



Editorial note

It gave me special pleasure to edit this issue dedicated to Professor Corriu, since I have for many years much admired his work. That many others hold him in similarly high regard was manifest from the enthusiasm with which the proposal for the issue was received, and from the very high level of acceptance of invitations to contribute. The outcome is a compilation of papers, from a large proportion of the worldwide leaders in the field of organosilicon chemistry, that gives a good indication of the present, very healthy state of the subject; I am hopeful that it will be regarded by Professor Corriu as a worthy tribute to his distinction. All those who have contributed will, along with his many other friends and admirers, wish to join me in expressing our best wishes for the continued success of his researches and for his future personal happiness.

I am most grateful to Professor Joël Moreau for his invaluable help in organizing the issue and for providing the introductory tribute.

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