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# Advanced Semiconductor Materials and Films: Properties and Applications

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# **Message from the Guest Editors**

Dear Colleagues,

One-dimensional (1D) semiconductor nanostructures, 2D materials, and thin films are of particular interest with respect to their potential applications in highly integrated devices and systems. Especially, on-nanostructure bandgap modulation, thin film heterostructures, artificial optical systems (fabricated via CVD, MOCVD, MBE, and ALD), solution-based process, and sputtering, etc., may provide material platforms for potential applications in photovoltaics, solid-state lighting, as well as highly integrated photonic and optoelectronic devices.

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- 3. Recent advances in thin films and optoelectronic applications;
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