

D: Digital Transformation

The digital transformation era marks a paradigm shift impacting numerous engineering fields including mobility, communication, security, and health. This topic explores the depths of how digitalization is intricately woven into Material Science and Engineering (MSE), influencing designs and predictive simulations, while paving the way for new opportunities and challenges. Material innovations form the bedrock of progress, with significant implications on economic and scientific landscapes. This symposium invites thinkers, professionals, and innovators to shape the future, leveraging digital empowerment for material advancements. Engage in deep conversations, explore case studies, and foster collaborations that aim to steer the direction of innovation in MSE.

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D01: Navigating the Digital Revolution in Material Science and Engineering - General Symposium Topic D

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D02: Digital Transformation in Everyday Laboratory Life

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D03: Digital Materials: Experiments, simulation workflows, ontologies, and interoperability

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D04: AI in Materials Processing

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D05: Digital Circular Economy - Platforms, Models and Algorithms

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D06: Materials Science in the Era of Digital Transformation and Machine Learning

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