# Special Issue

# Advanced Flexible Forming Technologies

## Message from the Guest Editors

Dear colleagues, This Special Issue aims to address the latest research related to advanced flexible forming technologies using high pressure/high temperature based on lightweight materials including titanium alloys, aluminum alloys, superalloys, copper alloys, composite materials and multi-materials structure composites, as well as plastic materials. Finally, the forming technologies are listed as follows:

- Hot isostatic pressing, hot pressing, powder metallurgy and other advanced high pressure/high temperature forming technologies;
- Hydro-forming and other fluid media-forming technologies;
- Diffusion bonding and other advanced joining technologies;
- Forming technologies of composite materials and multi-materials structure composites;
- Other advanced flexible forming technologies like incremental forming, spinning, rubber bladder forming, creep age forming, shot peening, extremely low temperature forming, high-speed forming including electric magnetic forming, electric hydro forming and explosive forming;
- Some other innovative forming technologies.

High-quality research articles are encouraged and welcome to be submitted to this Special Issue.

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