Special Issue

Colloidal Semiconductor Nanostructures for Light-Harvesting and Beyond

Message from the Guest Editor

The scope of this Special Issue is to cover the recent progress and advances in the research on designing colloidal semiconductor nanostructures and their application for light harvesting, e.g., in assemblies for light-driven catalysis or in photovoltaic devices. Reports on synthesis, characterization, device integration, and application will be collected in this issue. Further, insight from spectroscopic investigations on charge-carrier dynamics and computational studies are highly welcome. Potential topics include but are not limited to:

- Synthesis of colloidal nanostructures and functionalization with cocatalysts;
- Generation of nanoparticle/polymer hybrid materials;
- Self-assembly and deposition of layered structures;
- Theoretical studies and modeling;
- Spectroscopic characterization;
- Electrochemical characterization;
- Charge-carrier dynamics;
- Multiple exciton generation;
- Plasmonic effects:
- Device integration.

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