Special Issue

Advanced Polymeric Materials for Pharmaceutical Applications

Message from the Guest Editors

Polymers, whether synthetic or of natural origin, have played an important role in the development and advancement of pharmaceutical and biomedical applications. In this context, efforts are constantly being made to develop new polymeric materials having exceptional properties for use in medical applications (low toxicity, good biocompatibility, etc.). Within this framework, the current Special Issue (SI) aims to explore the various aspects related to the development and pharmaceutical/biomedical applications of modern advanced polymeric materials. The authors will cover all relevant sections including immediate and controlled drug release, implants, patches, medical devices, dental composites, diagnostics, etc. The scope of this SI is to provide an expert panel with a primary emphasis on addressing the needs and interests of both academic and industrial readers.

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