

## Special Issue

# Theoretical and Experimental Investigations on Graphitic Carbon Nitrides

### Message from the Guest Editors

2D and other carbon nitrides are the subject of intense research, with diverse applications ranging from photonics, catalysts, and biosensors, to gas storage, separation, and energy technologies. The carbon nitride family of materials is broad and diverse, including polymeric to nanocrystalline polyheptazine chains and layers, nitrogen doped graphene, 3D architectures, and crystalline 2D materials. These N-rich materials show a wide range of structure-dependent properties and functionality that can be tuned through doping and structural control, useful for incorporation into devices for a wide range of applications based on readily available chemical precursors. Understanding the structure-properties-function of these complex systems involves significant experimental and computational challenges. This Special Issue of *Nanomaterials* is a celebration of the field, bringing together theoretical and experimental works at the frontier of carbon nitride research. We will cover the synthesis, processing, and assembly of carbon nitrides, along with building an understanding of their exceptional properties.

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