Special Issue Call for Papers

“Individual and collective violence: determinants, dynamics and consequences”

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Theme of the Special Issue

The goal of this Special Issue is to collect research and theoretical models that investigates when, how, and why people engage in violence. We welcome paper concentrated on interpersonal violence as well as on group violence. We would like to integrate research form various areas of psychology, such as clinical psychology, personality and individual differences, as well as social and political psychology. This Special Issue welcomes submissions based on experimental studies, surveys, clinical case studies, as well as review papers, which may address (but are not limited to) the following topics:

- Socioeconomic factors related to violence
- Personality factors and violence
- Personality disorders related to engagement in violence
- Sexual violence
- Evidence-based interventions
- Evolutionary basis of violence
- Close relationships and intimate violence
- School and workplace violence
- Gender based violence
- Child abuse and neglect
- Ideologies, narratives, social representations and group violence
- Populism, nationalism and radical violent actions
- Religion, fundamentalism and violence
- Social change, minority rights and radical violent actions
- Media, technology and violence

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