

## Special Issue

# Algorithmic Methods for Computational Molecular Biology

### Message from the Guest Editor

Challenges for algorithmic approaches in molecular biology abound – epitomized by the thriving ISMB and ECCB. Algorithmic approaches allow us to process the data and test the hypotheses that drive forward our understanding of molecular biology. For the future, we need better algorithms to bridge the gap from structure to function to phenotype. To handle the intrinsic flexibility of many biological systems, we need algorithms that embrace dynamic properties to predict function. Applications lie, for example, in the dynamic modelling of interaction networks; in better prediction of the impact of SNVs, in regulatory or coding regions, in structured or disordered regions of the protein, or where structure is unknown; in generating and/or processing meta-data to make our valuable data FAIR, and integrating data from various sources, platforms, or labs. We are looking forward to receiving your contributions as research or review papers!

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