## Title: Governance, Income Inequality, and Happiness



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P<u>roposal</u>

In recent years, the globalization prevails and causes a global economic competition and serious income inequality that becoming a challenge for every country. Every government not only is in pursuit of a national competitiveness and economic growth but also should pay more attention to individual happiness to reduce income inequality using good governance and produce a higher level of happiness. Therefore, it is urgent to explore the relationship among public governance, income inequality, and a country's individual happiness.

We expect in the next special issue of "Governance, Income Inequality, and Happiness" to attract more papers that could cover a large spectrum of the topics by focusing on economic growth and income inequality, corruption and economic growth, governance and income inequality, governance and economic growth, governance and happiness, etc.

Topics of interest for this special issue include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Governance
- Voice and accountability
- Political stability
- Government effectiveness
- Regulatory quality
- · Rule of law
- Control of Corruption
- Political Freedom
- Economic Growth
- Income Distribution
- Happiness
- Aging and Suicide
- Health Economics
- · Welfare Economics
- Population Economics
- Education Economics
- Sustainable Development

We invite scholars to submit papers on a broad range of issues on governance, income inequality and happiness.