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# Advances, Innovations, and Emerging Trends in Hand and Finger Exoskeletons

## Message from the Guest Editors

Due to the biomechanical complexity of the hand, designing effective exoskeletons presents challenges in areas such as adaptive control, haptic feedback, ergonomic mechanical design, user intent detection, and personalized therapy. Overcoming these challenges is essential to improving the functionality, usability, and practical applications of these devices in medical, industrial, and everyday contexts. This Special Issue seeks to publish original research and review articles addressing key advancements in hand and finger exoskeletons including, but not limited to, the following:

- Hand exoskeletons
- Finger exoskeletons
- Modular, rigid, and soft mechanism design
- Rehabilitation robotics
- Assistive technologies
- Virtual environment interaction
- Haptic feedback
- Adaptive control
- Biomechanics and ergonomics
- User intent detection

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