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Functional Polymer Composites for Advanced Applications

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Recently, functional and composite polymeric materials for biomedical, electronical, environmental, energetic and engineering application have drawn a lot of attention. As a result, many novel functional polymeric materials have been prepared. However, the design of functional polymers or the novel composite structure for advanced application still need to be studied further. Thus, we encourage the submission of manuscripts that provide novel insights and papers that report on significant advances in the field. Topics include, but are not limited to, the following: Functional polymeric materials for engineering applications; Composite polymeric materials for engineering applications; The design of novel functional polymers for advanced applications; Biopolymer-based materials for engineering applications; New concepts in the application of polymers.

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