



Recent Advances in Synthetic Dye and Coloration

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The first discovery of synthetic dye, called Mauveine, was achieved by W. H. Perkin in 1856. In recent decades, research has been focused on advanced dyes based on highly conjugated aromatic molecules featuring new functions, such as fluorescence emission, energy generation materials, and bio-labeling materials; these have been applied on various industrial segments.

A Special Issue entitled “Advances in Synthetic Dyes and Coloration” aims to publish recent research results in functional dyes and their coloration technologies. To fulfill this aim, research papers and reviews in these areas of advanced dye chemistry are welcomed for submission. The Special Issue will contain articles on dye syntheses based on mainly organic species and investigations into their functionalities. Dye structural and spectroscopic studies will also be included.

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