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HANDBOOK OF RESEARCH ON SUSTAINABLE CONSUMPTION

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This *Handbook* compiles the state of the art of current research on sustainable consumption from the world's leading experts in the field. The transformation to a more sustainable consumption pattern presents one of the greatest challenges and opportunities we are faced with today. On the one hand, consumption is a wanted and necessary phenomenon important for the individual, society and the economy. On the other, our current level and pattern of consumption challenges many important ecological and social long-term goals.

Research on sustainable consumption has gained in importance and is addressed by many scientists in varied disciplines. Despite this, a general trend towards sustainable consumption has yet to emerge which can provide for future generations in a viable way. Set against this background, the *Handbook* offers an interdisciplinary overview of recent research on sustainable consumption, aiming to draw attention to this subject and to encourage discussion and debate. In 30 chapters, leading authorities in the field provide their expertise in a concise and accessible manner.

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