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Transition Metal Catalyzed Cyclizations

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The scope of this Special Edition will include: Intramolecular coupling reactions (e.g., Heck, Suzuki-Miyaura, and Buchwald-Hartwig reactions), intramolecular allylations, as well as small-ring openings. This will also include cyclization reactions of alkenes, alkynes, and allenes, including cycloisomerizations, ring-closing metathesis, epoxidations, cyclopropanations, as well as cycloaddition processes.

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