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# Innovative Advanced Materials for Energy Storage and Beyond: Synthesis, Characterization and Applications

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# **Message from the Guest Editor**

Dear Colleagues,

Recently, advanced materials have attracted considerable interest owing to their possible applications in different fields such as in supercapacitors, capacitors, batteries and other energy storage systems. Many of the 21st century's advancing technologies, e.g., electric vehicles (and hybrids), portable electronic devices, and renewable energy systems, drive the demand for high-performance energy storage systems. In fact, the increasing demand for processable, lightweight, flexible energy storage materials has motivated researchers from both academia and industry to develop and manufacture new materials that offer excellent properties depending on the targeted applications.

This Special Issue is aimed at presenting the current stateof-the-art in new advanced materials to address the various challenging issues researchers have been confronted with in this field for a number of applications, especially for energy storage.

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