

Special Issue

Advances in Natural Cellulose

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue intends to provide a platform for discussion about the latest trends and advances in the field of the production and modification of cellulosic materials. Researchers from academia and industry are invited to submit articles and reviews covering (but not limited to) topics related to research on natural cellulose fibers, the production and modification of natural cellulose, composites of natural cellulose and other polymers (natural and synthetic), and the characterization of cellulose and cellulose-based composites (physical, chemical, mechanical, structural properties):

- Innovations in the production of cellulose from natural sources (especially from non-traditional plant materials);
- The influence of the production method on the properties of cellulose;
- The influence of cellulose structure on the properties of cellulose materials;
- Physical and chemical methods of controlling the properties of cellulose;
- The amorphization and recrystallization of cellulose;
- Polymorphic modifications of cellulose;
- Composites of cellulose with other polymers (natural and synthetic);
- The comparison of the properties of cellulose with other natural polysaccharides.

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