

Special Issue

Machining Challenges towards Pico-Precision

Message from the Guest Editors

In this Special Issue, we seek papers on all kinds of machining processes where extreme levels of precision are required. Research works can include but are not limited to:

- Theoretical foundations and framework for working towards pico-precision;
- Modeling and analysis: high precision and high accuracy;
- Fundamental mechanisms in the machining of hard and brittle materials;
- High-speed machining of hard and brittle materials;
- Ultrasonic machining of hard and brittle materials;
- Machining for biomedical implants, tissue engineering, and human/animal bone;
- Hybrid processes (physical–chemical–optical–nano-processes) and beyond;
- Advanced modeling and simulations for pico-precision;
- Design of future generation of ultraprecision machines and machining systems;
- Novel and innovative ultraprecision machining process development;
- Research and industrial case studies.

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