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This Special Issue “Advanced Materials for Optical Applications and Devices” provides an overview of the latest research and development in optical materials and devices.

Optical materials are inorganic, organic, or hybrid materials substances used to manipulate the flow of light for various applications such as pigments, phosphors, thermochromic materials, laser, photovoltaic devices, thermometry, chemical sensing, up-conversion, etc. All of these applications require a full understanding of the interaction between light and matter in order to develop original and relevant properties and increase our research knowledge.

The Special Issue “Advanced Materials for Optical Applications and devices” will be devoted to research on new relevant optical materials: from synthesis, structure, and properties to their potential optical applications. Consequently, original research papers, communications, or review articles in these areas are cordially invited.

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