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# The Additive Manufacturing of Metallic Alloys

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## Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

The development of advanced metallic alloys can lead to improved industrial technologies and products for use in aerospace, medical science, electronics, construction, etc. With the assistance of additive manufacturing (AM, also known as 3D printing), scientists further discovered the possibility to efficiently create complex geometries, lightweight designs and unique mechanical properties. However, there are still major challenges to be overcome within this attractive research topic.

This Special Issue focuses on interesting research advances in the field of AM-prepared metallic alloys. Either a fundamental or engineering study is acceptable, as long as the work helps to tackle a specific barrier that hinders the development of metallic alloys fabricated via AM, or reports any novel discovery that is of particular interest to the relevant communities. Potential topics include, but are not limited to:

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- Process and/or post-treatment optimization;
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