



# call for papers

**JOM is seeking contributions on the following topics for 2019. For the full Editorial Calendar, along with author instructions, visit the JOM website at [jom.tms.org](http://jom.tms.org).**



## July 2019:

**Manuscript Deadline: February 1, 2019**

**Topic: Second-Phase Particles in Magnesium**

**Alloys: Engineering for Properties and Performance**

**Scope:** Alloy and process design to control second-phase particle distribution is a key aspect of the future of magnesium alloys. This special topic is a holistic review of advances in the understanding of second-phase effects on magnesium alloy behavior.

**Guest Editors:** Victoria Miller and Petra Maier

**Sponsor:** Magnesium Committee

**Topic: Composition-Processing-Microstructure-Property Relationships of Titanium Alloys**

**Scope:** This topic seeks papers addressing emerging or novel uses of titanium, and investigations with an emphasis on the interplay between processing, microstructure, properties, and performance are encouraged. Titanium and titanium alloys, including beta, alpha+beta, intermetallic alloys as well as titanium matrix composites will be applicable.

**Guest Editors:** Benjamin M. Morrow, Carl J. Boehlert, Kayla L. Calvert, Yufeng Zheng, and Peter C. Collins

**Sponsor:** Titanium Committee

**Topic: Urban Mining: Characterization and Recycling of Solid Wastes**

**Scope:** Since the solid wastes in urban areas have become significant environmental concerns, the recycling and reuse of these waste materials is attracting great attention both in the public and in the materials industry. This topic will focus on the characterization of urban waste materials and the effective extraction of metals from the materials.

**Guest Editors:** Mingming Zhang and Bowen Li

**Sponsors:** Materials Characterization Committee and Recycling and Environmental Technologies Committee

**Topic: Advanced Manufacturing for Nuclear Energy**

**Scope:** Of interest for this topic are papers on additive manufacturing, advanced welding and cladding techniques, powder metallurgy, high performance concrete and rebar, surface modification, in-situ quality control, inspection, and

advanced machining.

**Guest Editors:** Xiaoyuan Lou and David Gandy

**Sponsor:** Nuclear Materials Committee

**Topic: ICME 2019**

**Scope:** The 5th World Congress on Integrated Computational Materials Engineering (ICME 2019) convenes leading researchers and practitioners of ICME to share the latest knowledge and advances in the discipline. This congress is the recognized hub of interaction among software developers and process engineers along the entire production chain, as well as for materials scientists and engineers developing new materials. Only submissions from congress attendees will be considered for publication in *JOM*.

**Sponsor:** Invited

## August 2019:

**Manuscript Deadline: March 1, 2019**

**Topic: Solidification Defects in Additive Manufactured Materials**

**Scope:** Solidification defects, such as porosity and hot cracking, are commonly observed in a variety of metal additive manufacturing processes, not limited to powder bed fusion, direct energy deposition, and binder jet processes. New scientific discoveries and/or industrial applications to understand and/or control solidification defects are welcome for publication.

**Guest Editor:** Lang Yuan

**Sponsor:** Solidification Committee

**Topic: Characterization of Advanced Sintering Materials**

**Scope:** Sintering is one of the major processes for synthesis and production of various materials such as ceramics, polycrystalline alloys, sintered ores, iron ore pellets, calcined minerals, slags, and organic metals. This topic will focus on the sintering process, phenomenon, and mechanisms of a material by heating at high temperature.

**Guest Editors:** Mingming Zhang and Bowen Li

**Sponsor:** Materials Characterization Committee

**Topic: Multiscale Computational Strategies for Heterogeneous Materials with Defects**

**Scope:** Multiscale modeling is a familiar theme, integral to heterogeneous materials. Challenges are encountered in the presence of evolving defects at multiple scales leading to extreme behavior. Such complexities may be addressed by a combination of hierarchical (bottom-up) and concurrent (top-down coupling) strategies. This topic is devoted to approaches addressing these issues.

**Guest Editors:** Somnath Ghosh and David McDowell

**Sponsor:** ICME Committee

**Topic: Precipitation Mechanisms in Non-ferrous Alloys**

**Scope:** This topic addresses the range of phase transformation behavior and mechanisms across a series of different non-ferrous metal alloys. The papers will address the implications of such phase changes on microstructure and associated properties.

