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Dear Colleague,

The ICPEPA (International Conference on Photo-Excited Processes and Applications) presents all aspects of photo-excited processes and applications: from fundamental laser-material interactions, theory and modeling to applications with nanoparticles and nanophotonics as well as new trends in photo excitations. The ICPEPA conference, moreover, intends to create an atmosphere for scientific presentations and discussions at the forefront of this multi-disciplinary field.

On the occasion of the last ICPEPA conference (ICPEPA-8, Aug. 2012, Rochester NY, USA), a selection of articles highlighting the scientific progress discussed at the conference was published in a special issue of *Applied Physics B: Lasers and Optics* (Vol. 113, issue 3, Dec. 2012). This tradition will continue for the upcoming ICPEPA-9 conference (Sept. 2014, Matsue, Japan). We hope the special issue will be a showcase for the latest developments, leading to further progress of this field.

We cordially invite you to contribute to this special issue with a manuscript related to the topics outlined above. We would be pleased to receive your manuscript containing new, high quality and unpublished material by

September 22, 2014

All manuscripts will be subjected to a standard reviewing process. A speedy reviewing is supported by online submission at <https://www.editorialmanager.com/apbh/>.

Looking forward to receiving your contribution

Sincerely,

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