# Special Issue

# Advances in Polymers and Polymer Composites for Packaging Applications

Message from the Guest Editor

Polymer-based food packaging is essential for the supply chain, as it ensures the containment and protection of the products packaged in it. Therefore, I would like to invite you to submit your original research to this Special Issue of Polymers entitled "Advances in Polymers and Polymer Composites for Packaging Applications". The scope of this Special Issue includes all aspects of research related to food packaging and safety, with a focus on materials based on synthetic polymers or biomaterials. This Special Issue includes theoretical and application-oriented articles, experimental and numerical studies, and reviews. Keywords

- polymer
- crosslinking
- food packaging
- polymeric packaging, films, and coatings
- food contact materials
- bio-based packaging
- active packaging
- intelligent packaging
- food contaminants
- mechanical properties
- barrier properties
- food stability

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I would like to invite you to contribute to the success of the journal by sending us your high quality research papers. We would be pleased to welcome you as one of our authors.

### Editor-in-Chief

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