



## Special Issue on Molecular Dynamics Method

### Call for Papers

Molecular dynamics (MD) is a computer simulation of physical movements of atoms and molecules in the context of N-body simulation and has become an important technique for the study of fluids and solids. In MD, the atoms and molecules are allowed to interact for a period of time, giving a view of the motion of the atoms. In the most common version, the trajectories of atoms and molecules are determined by numerically solving the Newton's equations of motion for a system of interacting particles, where forces between the particles and potential energy are defined by molecular mechanics force fields. Because molecular systems consist of a vast number of particles, it is impossible to find the properties of such complex systems analytically; MD simulation circumvents this problem by using numerical methods. With the MD method, not only the static quantities but also the dynamic quantities can be obtained.

In this special issue, we intend to invite front-line researchers and authors to submit original researches and review articles on exploring **Molecular Dynamics Method**. Potential topics include, but are not limited to:

- Molecular dynamics method
- Molecular dynamics simulation
- An initio molecular dynamics
- Equilibrium molecular dynamics
- Discontinuous molecular dynamics

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