## **Special Issue**

## Surface Modification by Plasma-Based Processes

## Message from the Guest Editor

Plasma-based processing technologies are of vital importance to several of the largest manufacturing industries in the world. Most recently, plasma processing technology has been used as a useful tool to modify the surface properties of different materials via the interaction of energetic particles (ions, electrons, neutrals) and photons with surface exposed to plasmas. The aim of this Special Issue is to present the state of the art of plasma technologies for surface modification based on the fundamental approach through a combination of original research papers, short communications, and review articles from leading research groups. I would like to invite you to submit your work to a Special Issue on "Surface Modification by Plasma-Based Processes".

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