Editorial

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Food, housing, mobility, health care, leisure and work are the fundamental areas that contribute to satisfaction of individuals' needs. If, therefore, the individual and collective level of well-being, achieved in a given period, is a function of the quantity, quality and balance between these various dimensions, "Sustainability" depends on how the decision-making models of the various stakeholders are able to "preserve", in time and space, the four stocks of capital: human, natural, economic, social.

In summary, Well-being Sustainability depends on the ability to "know how to combine" in space (intra-generational equity) and over time (intergenerational equity) the society's issue and Capital Stock (availability and characteristics).

In this issue of the *Review of Studies on Sustainability*, divided into two sections, the various authors address two areas of well-being from various points of view: that of food systems and housing.

First section.

The first theme addressed in this first section is that of Housing, with the presentation of the paper "Organization of construction accounting in the process of sustainable development" and of the paper "Energy performance of green facades".

In the first paper, the authors Shulenbayeva Gaisha, Jondelbayeva Aigul, Nurgaliyeva Aliya, Zhanseitov Azamat analyze, according to a quantitative approach, the perceptions of different professionals who are working in the construction industry about construction accounting, within the context of construction project management and development. The result of the paper is the demonstration that good accounting in the project management phase allows the construction sector to offer its contribution to the achievement of Sustainable Development.

Green façades consist of the application of vegetation on buildings' vertical envelope. The integration of vegetation into the building fabric improves not only the aesthetic appearance, but also the energy performance of

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the building itself. In the paper "Energy performance of green façades", the authors Fabiana Convertino, Angeliki Kavgab, Ileana Blanco place the accent on the introduction of green façades mainly aims at a passive thermal control of buildings' for enhancing sustainability of the built environment. in the perspective of sustainable development.

The second sector examined in this section is that of the Agroecosystem, with the paper "Ecological Human Imprint: Agroecosystem in Egypt Analysis and Perspective" edited by Safwat H. Shakir Hanna and Gian Paolo Cesaretti. In the essay, the authors highlight the importance of the Agroecosystem for the continuation of the life cycle on Earth. Indeed, without an agroecosystem, life on this Earth will stop, and the drivers of all ecological life cycles will not continue functioning. The paper analyzes the case of Egypt's agroecosystems that are facing declining fertile lands, reduction in water resources, and expansion of the human population on the agricultural lands for housing and other activities without control.

Finally, in the paper "Language policy of the Republic of Kazakhstan: formation and sustainable development" by Saltanat Zhalmagambetova, Maira Dyusembekova, Manshuk Mukasheva, Axakalova M.K., Aliya Kaliyeva, the authors address the issue of protecting linguistic diversity through a correct language policy, aimed at strengthening the share capital in the territories.

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