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Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

We invite you to submit your work to this Special Issue on “Surface Engineering, Coatings and Tribology”. Through the use of coatings and other surface modifications, surface engineering aims to functionalize and improve the resistance to wear and corrosion of materials used in a wide field of applications, and therefore to increase the useful life of parts. On the other hand, tribology studies of surfaces in contact and relative movement allow us to understand phenomena such as wear, mechanical contact, friction and lubrication. The development of new solutions to increase the energy efficiency of mechanical systems and reduce environmental impact requires the advancement of research in the surface engineering of coatings, corrosion and tribology.

This Special Issue is open to everyone in the field, and includes a selection of works presented at the VIII National Symposium and First Latin American Meeting on Surface Engineering and Tribology.

We look forward to receiving your contributions.





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Message from the Editorial Board

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