



Progress in 3D Printing of Materials

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Dear Colleagues,

3D printing is rapidly emerging as a key manufacturing technique capable of serving a wide spectrum of applications, ranging from engineering to biomedical sectors. Its ability to form both simple and intricate shapes through computer-controlled graphics enables it to create a niche in the manufacturing sector. Many challenges have been solved, while many challenges remain, and much research is still required to develop 3D printing technology for all classes of materials including polymers, metals, ceramics, and composites. In view of the growing importance and acceptance of 3D manufacturing worldwide, we are launching this Special Issue, aiming to seek original articles to further assist in the development of this promising technology from both scientific and technological perspectives. Targeted reviews including mini-reviews are also welcome, as they play a crucial role in educating students and young researchers.

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