Special Issue

Nanotechnology and Additive Manufacturing for Hard Tissue Regeneration

Message from the Guest Editor

The role of nanotechnology and additive manufacturing in hard-tissue regeneration has significantly increased. Bone formation, bone bonding, cell viability, cell differentiation, mineralization, inflammation, and other key processes in hard-tissue regeneration are highly dependent on nano-structured surfaces and/or scaffolds. In addition, nanotopology and surface chemistry affect antibacterial activity. A new generation of smart biomaterials improving hard-tissue regeneration while preventing infection is highly desired. For this Special Issue, we are especially interested in surface modifications of metals, ceramics, and polymers, synthesis of scaffolds, characterization of hard-tissue regeneration processes, and possible applications based on nanotechnology. Manuscripts reporting nanotechnologies applicable to custom-made biomaterials with tailored outer and/or inner structures are also welcome.

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