# **Special Issue**

# **Surface Chemistry of Polymers**

# Message from the Guest Editor

It is my pleasure to invite you to submit a manuscript for this Special Issue on Surface Chemistry of Polymers. Suitable topics include the surface chemistry involved upon grafting of different molecules, in particular, biomolecules for improved biological response, tailoring surface chemistry by functionalization with new functional groups, methods for increasing the surface area such as nanostructuring, and basic phenomena of surface chemistry of polymers. Papers on surface chemistry of polymers or polymer blends containing nanocarbon are also welcome. The papers should include results on monitoring the surface reactions and finish by at least one method for surface characterization. Critical reviews are also welcomethough, in the case of review papers, it is desirable to draw correlations between treatment parameters used by different authors and resultant surface finish.

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I would like to invite you to contribute to the success of the journal by sending us your high quality research papers. We would be pleased to welcome you as one of our authors.

#### Editor-in-Chief

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