

Special Issue

Advances in Laser Technologies and Applications

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We have the pleasure to invite you to submit a manuscript to the forthcoming Special Issue, “Advances in Laser Technologies and Applications”, for the journal *Materials*. Since the invention of the laser, a broad variety of laser systems with different properties have been developed and have allowed the processing of almost any material. Laser has been established as the key tool for many material processing applications and is many times the only real solution available. This Special Issue covers the whole spectrum of laser materials processing, ranging from novel trends in well-established industrial processing techniques (like laser welding or laser micro processing) to fundamental research in novel applications (like laser tissue engineering or surface functionalization). This Special Issue will cover applications with new laser systems, new beam delivering systems and new methods for the monitoring and adaptive control of laser processes. In addition, fundamental research concerning the interaction between laser radiation and matter, including simulations and the modeling of these processes will also be topics of specific interest.

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