



an Open Access Journal by MDPI

Ceramics and Construction Materials

Guest Editor:

Prof. Mangialardi Teresa

Department of Chemical Engineering Materials Environment, Università degli Studi di Roma La Sapienza, Rome, Italy

Deadline for manuscript submissions: closed (31 May 2021)

Message from the Guest Editor

Dear Colleagues,

Ceramics, along with cement, concrete, and steel are the most important and widely used construction materials. Functional properties and durability of these materials are concerns of great importance for their use in modern buildings and structures. The development of smart materials, such as hydroceramics or self-healing concrete, and of new production technologies, such as molding of bricks and/or concrete by 3D-printing, is laying the groundwork for a major transformation of the construction industry. However, considering the high energy costs involved with the production of ceramics and cement, great attention is being focused on so-called green or ecofriendly processes, e.g., those employing wastes or residues for producing new materials.

This Special Issue invites original research contributions and reviews dealing with the recent advances in development, production, and characterization of ceramics and cement-based materials, including those obtained by eco-friendly processes, for use as construction materials with improved durability.









an Open Access Journal by MDPI

Editor-in-Chief

Prof. Dr. Maryam Tabrizian

 Department of Biomedical Engineering, Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, McGill University, Montreal, QC H3A 2B6, Canada
Faculty of Dentistry and Oral Health Sciences, McGill University, 3640 Rue University, Montreal, QC H3A 0C7, Canada

Message from the Editor-in-Chief

Materials (ISSN 1996-1944) was launched in 2008. The iournal covers twenty-five comprehensive topics: biomaterials, energy materials, advanced composites. advanced materials characterization, porous materials, manufacturing processes and svstems. advanced nanomaterials and nanotechnology, smart materials, thin films and interfaces, catalytic materials, carbon materials, materials chemistry, materials physics, optics and photonics, corrosion, construction and building materials. materials simulation and design, electronic materials, advanced and functional ceramics and glasses, metals and alloys, soft matter, polymeric materials, quantum materials, mechanics of materials, green materials, general. Materials provides a unique opportunity to contribute high quality articles and to take advantage of its large readership.

Author Benefits

Open Access: free for readers, with article processing charges (APC) paid by authors or their institutions.

High Visibility: indexed within Scopus, SCIE (Web of Science), PubMed, PMC, Ei Compendex, CaPlus / SciFinder, Inspec, Astrophysics Data System, and other databases.

Journal Rank: JCR - Q1 (Metallurgy and Metallurgical Engineering) / CiteScore - Q2 (*Condensed Matter Physics*)

Contact Us

Materials Editorial Office MDPI, Grosspeteranlage 5 4052 Basel, Switzerland Tel: +41 61 683 77 34 www.mdpi.com mdpi.com/journal/materials materials@mdpi.com X@Materials_Mdpi