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### **Advances in Caloric Materials**

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## **Message from the Guest Editor**

In the present Special Issue, we invite investigators to submit papers that discuss the crystalline structure, physical properties and practical aspects of solid-state caloric materials, including, but are not limited to, bulk forms, single crystals, thin films and nanomaterials.

The potential topics include, but are not limited to:

- Magnetocaloric materials
- Electrocaloric materials
- Mechanocaloric materials
- Bulk, thin films and nanomaterials
- Growth of caloric materials
- Crystalline structure and physical properties
- Measurement of caloric effects under external excitations
- Prediction of caloric effects in solid state materials
- Interplay phenomena in caloric materials
- Numerical simulation of thermodynamic cycles employing caloric materials
- Experimental tests in functional caloric devices
- Mechanical and chemical issues
- Hysteretic effects in caloric materials
- Electronic structure
- Rotating magnetocaloric effect
- Caloric devices











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# **Message from the Editor-in-Chief**

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