

Special Issue

Advances of Nanoparticles and Thin Films

Message from the Guest Editors

Nanoparticles and thin films are currently among the most active research fields in materials sciences for technological applications. It is our great pleasure to invite you to submit a manuscript to this Special Issue. Full papers, communications, and reviews contributing to the synthesis, characterization, and/or applications of thin films and nanoparticles are all welcome. Potential topics include but are not limited to the following:

- Metals, metal oxides, semiconductors, dielectrics, carbon and polymeric nanoparticles, and thin films;
- Properties of organic and/or inorganic nanomaterials;
- Synthesis including wet (solution processing), dry (chemical and physical vapor depositions), and/or lithography methods;
- Development of new processing procedures in order to produce high-quality systems;
- Characterization by conventional and/or unconventional methods;
- Correlation of electronic properties with synthesis conditions;
- Applications and devices.

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Now more than ever, research is asked to deliver knowledge and technologies to solve the major challenges faced by our society. The development of new materials and devices for (without the ambition to be exhaustive) energy, health and food technology, together with the need for establishing processes that reduce the impact on critical resources and the environment, is indeed in the spotlight of most contemporary research. Surface science and engineering play a key role in this regard, with an incredible potential in delivering new and deep scientific understanding and technical solutions essential to solve most of the major societal challenges.

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