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Advanced Polymeric Membranes for Environmental and Energy-Related Applications

Message from the Guest Editors

In recent years, membrane technology has made significant strides in water desalination and wastewater treatment. It currently plays a crucial role in addressing global environmental and energy challenges due to the rapid growth of industries. However, existing commercial polymeric membranes face difficulties balancing permeability and selectivity, as well as issues with chemical resistance and stability in harsh environments. Researchers are actively working on developing advanced membranes that are resistant to acids and solvents, offer high selectivity for specific ions, and meet the evolving needs of various industries. This Special Issue focuses on advancements in innovative polymeric membranes for environmental and energy uses. It includes novel methods for producing membranes, unique properties of membranes, analyses of novel membranes, and assessments of membrane separation performances. The goal of this Special Issue is to showcase the latest developments in advanced membranes with unique features that go beyond traditional membranes and to broaden the scope of membrane technology applications.

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