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Editor's Page

Bioorganometallic chemistry is a new, very interesting, and potentially important subfield of organometallic chemistry, and for this reason I asked two of its pioneers, Gérard Jaouen and Richard H. Fish, to write the minireview which you will find in this issue.

The reader will need an explanation as to what is depicted in our cover figure, and this has been provided by Dr. Fish:

> "A new bioorganometallic molecular recognition process is shown with the *host*, *trans*-[Cp*Rh(η^1(*N3*)-1-methylcytosine)(μ-OH)]$_2$(OTf)$_2$, docking with the *guest*, L-tryptophan. The selective H-bonds are designated between N*H* of the *host*, 1-methylcytosine ligand, and CO*O*- of the *guest*, L-tryptophan, while Rh−μ-*O*H and C═*O* of the *host* H-bond to the NH_3^+ of the *guest*."

We hope that future issues of *Organometallics* will bring papers describing some of the new advances in bioorganometallic chemistry.

The cover figure was kindly provided by Dr. Fish.

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