# **Special Issue**

## Advances in Phononic Crystals and Elastic Metamaterials

## Message from the Guest Editor

The present Special Issue on "Advances in Phononic Crystals and Elastic Metamaterials" will summarize the most recent progress in this field, including but not limited to phononic crystals, elastic metamaterials, phononic topological insulators, optomechanics and coupled phenomena, nanophononics, etc., as well as their cutting-edge applications. We expect that this Special Issue will provide new guidance for the design of periodic elastic structures for future technical innovation and applications. **Keywords** 

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- elastic metamaterials
- optomechanics
- elastic topological insulators
- phonon heat conduction
- phoXonic structure
- negative refraction
- cloaking

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