Special Issue

Lignocellulosic Composites: Processing and Applications

Message from the Guest Editor

This Special Issue is designed to update the state-ofthe-art technologies of lignocellulosic composite products. This Special Issue will consist of (but is not limit to) the following aspects:

- Fabrication of the lignocellulosic materials—the technologies for wood and other bio-based composites' processing for both structural and nonstructural products;
- Pre- and post-treatment of the composites for specialty applications—this includes surface the treatment of wood elements and lignocellulosic fibers to enhance the interfacial bonding of fibers and the resin matrices, and to functionalize the resulting composites (i.e., decay resistance, fire resistance, durability, or other functions);
- Wood adhesives and resins—this includes the traditional wood adhesives, such as UF, PF, PUF, Isocyanate, and other resin matrices. The focus will be on the technological development of biodegradable adhesives and resins, such as soy-based resin, glycosyl resin, and other plant-based adhesives;
- Applications of the composites in buildings, furniture, industrial, transportation, automobile and aerospace, military, and other areas.

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