School of Materials Science and Engineering

Seminar Topic:
Opening the Editor's Black Box: Insider Tips for Successful Submissions

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Abstract

Publishing papers in reputed journals is an integral part of the research cycle. In this presentation, I will open the Editor's black box by explaining how manuscripts are processed from submission to publication. In addition, I will discuss ethical aspects of publishing and give tips on how to prepare your manuscript for submission and improve your chances for successful publication.

Topics to be covered include:
How do I simplify my writing and improve the presentation of my results?
How do I choose the right journal for submission?
What do Editors and referees look for?
How do I improve the visibility of my research?

Biography

Dr Su Xin received his B.Sc. in Chemistry from Nankai University, China, in 2009. Thereafter he moved to USA and conducted graduate research on hydrazone-based molecular switches and functional materials at Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH, USA, where he received his Ph.D. in Organic Chemistry in 2013. Following postdoctoral training at the National Energy Technology Laboratory (NETL), Pittsburgh, PA, USA, he worked as an Associate Editor for Wiley's Materials Science journals including Advanced Materials in Hoboken, NJ, USA, from 2015 to 2017. After spending a year at SpringerNature as a Senior Editor of Nature Chemistry in Shanghai, China, Dr Su joined the editorial team of Angewandte Chemie in 2018.

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