# **Special Issue**

# Feature Papers in Mineral Exploration Methods and Applications 2022

## Message from the Guest Editor

This Special Issue, "Feature Papers in Mineral Exploration Methods and Applications 2022," will focus on mineral exploration methods and their applications in studying mineral deposits. The Special Issue will present invited original research and review papers from prominent researchers in the field covering the latest advances in mineral resources, including geological, geophysical, geochemical methods, and satellite imagery. In addition, contributions on historical, technical, and practical aspects of exploration for mineral deposits will be highlighted. Finally, papers on novel methods of mineral resource prospecting and their application, including mathematical aspects of data processing and interpretation and examples of successful case studies, will be featured in this Special Issue as well.

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