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### Two-Dimensional Nanomaterial-Based Heterostructures

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## **Message from the Guest Editors**

The unique physical, optical, and electronic properties of the atomically thin layers of semiconductors have made them promising hosts for the investigation of a wide range of innovative device applications and fundamental research activities. Currently, such materials are being used for the development of novel optical devices, ranging from photo-detectors, lasers, and photo-transistors, to memory cells and sensors. Heterostructures consisting of atomically thick materials have further expanded the horizon for higher degrees of control of the optical and electronic properties of two-dimensionally confined excitons and carriers, offering new possibilities for spin transport, valleytronic devices, and quantum materials. This Special Issue covers a wide range of applications, fundamental physics, fabrication, and the characterization of twodimensional materials and their heterostructures. It also covers the hybridization of structures with plasmonic and photonic nanostructures and arrays, and their broader device applications, ranging from photonics electronics devices to quantum control processes and sensors









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