental sustainability.
- The role of national governments and institutional frameworks in SMEs and sustainability.
- The impact of SMEs on the resilience of local community.
- The impact of a socioeconomic crisis on promoting social responsibility and environmental sustainability.
- The role of entrepreneurship education in sustainability-embedded models.
- The role of educational policies (e.g., GreenComp) in sustainable education for youth.
- The role of SMEs in their transition towards sustainability **Specials**







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