# **Special Issue**

# Efficiency and Performance Optimization of State-of-the-Art "Multi-Phase, -Level, -Cell, -Port, -Motor" Electrical Drives and Renewable Energy Systems

# Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue will consolidate works on the technological advances and performance optimization methods in the areas of power electronics, electrical machines, and multi-motor drives, with "energy efficiency" as the main common theme and keyword objective. Even though the latter term is versatile and can cover a large variety of devices, the emphasis here will be on electrical drives and power converters deployed for energy generation and/or consumption. Therefore, we kindly invite prospective authors to contribute to this Special Issue. Papers concerned with, but not limited in scope to, the following topics would be welcome:

- Innovations in energy generation including renewable energy systems;
- Efficiency and/or other performance improvements of industrial multi-motor drives;
- Advances in electro-mechanical energy conversion devices;
- Innovative materials in electrical drives and power semiconductors;
- Investigation of hybrid power electronics converters and hybrid switches;
- Power electronics technologies for electrical propulsion and innovative bi-directional battery charging systems with an emphasis on the transportation electrification.

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