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Innovation in Joining and Welding Processes

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Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

Increasing endeavor for the effective and green use of energy has led to the development of new materials and processing technologies. When designing elements that fit the characteristics of these materials, the use of hybrid components consisting of dissimilar materials cannot be disregarded. Joining processes have therefore necessarily had to evolve and innovate for the production of multimaterial joints. Despite these already being utilized in widespread research activities, gaps of information still exist and future trends need to be highlighted to provide indications for the application of these technologies in various industrial fields

The scope of this Special Issue focuses on innovation in the field of joining and welding processes of materials but are not limited to: innovative welding processes; development of adhesive bonding processes, concerning all manufacturing phases; original applications of traditional joining technologies; hybrid joining techniques; forward-looking use of joining technologies on dissimilar joints.

We would like to invite you to submit original research articles and reviews related to any of the topics mentioned above.











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