# **Special Issue**

# Surfaces and Interfaces of Clay Minerals

# Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue provides a forum for describing and discussing new, original, and high-quality research that contributes to a better understanding of surfaces and interfaces of clay minerals. We call for papers presenting the results of research on fundamental and applied aspects of this area, including but not limited to the following:

- Physical, chemical, and biological phenomena and processes occurring at surfaces and interfaces of clay minerals;
- Surface engineering, modification, and functionalization of clay minerals;
- Characterization of clay minerals relevant to the understanding of the surface and interface properties;
- Theoretical calculations/modeling on surfaces and interfaces of clay minerals;
- Interactions at surfaces of clay minerals relevant to various biomedical, environmental, and engineering applications.

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