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Explorations in Luminescent Molecular Materials

Message from the Guest Editor

Luminescent molecular materials are capable of emitting light in the form of fluorescence or phosphorescence upon an external stimulus such as light or heat. These materials have been applied in various fields, such as sensors, molecular imaging, and optoelectronics, among others. These materials can be inorganic or organic and have received significant attention from the scientific community. Organic dyes and conjugated polymers are also important electroluminescent materials that have been associated with biological imaging techniques. This research field is dynamic and many emerging luminescent materials are currently being reported, especially organic perovskite quantum dots (QDs), rare-earth fluoride nanocrystals, and colloidal carbon dots. This Special Issue will be dedicated to original and innovative contributions in this promising field.

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