

## Special Issue

# Fractal Mechanics of Engineering Materials, 2nd Edition

### Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue aims to present the state-of-the-art research methodologies and outcomes in **fractal approaches for engineering materials**. First volume published 8 papers. We continue inviting authors to submit quality review papers, research articles, and technical notes addressing the fractal aspects of engineering materials and related issues. Research topics are described by, but not limited to, the following keywords:

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- Fracture mechanics: LEFM, EPFM
- Fatigue and fatigue crack growth
- Damage mechanics
- Experimental mechanics: DIC, SEM, optical microscopy
- Fractal analysis: theoretical development, image analysis, algorithms
- Fractal dimension
- Fractional fractal dimension
- Computational method: FEA, BEM, numerical prediction

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