**Guest Editors:** Gregory Thompson, Deep Choudhuri, Rajarshi Banerjee, and Eric Lass

**Sponsor:** Phase Transformations Committee

**September 2019:**

**Manuscript Deadline: April 1, 2019**

**Topic: Aluminum: Recycling and Environmental Footprint**

**Scope:** This topic covers recycling of aluminum and its alloys as well as the environmental ramifications of both primary and secondary aluminum.

**Guest Editors:** David Wong and Pascal Lavoie

**Sponsors:** Aluminum Committee and Recycling and Environmental Technologies Committee

**Topic: Advanced Electronic Interconnection**

**Scope:** Papers are invited for this special topic covering recent advances of bonding technologies for 2.5D and 3D IC, wide-band-gap (WBG) semiconductors, and flexible electronics.

**Guest Editor:** Shih-kang Lin

**Sponsor:** Alloy Phases Committee

**Topic: Advances in Processing, Manufacturing, and Applications of Magnetic Materials**

**Scope:** Papers are invited on novel magnetic materials, advances in processing or relevant property measurement, and circular manufacturing of magnetic materials. Of interest are permanent and soft magnets and magnetocaloric materials, and also multifunctional magnetic materials such as magnetoelastic, magnetoelectric, and magnetoresistive materials.

**Guest Editors:** Orlando Rios and Ikenna Nlebedim

**Sponsors:** Magnetic Materials Committee and Energy Conversion and Storage Committee

**Topic: Comparison of Recycling Methods for Industrial Metals**

**Scope:** This topic will compare recycling methods for different metals which will stimulate thinking about

similarities and differences and engender improvements in recycling processes and in the use of metals.

**Guest Editor:** Dirk Verhulst

**Sponsor:** Recycling and Environmental Technologies Committee

**Topic: Sustainable Pyrometallurgical Processing**

**Scope:** This topic covers the development of recycling and bio-based fuel technologies to meet current environmental standards as well as sourcing issues. Fields include but are not limited to: process optimization, alternative material sourcing, by-product utilization, and energy efficiency.

**Guest Editors:** Joseph Grogan and Camille Fleuriaux

**Sponsor:** Pyrometallurgy Committee

**October 2019:**

**Manuscript Deadline: May 1, 2019**

**Topic: New Developments in Nanomechanical Methods**

**Scope:** This special topic will focus on the advances used to measure mechanical properties of small-volume and low-dimensional materials, as well as bulk nanostructured materials. Of particular interest are new instrumentation, methods, and environmental control to evaluate mechanical behavior in terms of size effects, time scales, environmental testing, as well as in-situ experimental methods.

**Guest Editors:** Megan Cordill and Janelle Wharry

**Sponsor:** Nanomechanical Materials Behavior Committee

**Topic: Microstructure Evolution During Deformation Processing**

**Scope:** Understanding how deformation processing techniques can control the microstructural evolution in metals is vital for alloy development. Papers are invited that investigate aspects of microstructural evolution during deformation processing.

**Guest Editor:** Daniel Koughlin

**Sponsors:** Shaping and Forming Committee and Advanced Characterization, Testing, and Simulation Committee

**Topic: Progress in High-Entropy Alloys**

**Scope:** High-entropy alloys (HEAs) loosely refer to multi-principal-element solid solution alloys due to their high configurational entropy. This special topic on high-entropy alloys invites contributions from authors working in the various fields of HEAs to disseminate the rapid progress in this fascinating and expanding class of advanced materials.

**Guest Editors:** Chuang Zhang, Michael C. Gao, and Shih-kang Lin

**Sponsor:** Alloy Phases Committee

**Topic: Modeling and Simulation of Composite Materials**

**Scope:** This topic will highlight modeling and simulation currently used in advancing the understanding of the complex interactions and structure-property relationship in composite materials by ab-initio methods, atomistic methods, mesoscale simulations, finite element methods, and multi-scale modeling.

**Guest Editors:** Rakes Behera, Dinesh Pinisetty, and Dung Luong

**Sponsor:** Composite Materials Committee