The Lou Massa Issue: Congratulations and Thanks

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This issue is devoted in its entirety to celebrating Professor Lou Massa on the occasion of his 75th birthday. All papers in this issue in one way or another represent a reflection of Lou's interest. In addition, five more articles presented in the previous issue of Structural Chemistry are components of this compilation. They are listed here and together with these five papers the collection dedicated to Lou is complete. Congratulations, Lou, and Many Happy Returns!

A 3D structural model of RsXXVIA, an ω -conotoxin
By Sergio A. Román-González, Edson Edinho Robles-Gómez, Jorge Reyes, Johanna Bernáldez, Fernando Cortés-Guzmán, Karina Martínez-Mayorga, Fernando Lazcano-Pérez, Alexei Licea, Roberto Arreguín-Espinosa [1]

How strong are H-bonds at the fully hydroxylated silica surfaces? Insights from the B3LYP electron density topological analysis
By Federico Musso, Silvia Casassa, Marta Corno, Piero Ugliengo [2]

Insights from domain-averaged Fermi hole (DAFH) analysis and multicenter bond indices into the nature of Be(0) bonding
By Robert Ponec, David L. Cooper [3]

Triel bonds-complexes of boron and aluminum trihalides and trihydrides with benzene
By Sławomir J. Grabowski [4]

A computational investigation into the redox chemistry of Mo- and W-tris(diselenolene) complexes
By Eric A. C. Bushnell, Matt R. Adams, Russell J. Boyd [5]

The occasion of publishing this thematic issue is also a celebration for our journal for the high scientific level of these contributions. Professor Chérif F. Matta guest edited this issue with dedication and high professional standards. I express my heartfelt thanks to Chérif for bringing together this rich collection of papers.

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