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Plasma-Assisted Nanofabrication

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Message from the Guest Editor

Plasma processes are powerful techniques for the generation and modification of nanostructures and nanotextured surfaces. Such processes can produce nanostructures in a scalable, environmentally friendly, time-efficient, and cost-effective way. They therefore are promising for various industrial applications, ranging from nanomanufacturing, electronics, and photonics to biomedicine. In recent years, there have been many exciting advancements in plasma-assisted nanofabrication. New approaches have been developed and related applications have been explored in this field. Fundamental research on investigating the underneath mechanisms in the nanofabrication has also been carried out. We invite investigators to submit original research articles, letters, as well as review articles and perspective views, on fundamental studies, fabrication method development, and applications of plasma-assisted nanofabrication. The present Special Issue of *Nanomaterials* focuses on the demonstration of new insights, as well as the potential and challenges in this field. Both experimental and theoretical works are welcome



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