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## Preface

# Special issue on Synthesis and Applications of Organometallic Compounds<sup>☆</sup>



The synthesis of new compounds containing metal – carbon bonds is one of the great challenges of organometallic chemistry and developing useful applications, such as catalysis, for these compounds is even more challenging. One of the leaders in these fields has been Prof. Armando J. L. Pombeiro of the University of Lisbon. A summary of his career and achievements is presented in his Biosketch which follows in this special issue of the Journal of Organometallic Chemistry. Armando J.L. Pombeiro will celebrate his 70<sup>th</sup> birthday in 2019 and we have organized this special issue of the Journal of Organometallic Chemistry on the topic “Synthesis and Applications of Organometallic Compounds” to honor his many distinguished contributions to the field of organometallic chemistry. The issue contains articles on original research in organometallic and coordination chemistry that have been contributed by the experts in these fields. We wish to thank all of the Authors for their valuable contributions.

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