Special Issue

Biofabrication of Biologically Realistic Constructs: Needs, Challenges, and Opportunities

Message from the Guest Editor

This Special Issue of Bioengineering, titled "Biofabrication of Biologically Realistic Constructs: Needs, Challenges, and Opportunities", aims to showcase an emerging paradigm shift in tissue engineering from technology-driven developments to biology-driven implementations that prioritize structural and functional fidelity. This Special Issue addresses a current challenge in the field: the disconnect between engineering capabilities and the structure-function paradigm that governs biological systems. We will highlight innovative methods, biomaterials, and technologies-including single-cell manipulation, bioprinting, and advanced imaging—that strive to enable faithful reproduction of biological complexity. The scope of this call for submissions also encompasses applications in regenerative medicine, disease modeling, hybrid bio-inorganic constructs, as well as the development of physiologically relevant culture systems for drug and toxicology testing, particularly in response to the need to reduce animal experimentation.

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