

Call for Papers: Special Issue on Sustainable Polymer Technology

In 2024 *Pure and Applied Chemistry* will launch a series of themed special issues focussed on the [IUPAC top ten emerging technologies in chemistry initiative](#). The first three issues will be launched in September 2024.

Special Issue: Special Issue on Sustainable Polymer Technology

Sustainable polymer technology

Synthetic polymers are everywhere in modern society. This poses a sustainability issue when it comes to their end of life. Increasing efforts are devoted to the recycling or degradation of polymer materials, as recognised by several IUPAC Top Ten Emerging Technologies awards:

- Biological recycling of PET 2023
- Depolymerisation 2023
- Macromonomers for better plastic recycling 2020
- Turning Plastics to Monomers 2019
- Reversible Deactivation of Radical Polymerization 2019

This special issue celebrates all aspects of sustainable polymer chemistry including the above. We welcome contributions in the form of original research communications, full research articles and reviews.

Submission Guidelines

- The deadline for submissions is **30th November 2024**
- All submissions should be made via the [Pure and Applied Chemistry ScholarOne Submission site](#).
- Please adhere to our [Instructions for Authors](#) when preparing your manuscript.
- When submitting your article please ensure you select the correct special issue topic from the drop down menu.
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