

## Editorial Preface

# Editorial Preface for the International Journal of Applied Nanotechnology Research (IJANR)

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Nanotechnology is where disciplines merge and where they bifurcate. In this regard, it is my greatest pleasure to launch the inaugural issue of the International Journal of Applied Nanotechnology Research (IJANR), a new journal of nanotechnology and materials science, as well as various applications of materials in industry, medicine and our life.

The journal will cover such areas as materials and nanomaterials characterization, polymeric materials characterization and synthesis, pharmaceutical and medical applications, various engineering applications, toxicological and environmental impact of materials, theory and simulation. Also, the journal publishes high-quality studies on subjects ranging from nanomaterials and polymeric materials discovery, design, and optimization; biological evaluation and new screening methodology, drug metabolism and delivery.

The journal offers thorough and authoritative reviews, focus articles, perspectives on cutting-edge research, and discussions of topics that provide distinctive views about the nanoscience and nanotechnology advancements, as well as various applications.

As its founding Editor-in-Chief, I will endeavor to highlight the multidisciplinary character of this rapidly developing area by providing our readers with a wide range of articles that appeal to the chemist, physicist, biologist, biomedical and materials scientist, computational scientist, engineer, and beyond.

I invite you to submit your late-breaking research to the International Journal of Applied Nanotechnology Research. On behalf of the Editorial Board, I sincerely hope that you enjoy this first issue of IJANR, and that you feel motivated to consider this journal as essential reading for keeping up to date with the current boom in exciting research. In addition, I would like to thank all the contributing authors and the members of the Editorial Board, as well as the Editorial staff for their help in putting together this first historic issue. We look forward to publishing your successful studies in our journal and make contributions to this revolutionary field of science.

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