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Nanocomposites from Renewable Resources

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Nanocomposites based on renewable and biocompatible filler and matrix materials may find specific applications in technologically important areas such as surgical implants, tissue engineering scaffolds, structural materials, coatings, and energy harvesting. This Special Issue invites manuscripts concerning the design synthesis, characterization, and applications of nanocomposites from renewable resources. Special interest will be research that highlights the advantages in the use of renewable precursors over conventional raw materials based on petrochemicals and probes their applicability in traditional industries without loss of functionality. Original articles describing combinations of various renewable matrices and fillers and the use of novel processing consolidation techniques to achieve optimal material properties will be highly welcome.



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