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2. International Advisory Editorial Board, Sensors (2002-present).
3. Editorial Board, Analytical & Bioanalytical Electrochemistry (2008-present).
4. Editorial Board, Progress in Photovoltaics: Research and Applications (2009-present).
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7. The Young Scientist Award (to Mr. Chung-Wei Kung, 龔仲偉同學), in recognition of an outstanding paper contributed to Symposium L “Chromogenic Materials and Devices” at the E-MRS 2014 Spring Meeting, Lille, France, May 26-30 (2014).
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