

Special Issue

Natural Fiber Competitiveness and Sustainability

Message from the Guest Editor

This Special Issue of *Fibers* intends to cover recent research relevant to natural fiber competitiveness and sustainability. It solicits contributions from researchers interested in natural fiber utilization and innovation, in inter-fiber competition, as well as in opportunities and challenges relevant to natural fiber sustainability.

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- sustainability
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- biocomposites
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Fibers is intended as an integrative platform, bringing together specialists with expertise concerning a large range of biological, synthetic, metallic and mineral fibers. The intent is to bring together scientists who would otherwise be unlikely to encounter each other's findings. By facilitating communication across specialties, the journal will advance understanding of the underlying commonality of many physical and chemical aspects of fibers.

We welcome submission of manuscripts from a diverse range of disciplines relating to many types of fibers utilizing a variety of research approaches.

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