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Message from the Guest Editors

The challenges of global warming and fossil energy consumption are driving the rapid development of advanced energy technologies. Collecting distributed and renewable energy and preserving it in proper storage cells can efficiently contribute to a green and sustainable planet, although this concept remains in its infancy far from a level of large-scale production. To further break through the bottleneck of energy generation and storage, efforts must be devoted to analyzing device performance at an atomic/molecular scale in order to gain insight into the deep mechanisms of these devices.

This Special Issue on "Nanotechnology for Energy Generation and Storage", will present a broad range of topics covering various fields of energy harvesting, storage, and utilization based on nanomaterials and nanostructures. In addition to individual energy conversion and storage devices, studies detailing new principles of integrated systems to elevate energy utilization efficiency and convenience are also encouraged. Original research articles as well as review papers based on experimental, theoretical, or simulation works are all welcome.

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