

Special Issue

Nanostructured Thin Films: Properties, Fabrication and Application

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue's potential topics include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Advanced deposition techniques for nanostructured thin films, including atomic layer deposition, chemical vapor deposition, and physical vapor deposition;
- Optical and electronic properties of nanostructured thin films for photonic and optoelectronic devices;
- Applications of nanostructured thin films in energy systems, including photovoltaics, batteries, and supercapacitors;
- Integration of nanostructured thin films in wearable and flexible electronics;
- Development of nanostructured thin films for sensor applications in healthcare and environmental monitoring;
- Fabrication of multifunctional nanostructured coatings for corrosion resistance and mechanical reinforcement;
- Nanostructured thin films for enhanced catalysis and chemical reactions;
- Biocompatible and antimicrobial thin films for medical implants and devices;
- Theoretical modeling and simulation of nanostructured thin film growth and properties;
- Scalability and sustainability challenges in the industrial production of nanostructured thin films.

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