# **Special Issue**

## Flame Retardant Polymeric Materials: Synthesis and Application

## Message from the Guest Editors

Polymers have become an important and ubiguitous part of our lives. However, most polymers, irrespective of their source, are inherently flammable; thus, they pose a threat to life and property. To reduce the thermally hazardous nature of polymeric materials, flame-retardant polymeric materials have undergone rapid development in recent decades. In order to meet different application scenarios, attempts to manufacture sustainable and efficient flame-retardant polymers and additives with multiple functions have been made. This Special Issue aims to gather scientific papers focusing on recent advances in the synthesis and application of flame-retardant polymeric materials. Contributions on all themes are invited, including but not limited to novel flame retardants, flame-retardant polymers, multifunctional flame-retardant polymers, and the investigation of flame-retardant mechanisms. Original research articles, review articles, short communications, and perspectives presenting and discussing the most recent trends in these areas are welcomed.

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