

Introduction to the new journal: *Frontiers of Optoelectronics in China*

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China, together with the world, has made enormous achievements in the field of optoelectronics in recent years and is still now undergoing the processes of rapid advancement. Chinese Researchers have devoted themselves to finding out ways to solve the problems in optoelectronics, and have made substantial progress theoretically and experimentally. Thus, a platform is needed on which researchers could share their new findings and technological advances in the field of optoelectronics and related disciplines with colleagues around the world. The new launched journal, *Frontiers of Optoelectronics in China*, aims to serve such a platform that provides a way for scientists all over the world to share the ideas and technologies in the field of optoelectronics.

Frontiers of Optoelectronics in China will publish four issues a year, focusing on original research papers and review articles in all main branches of optoelectronics, such as

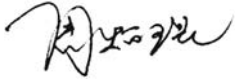
opto-electronic devices and photonic integration,
nano-photonics,
MEMS/MOEMS,
laser science and technology,
optical communication systems and networks,
biomedical photonics,
optical information processing and storage,
opto-electronic imaging and detection,
fiber optics,
LED and solid state lighting,
optical display,
ultrafast optoelectronics,
novel optoelectronic materials, etc.

It should be noticed that, affected by the progress of publication, only two issues will be published in 2008 and the content of each issue will be extended. In these two issues, besides original papers, some important papers originally published in Chinese are also selected to present the academic achievements made in China in the field of optoelectronics in recent years.

The papers published in the journal are rigid peer-reviewed, not only for scientific content but also for consistency and readability. I would like to thank the authors for their contributions and the referees for their expertise and timely help. In order to continuously improve the quality of the journal, I sincerely would like to know all the comments and suggestions for the journal.

Finally, I'd like to thank everyone who has contributed and helped to the establishment of *Frontiers of Optoelectronics in China*. I'd like also to thank all the members of the Editorial Board and staff who are working efficiently, diligently, and with great enthusiasm toward enhancing the quality of the journal. I have enjoyed working

with them. I am confident that *Frontiers of Optoelectronics in China* will grow into a leading journal for facilitating effective communication and exchange between scientists in China and abroad in the near future.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Bingkun Zhou' in a cursive style.

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