## **Special Issue**

## Thermal Spray Coatings

## Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue aims to present the latest findings and to promote further research in the areas of thermal coatings, including experimental characterization and theoretical calculations. Full papers, review articles, and communications are all welcome. In particular, the topic of interest includes but is not limited to:

- Surface and interface engineering to improve the materials' performance;
- Novel coatings for improving the performance of metals (i.e., wear, hardness, and corrosion resistance);
- Advanced coating methods for metallic alloys;
- Coatings with high biocompatibility for medical applications;
- Performance of coatings in various high-temperature environments;
- Influence of substrate and surface engineering techniques on the mechanical and microstructural properties of components;
- The relationship between structure, properties, and materials' applications;
- Surface interface characterization.

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