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Advances in Biopolymers and Biobased Polymers: Engineering Innovations and Applications

Message from the Guest Editors

Biopolymers have attracted significant interest in engineering fields due to their renewability, biodegradability, and unique properties for specific applications. Biopolymers are transforming engineering disciplines by offering sustainable and versatile alternatives to traditional materials. With such tailorability and tunable properties, biopolymers fit into a wide scope of applications, including structural, environmental, and energy systems. By addressing challenges such as scalability, performance optimization, and long-term durability, biopolymers hold the potential to significantly affect the field of engineering and incorporate new sustainable methods into engineering practices. This Special Issue will focus on the development, characterization, and application of biopolymers in sophisticated engineering contexts. We intend to provide a platform for delivering both original research and thorough review works that highlight problems and perspectives related to the adoption of biopolymers for engineering applications.

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