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# **Glass-Ceramic Functional Materials: Synthesis and Applications**

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In this Special Issue, we will provide the state-of-the-art technological advances and the latest and novel research in the synthesis, processing, and characterization used to analyse the chemical and physical properties of these systems, focussing on the innovative applications of nanostructured glass-ceramics. The study of different physical phenomena, and the relationship between structural, mechanical, and the optical, dielectric, and magnetic properties of glass-ceramics are also welcome.









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