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Message from the Guest Editor

Since industrial development began, materials processing is central to the field of materials science and engineering, and is a vital step in manufacturing. Materials processing is an important process for realizing the structural features (e.g., crystal structure, microstructure, size, and shape) required for the product to perform well in the intended application by properly utilizing and designing the composition of a given material. It involves a complex series of chemical, thermal, and physical processes that prepare a starting material, create a shape, retain that shape, and refine the structure and shape. Recently, trends in the high-tech industry are pushing toward miniaturization, the creation of products with complex shapes, and multifunctional materials. The main aim of the Special Issue is to discuss the topics of processing, manufacturing, structure/property relationship and applications in advanced materials. All of the single phase and alloy, and composite materials in metals, ceramics, and polymers are of interest. It is our pleasure to invite you to submit a manuscript for this Special Issue.

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