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## The Editor's Page

With the contribution by William D. Wulff in this issue, we begin a new feature in *Organometallics*, that of mini-reviews. When *Organometallics* was founded in 1982, we had intended to publish the occasional review, but the journal grew rapidly and we were able to fill our budgeted pages with original research contributions. During the annual Editorial Advisory Board meetings, the idea of publishing reviews was revived occasionally. Finally, at one of the recent meetings, the subject of reviews came up again and Professor Wulff, a member of the Editorial Advisory Board at that time, volunteered to write the first mini-review.

It is the purpose of these mini-reviews to bring an account of research in an area of organometallic chemistry of current interest by a chemist active in this field. While such a review may stress the author's contributions to this field, we expect the review to provide a balanced overview, with due attention to and insight into the work of others active in the field in question.

It is hoped that in this series of reviews, all aspects of organometallic chemistry will be covered, but the focus of each individual review of necessity will be narrow. As the name implies, a mini-review will not be overly long—tentatively, a limit of 35 manuscript pages total is envisioned. All mini-reviews will go through our peer review process.

The editors of *Organometallics*, with the advice of the Editorial Advisory Board, will seek to identify topics of current interest for our mini-reviews and will then solicit as authors for these reviews chemists who have been major contributors to the subject in question.

Unsolicited offers to write a mini-review will be considered. Prospective authors should submit the title and a brief synopsis to me. I will accept or decline the offered review on the basis of consultations with the Associate Editors.

Suggestions from our readers of mini-review topics and authors will be appreciated. They may be sent by email to me (seyferth@wccf.mit.edu).

We hope that this new feature will be both interesting and useful to our readers.

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