



## Signal Processing for Next-Generation Optical Communications and Networks

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Dear Colleagues,

Over 95% of the current estimated digital data traffic is carried over optical communication networks. Transmission impairments have significantly limited the performance and information rates of optical communication networks, and they appear to be more significant for systems with higher symbol rates, larger transmission bandwidths, closer channel spacing, and higher-order modulation formats. Intelligent digital signal processing and advanced optical signal processing techniques have been investigated and developed to mitigate transmission distortions in optical links and transceivers. This Special Issue aims to collect original research and review articles on recent advances, technologies, and novel applications in the field of digital and optical signal processing techniques in optical communication systems and networks.

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- Intelligent digital signal processing;
- Advanced optical signal processing;
- Machine learning and neural networks.





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