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# Ships and Offshore Structures: Design and Mechanical Behavior

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#### Message from the Guest Editor

Dear Colleagues,

This Special Issue will focus on, but is not limited to, the new structure forms of marine engineering equipment, the frontier applications of new materials in ships and offshore structures, the design and performance optimization of the structural mechanics of ships and offshore structures, the application of new numerical calculation methods in marine engineering and the performance evaluation of the structural mechanics of ships and offshore structures, performance evaluation of structural mechanics under severe sea states, the mechanism and suppression of deep-sea riser vortex-induced vibrations, real-time monitoring, online evaluation, intelligent warning of marine structural performance, etc.

Many technical difficulties need to be overcome to improve the performance of marine engineering equipment, allowing marine engineering to develop into deep waters and create more social and economic value. It is hoped that the research in this Special Issue will promote a breakthrough in the performance of marine equipment.

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