



Editorial



I have had the pleasure of being an editor of the Journal since its inception in 1983. Although the original title was the *Journal of Inclusion Phenomena* the hope was expressed in the inaugural issue editorial that it would become a multidisciplinary journal devoted to all aspects of all types of inclusion phenomena. It is interesting to note that this hope was achieved in the very first volume with 29% of the papers dealing with cyclodextrin complexes, 21% reporting on crystallographic studies of a wide variety of host–guest systems, 15% dealing with crown ether complexes, with the remaining contributions covering systems such as clathrate hydrates, intercalates, and inclusion compounds of cyclotrimeratrylene, Dianinís compound, mordenite, quinol, tetracyanommetallate hosts and Werner complexes.

The current change in the Journal title thus represents a step in its evolution as the premier International Journal reporting original research into all aspects of the study of supramolecular systems. It is important to emphasise that it does not represent any change in the coverage of the Journal and equally important to point out that the term “Inclusion Phenomena” still forms the first part of the title. Taken together with the other changes outlined in John Lamb’s editorial it is obvious that, with your support, exciting times lie ahead!

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