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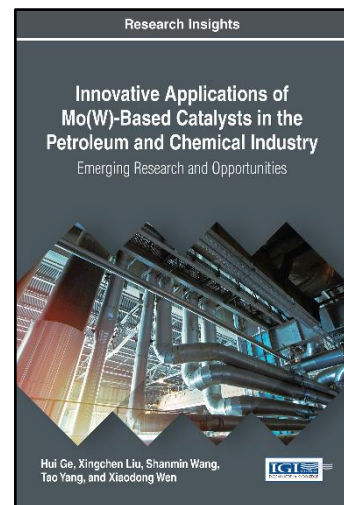
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Hui Ge received his Ph.D. degree from Institute of Coal Chemistry, Chinese Academy of Sciences in 2009 and then worked there as an associate professor. He has been researching on synthesis, characterization, and catalytic application of Mo based materials and nanostructured composites. And He has developed series of CoMo and NiMo catalysts for hydrodesulfurization of gasoline and diesel. He has rich experience in synthesis of novel catalytic material and DFT calculation of the structure, properties and reaction mechanism of transit metal catalyst. His scientific interests include heterogeneous catalysis, 2D materials, theory calculation, new energy and environmental science.

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Shanmin Wang is a high-pressure (P) physicist and material scientist with extensive experience in diffraction studies of crystal structures, equations of state, phase transitions, and strongly correlated 3d systems, and hard/superhard ceramics. He has been working on synthesis, characterization, and modeling of catalyst materials, semiconductors and superconductors, hard/superhard materials, and nanostructured composites at high pressures. Prof. Wang has rich experience in use of high-P large-volume press and diamond-anvil cell. Very recently, using newly formulated high-P reaction routes, he has recently synthesized a number of novel transition-metal nitrides, including W₂N₃, W₃N₄, and 3R-MoN₂, and most of them are potential industrial catalysts possessing superior catalytic properties. Overall, his scientific interests include new energy researches, condensed matter physics, materials sciences, and crystallography. His technical specialties cover high P-T and high-P/low-T instrumentations for neutron and synchrotron x-ray diffraction.

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Xiaodong Wen received his Ph.D. degree from Chinese Academy of Sciences in 2007. After his Ph.D., Prof. Wen joined the group of Prof. Roald Hoffmann (the 1981 Nobel Prize in Chemistry) and Dr. Neil Ashcroft at Cornell University as a postdoc. After three years, in 2010, he joined the group T-1 in LANL as a Seaborg Institute fellow, and worked on predicting actinide/magnetic materials using theoretical tools, and developing strongly correlated method. From 2014, Prof. Xiaodong Wen was selected as Hundred People Plan Program in Chinese Academy of Sciences, and awarded as National Thousand Young Talents Program of China. The researches of Prof. Wen are focused on rational design of catalysts (especially for carbon-based energy conversion) and materials (sustainable energy related materials) combining experimental and theoretical approach.