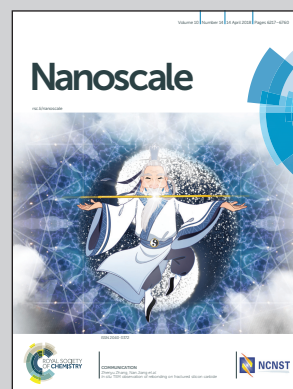


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Controllable rotational inversion in nanostructures with dual chirality

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