Special Issue

Optical Beam Forming: Lidar, Radar, Bio Scanner, 5G and More

Message from the Guest Editor

In this Special Issue, we are targeting technologies and specific applications using the optical beam forming concept, where integrated photonics enable addressing applications that require low-cost, scalable, reliable, and compact solutions. The scope of this issue includes but is not limited to Lidar, microwave photonics, 5G applications, satellite optical communication, scanning photonic building blocks, OBF for advanced radar, and OBF for bio- and life science applications (skin scanner, OCT, dental scanner).

Guest Editor

Dr. Amin Abbasi Imec, Kapeldreef 75, 3001 Leuven, Belgium

Deadline for manuscript submissions

closed (1 May 2022)



Photonics

an Open Access Journal by MDPI

Impact Factor 1.9 CiteScore 3.5



mdpi.com/si/83481

Photonics
Editorial Office
MDPI, Grosspeteranlage 5
4052 Basel, Switzerland
Tel: +41 61 683 77 34
photonics@mdpi.com

mdpi.com/journal/photonics





Photonics

an Open Access Journal by MDPI

Impact Factor 1.9 CiteScore 3.5



About the Journal

Message from the Editor-in-Chief

You are invited to contribute a research article or a comprehensive review for consideration and publication in *Photonics* (ISSN 2304-6732). *Photonics* is an online open access journal covering both the fundamental and applications of optics and photonics. *Photonics* strives to provide an avenue to allow authors to disseminate their scientific findings—both theoretical/ simulations and experimental works—in highly accessible peerreviewed journal publications. The manuscript in *Photonics* will be handled with quick turnaround production processing time. We welcome authors to submit their manuscripts for publications in *Photonics*. Our goal in *Photonics* is to enable fast dissemination of high impact works to the scientific community.

Editor-in-Chief

Prof. Dr. Nelson Tansu

School of Electrical and Electronic Engineering (EEE), The University of Adelaide, Adelaide, SA 5005, Australia

Author Benefits

High Visibility:

indexed within Scopus, SCIE (Web of Science), Inspec, Ei Compendex, CAPlus / SciFinder, and other databases.

Journal Rank:

CiteScore - Q2 (Instrumentation)

Rapid Publication:

manuscripts are peer-reviewed and a first decision is provided to authors approximately 14.8 days after submission; acceptance to publication is undertaken in 1.9 days (median values for papers published in this journal in the first half of 2025).

