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Natural Resin/Hybrid Composites and Natural Reinforcements

Message from the Guest Editors

Hybrid and biocomposites are mainly made from constituents that are found in abundance in nature. Thus, they are partially or completely recyclable, and their cost is much lower than that of composites made only of synthetic components. The multitude of combinations between different types of matrices and different types of reinforcements implies a variety of mechanical, thermal, chemical, and structural properties of these composites. The possibility to control the matrix/reinforcement combination that leads to obtaining desired properties makes them suitable to be used for the manufacture of components used in the construction of vehicles, aircraft, ships; manufacture of sports equipment and medical orthoses; furniture element construction; civil, industrial, and agricultural constructions; etc. This Special Issue is dedicated to the latest research on these topics, covering all aspects related to the manufacture, properties, and fields of use of hybrid and biocomposites.

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