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# Surface Engineering and Phase Transformations in Metals and Alloys

### Message from the Guest Editors

Development of metallic materials with enhanced mechanical and functional properties is a key issue to fulfill the performance requirements of modern industry. These advancements can be achieved by engineering the surfaces and microstructures of metals and alloys. The knowledge of several aspects of phase transformations and surface modifications in metallic materials, which are strongly influenced by alloys' compositions, coating techniques, and processing routes, plays a major role in improving the performance and increasing the lifespan of metallic components.

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