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Advanced Composites Processing and Manufacturing

Message from the Guest Editors

Composite materials are well known for their extraordinary characteristics in terms of specific performances. Due to their low density and high mechanical properties, these materials have gained interest in several industraial sectors. For this reason. industrial interest is strongly pushing scientific research in this area. This Special Issue aims to present the latest developments related to advanced manufacturing and fabrication technologies of composite materials. The interest is not limited only to composite manufacturing processes, but also includes original articles with research topics related to materials, technologies and processes that lead to improving design and production of composite materials in the aerospace, energy, automotive, motorsport, biomedical and healthcare sectors. Studies on economic and environmental sustainability of innovative technological processes for composite parts are also of interest. Keywords: composite material; reinforcement; curing process; CFRP; natural fibers; sustainability assessment; continuous fibers; short fibers; nanofiller; polymer matrix composites; mechanical performances.

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