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Sustainable Eco-Friendly Advanced Geopolymers: Leveraging Recycled, Bio-Based, and Industrial Waste Constituents

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue aims to bring together recent advances in the design, characterization, processing, and application of sustainable composite materials for use in construction and infrastructure. Particular attention is given to composites made from recycled, bio-based, or waste-derived industrial constituents, as well as innovations in material technologies that contribute to carbon footprint reduction, a circular economy, and long-term durability. We welcome original research articles on the following topics:

- Bio-based and natural fiber-reinforced composites for structural and non-structural applications;
- Geopolymer and alkali-activated composite systems as green alternatives to traditional concrete;
- Waste-derived reinforcements and fillers in construction composites;
- Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) and sustainability metrics of composite materials;
- Recycling strategies and end-of-life management for composite construction products;
- Innovative manufacturing techniques for low-emission composite production;
- Long-term performance, durability, and environmental resistance of sustainable composites;
- Case studies of sustainable composite implementation in real-world infrastructure projects.

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