

Special Issue

Advances in 3D Printing of Polymer Composites

Message from the Guest Editor

Compared with traditional manufacturing processes, 3D printing technology can directly manufacture any components with a complex internal and external structure, which greatly shortens the research and development cycle of new products and makes the process of product manufacturing easier. Currently, the applications of 3D printing technology as an advanced manufacturing technology cover almost all walks of life, including the 3D printing of polymer materials, which is this technology is used the most. To help to improve the performance of matrix materials so as to meet the requirements of products, the modification and printing process of polymer matrix materials have become a hot topic.

This Special Issue focuses on the modification of polymers and their printing process in different fields. Relevant topics include but are not limited to theoretical and experimental investigation, mechanical properties, electrical and magnetic properties, biological properties, thermal performance, structural characteristics, printing processes, and their applications. We also welcome contributions on the modeling and simulation of polymers used in 3D printing.

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