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Advances in Preparation, Characterization and Application of Hydroxyapatite-Based Materials

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This Special Issue aims to present recent advances in the synthesis, doping, surface modification, and composite development of HAp-based materials. We welcome contributions that deepen our understanding of structure–property relationships through advanced characterization techniques, as well as studies that explore innovative applications in biomedical, dental, environmental, and industrial contexts. Topics of interest include but are not limited to:

- Novel synthetic routes and green chemistry approaches to hydroxyapatite;
- Functionalization and doping with metallic and nonmetallic ions;
- Nanostructured and hierarchical HAp materials;
- Advanced characterization (FTIR, XRD, TEM, etc.) and in vitro/in vivo evaluation;
- Applications in bone regeneration, dental restoration and implants, antimicrobial coatings, biosensors, water treatment, and cultural heritage.

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