Special Issue

Novel Advances in Multi-Layer Fibre-Reinforced Composites

Message from the Guest Editors

Advanced multi-layer composite structures are attracting increasing attention in industrial applications due to their excellent mechanical performance and multifunctionality as compared to their metallic counterparts. At present, several novel modelling methods and manufacturing techniques for advanced multi-layer composites have been developed, which are essential to boost the applications of advanced composite structures in several industrial fields. The Special Issue presents the latest advances in novel manufacturing techniques, modelling methods, mechanical/functional characterisation and the applications of advanced multi-layer composite structures. Topics of interest include, but are not limited to:

- Advanced manufacturing technology such as 3D printing.
- Novel modelling techniques towards the design and manufacturing of multi-layer composite structures.
- Novel design methods and approaches.
- Mechanical/functional characterisation of multi-layer fibre-reinforced polymer composite structures.
- Life-cycle assessment.
- Composite response under extreme conditions.
- Advanced engineering applications.

We look forward to receiving your contributions.

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