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## SUSTAINABLE ERGONOMICS - ERGONOMICS FOR SUSTAINABILITY

It is now well known that sustainable development requires the convergence of complex and often disjointed multidisciplinary knowledge, such as economic growth, social equity and environmental protection. First introduced in the Brundtland Report (1987), sustainable development is defined as development that meets the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs. Therefore, a key element is the consideration of a long-term welfare perspective covering the entire socio-economic system to ensure that improvements occurring in the short term do not prove detrimental to the future state or development potential of the system. In this scenario, it is necessary to implement conscious models and practices that integrate effective environmental protection, prudent use of natural resources, social progress that recognises the needs of all, and the maintenance of high and stable levels of employment and economic growth. More recently, the 17 Sustainability Goals defined by the United Nations (2015) have made explicit the goals towards which contemporary society must strive to end poverty, fight inequality and enhance social and economic development, in consideration of people, planet and profit, emphasising aspects of fundamental importance today, such as climate change and environmental protection. The awareness emerges that sustainable development is characterised by a dual dimension of complexity, global and local, determining multifactorial conditions that must be addressed at the most appropriate scales and with integrated multidisciplinary approaches. With the National Recovery and Resilience Plan (PNRR), the Italian government has directed its investments in the immediate future towards the ecological and digital transition of our country, for a structural change in the economy, starting with the fight against gender, territorial and generational inequalities, thus demonstrating that it wants to adopt, after the pandemic crisis, a strategy that is partly consistent with the objectives of sustainable development.

**The Italian Review of Ergonomics**, in the year 2022 intends to develop these themes, stimulating reflections on the synergies between the human factor and sustainability, to understand the role that ergonomics can also provide concerning the themes that the PNRR missions introduce such as:

- Digitalisation, innovation, competitiveness, culture and tourism
- Green revolution and ecological transition
- Sustainable mobility: products, services and infrastructure
- Education and research
- Inclusion and cohesion
- Health and well-being
- Creative manufacturing and new working practices

**Issues 24 and 25** of the journal are intended to collect contributions based on critical essays, scientific research or professional and project experiences that contribute to open a discussion on the potential of ergonomics methodologies and tools for responsible and equitable development.

### DEADLINES

**NUMBER 24** Articles must be received by **June 30th, 2022**  
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