

Special Issue

Transformative Advances in Additive Manufacturing for Demanding Applications

Message from the Guest Editor

Additive manufacturing (AM) was considered a rapid prototyping tool when the first machines were developed in the 1980s. Layer-by-layer creation of the part and usability of many materials allow the creation of extremely complex structures with customized properties. Additive manufacturing has become an alternative production method for space applications, small scale production, creation of assembled products, sensing structures and many applications. The objective of this Special Issue is to collect recent studies that has been transforming additive manufacturing into a powerful production tool of extraordinary structures. Topics include but are not limited to the following research themes: additive manufacturing multi-material additive manufacturing 3D printing 4D printing 5D printing Large scale 3D printing Additive manufacturing in space similar transformative approaches

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