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Functional Coatings for Thermal Applications: Thermoelectrics and Thermal Management

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This Special Issue invites original research and review articles addressing recent advancements in the science, technology, and applications of coatings for thermal purposes. Topics of interest include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Novel materials for thermoelectric and thermal management coatings;
- Advanced deposition and processing techniques;
- Microstructure-property relationships and performance characterization;
- Interface engineering and mechanisms;
- Integration into devices and systems for energy conversion and thermal management;
- Modeling and simulation of heat transfer and conversion processes.

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