

Special Issue

Polymer Films and Coatings: Preparation, Characterization, and Applications

Message from the Guest Editors

Polymeric materials are becoming more adaptable and effective as science and technology advance. In recent years, polymer films and coatings have been extensively applied in various fields owing to their unique characteristics. Polymer films and coatings can be obtained via various methods (such as solution casting, extrusion and others), as per the target application. Fabricated coatings and films are characterized using a number of techniques with potential applications. Therefore, this Special Issue (SI) aims to collect original research, review and short communication articles relevant to this field. Manuscripts can be submitted as per the guidelines of the *Polymers* journal. **Keywords:** polymer films; polymer coatings; polymer-based thin films; polymer blends; functionalization; polymer-based edible films and coatings; functional properties coating process; biomedical application **Call for Paper:** 20% or even more **support discount** for submission before **20 June 2024** after approval by editorial office.

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