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Message from the Guest Editors

Applied Optics and Vision Science is vital for diagnostics and for vision. Vision Science is found in range of imaging applications from microscopy to ophthalmology and in the sensing and control of materials. For this Special Issue, we are soliciting contributions on applied optics that highlight the wide spectrum of optics used for imaging and sensing, as well as for the psychophysics of vision. Understanding the optics of the eye is central to developing better ophthalmic solutions to combat vision loss and to develop novel 3D imaging systems from virtual reality headsets to holographic displays. Likewise, sensing aberrations and quantifying refractive errors are both vital for ophthalmics, for vision and for diagnostics. This is particularly the case for myopia, which is increasing globally with increased risk for irreversible vision loss. Separately, optics is vital for novel solar cells and green energy, for optical communications and for the sensing of environmental factors.





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