# **Special Issue**

# Dynamic Behaviour and Crashworthiness of Composite Materials

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DyCOMP 2024 is uniquely aligned with the third edition of the European Conference on Crashworthiness of Composite Structures (ECCCS3), creating a synergistic environment in which to address critical challenges related to crashworthiness and dynamic performance. ECCCS, established under the ICONIC project, has garnered international recognition for fostering advancements in composite transportation systems. We welcome contributions that explore innovative experimental methods, numerical modeling techniques, material characterization, and design strategies for composites in dynamic applications. Selected papers from DyCOMP and ECCCS3 will highlight groundbreaking research in crashworthiness, impact resistance, vibration response, fatigue behavior, and the structural optimization of composite systems. This Special Issue aims to provide a comprehensive overview of innovations in dynamic composites, fostering collaboration among researchers and practitioners in order to drive future innovation in this evolving field.

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