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# **Advances in Antimicrobial Coatings II**

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# **Message from the Guest Editor**

During the last decade, the attention was drawn towards the design, synthesis, and characterization of efficient antimicrobial coatings. The latter are of potential use in many industries, such as in medical devices, food packaging, water treatment, ceramics, paints, and many other items in different fields.

We invite authors to contribute original research articles, as well as review articles, that seek to address the mechanisms and significance of antimicrobial coated surfaces for safer environments. A particular interest will be given to papers exploring innovative materials and surfaces engineering.

In particular, the topics of interest include but are not limited to:

- Recent advances in antimicrobial surfaces
- Antimicrobial photocatalytic coatings
- Surfaces engineering for indoor environment
- Antimicrobial coated polymers
- New generation of antimicrobial coated ceramics
- Light enhanced dyes degradation on surfaces
- Water treatment on coated reactors







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