Special Issue

Advanced Polymers for Cardiovascular Applications

Message from the Guest Editor

This Special Issue, "Advanced Polymers for Cardiovascular Applications", aims to highlight the latest developments and innovations in the use of polymers within the field of cardiovascular engineering. Polymers have become indispensable in the design and fabrication of devices and materials intended to treat and manage cardiovascular diseases. This Special Issue will explore cutting-edge research and advancements in polymer science, focusing on their application in developing vascular grafts, stents, heart valves, and drug delivery systems. We invite contributions that address the synthesis, characterization, and performance evaluation of novel polymers tailored for cardiovascular applications. Submissions that discuss biodegradable and biocompatible materials, surface modifications to enhance functionality, and polymers' role in tissue engineering and regenerative medicine are particularly welcome. By bringing together insights from material science, biomedical engineering, and clinical perspectives, this Special Issue aims to foster interdisciplinary collaboration and pave the way for future innovations in cardiovascular treatments.

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