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# **Materials for Sustainable Beam-Based Additive Manufacturing**

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## **Message from the Guest Editors**

Beam-based technologies represent a large group of additive manufacturing processes whereby a heat source such as a laser or an electron beam is used to consolidate materials, in powder or wire form, to generate 3D objects. Research efforts towards the design of new metallic alloys for AM and on the optimization of post-processing treatments are continuously growing.

The aim of this Special Issue is to highlight recent innovations introduced in the fields of materials for beambased AM, covering both the understanding of process-related effects on material properties and the development of novel alloys with improved properties and processability.











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