

Special Issue

Environmentally Friendly Materials in Construction

Message from the Guest Editors

One of the important ways to improve the sustainability of buildings is to produce environmentally friendly materials and to design new eco-friendly building constructions. New eco-friendly designs of buildings based on the construction of environmentally friendly materials can improve human health, safety, comfort, and productivity in the current conditions of climate change. Environmentally friendly materials must become part of a sustainable world building design because their production and use could provide minimization of the negative environmental impacts. Life cycle analysis (LCA) offers a useful and widely accepted methodology for assessment of ecofriendly sustainability and environmental performance of buildings. We invite you to submit high-quality research or review papers to this Special Issue, with an emphasis on new environmentally friendly building materials (concrete, mortars, plasters, bricks, insulating, and hybrid materials) and technologies. Papers will be accepted for this Special Issue after going through a rigorous peer-review procedure.

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