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Preface

The first volume of "Formation, Dynamics and Statistics of Patterns" was published in 1990 containing the review articles by the selected authors who participated in the research project having the same title as this book, which was sponsored by Yukawa Institute for Theoretical Physics (former RIFP). The project was successfully concluded in May, 1992. It is a great pleasure for us to be able to present the second volume of this series which contains eight review articles from authors who also participated in the aforementioned YITP project.

Although the YITP project on pattern research is now finished, interdisciplinary pattern research itself is far from concluding stage as is evidenced by the numerous meetings and workshops on pattern-related topics. We sincerely wish that the present volume will contribute further to enrich this thriving field.

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