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Synthesis and Applications of Magnetic Ionic Liquids

Message from the Guest Editors

Magnetic ionic liquids (MILs) are a class of ionic liquids that have paramagnetic properties due to the presence of a transition metal or lanthanide in the cationic or anionic structure. This offers the advantage of being responsive to an external magnetic field, providing a large potential for different technological applications, such as catalysis, transport, and separation of materials and gases. The synthesis of MILs is rapidly growing, and their applications are becoming broader. With this Special Issue, we aim to present the latest developments not only around their applications but also in order to offer an overview of new MILs and novel methodologies for their synthesis. Topics of interest in this Special Issue include but are not limited to:

- Synthesis and characterization of MILs:
- MILs in separation techniques;
- MILs in electrochemistry;
- MILs for analytical sample preparation;
- MILs in material sciences;
- MILs in drug delivery.

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