

Special Issue

Advanced Technology for Materials Synthesis and Processing

Message from the Guest Editor

This Special Issue of *Materials* is focused on recent developments in the area of Additive Manufacturing (AM) processing methods, materials and related implementation. AM production technologies have developed significantly in recent years. We have seen the development and implementation of new metals, polymers and ceramics; multi-material printing; shape memory alloys; nano and multi-scale material design; composites; and metamaterials. Production technologies development includes for metals: SLM, DED, and Ink jetting; for polymers: STL, SLS and Ink jetting; and for ceramic: STL, FDM composite, and Ink jetting. The sustainability of AM has been noted as an advantage of this production method compared to alternative conventional and assembly technologies, yet this remains an under examined area and while correct in the case of some part designs, it is not correct for all part designs. While papers are encouraged in the above mentioned areas, papers are invited more broadly from this rapidly changing area of AM technology.

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