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## *Editor's Page*

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On behalf of the Associate Editors and myself, I wish all of our readers, authors, and reviewers a happy and productive New Year with success and personal satisfaction in your research endeavors. In 2005, *Organometallics* begins its 24th year. 2004 was a very good year for *Organometallics* in terms of both the quantity and the high quality of the submitted manuscripts, and I trust that this flow of excellent manuscripts on all aspects of organometallic chemistry will continue in 2005.

We value our authors most highly—after all, the high quality and high impact of *Organometallics* is a function of the quality and impact of the manuscripts they submit to us. However, the peer review process is a critical factor in ensuring the high quality of the papers that we publish, and it is to the reviewers to whom I wish to express my most sincere thanks for their invaluable help. The reviewers are volunteers—they receive no pay for their services, so we are doubly grateful to them. Many of our reviewers also are *Organometallics* authors, so I trust that they feel some obligation to help ensure the continued high quality of the journal in which they publish their papers. Other reviewers have not published in *Organometallics*; they have no vested interest in the success of our journal. Nevertheless, in the interests of science, they are willing to help, and to these reviewers we are especially grateful. I have been a journal editor for 41 years, and I have never ceased to marvel at how well the peer review process works. *Organometallics* could not function without its reviewers, and I hope that they realize how vitally important their help is and how very much we appreciate them.

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