

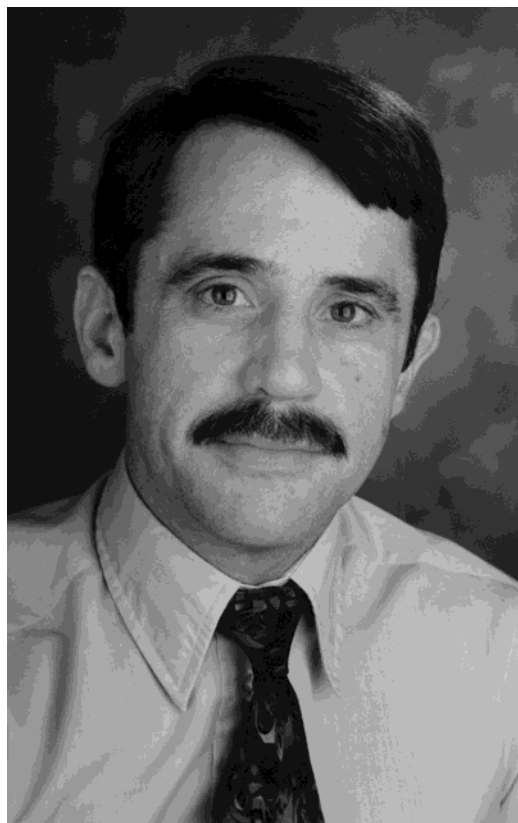
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Dr. Thomas P. Russell



On behalf of the Editorial team at *Macromolecules*, I am pleased to announce that Dr. Thomas P. Russell has joined us as an Associate Editor, effective July 2001. Tom is currently Professor of Polymer Science and Engineering at the University of Massachusetts, Amherst (UMass), where he also directs the NSF Materials Research Science and Engineering Center. Tom is recognized internationally for his pioneering studies of polymer surfaces and interfaces in general, and especially for his application of neutron reflectivity to block copolymer thin films, and his use of electric fields to pattern polymeric substrates.

Tom received his Ph.D. in 1979 from UMass, working under the guidance of Professor Richard Stein. After a postdoctoral stint at the Universität Mainz, with Professor Erhardt Fischer, he joined the research staff at IBM Almaden. Following a highly successful 16 year career at IBM, he assumed his current position in 1996. Tom has served on the Advisory Boards of many

distinguished journals including *Macromolecules* and on several national committees concerned with neutron scattering and materials science. He is a Fellow of the American Physical Society and a recipient of the American Chemical Society, Polymeric Materials Science and Engineering Division's Arthur K. Doolittle Award. He has been elected to serve as the Vice-President of the Neutron Scattering Society of America and as Chairman of the Polymer Physics Division of the American Physical Society. We look forward to reaping the benefits of his broad knowledge and experience in fundamental macromolecular science.

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