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Resin-Related Coatings and Thin Films: Synthesis, Characterization and Applications

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Resin-based coatings and thin films are vital across industries, from protective layers to advanced electronics and biomedical devices. Advances in resin chemistry, curing, and formulation have led to highperformance coatings with tailored properties and multifunctionality. Growing demand for sustainable, ecofriendly materials drives research into renewable sources, green synthesis, and low-VOC systems to meet environmental and performance standards. This Special Issue invites original research and reviews on synthesis, processing, characterization, and applications of resin-based coatings and films. Contributions on structure-property relationships, novel formulations, hybrid/nanocomposites, and advanced curing or deposition methods are encouraged. Studies integrating resins with functional fillers or bio-based components to enhance optical, electrical, mechanical, or barrier properties are welcome.

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