

Preface

Boron provides many rich chemistries that find use in biomedical, nuclear, catalysis, glass and ceramics, and electronic applications. The recent surge in the development of diverse new materials with improved or novel properties generated via materials chemistry has sparked important new contributions in boron chemistry. This volume of AOC highlights some of this work. We have obtained a diverse set of contributions ranging

from theory, to basic studies, to applied materials development. Further issues on related subjects are in the planning stages, thus contributions in the field of boron materials chemistry and related areas are encouraged.

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