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Biomolecules in Cosmetic Sciences

Message from the Guest Editors

Cosmetics are defined as any substance or preparation intended to be used on the external parts of the human body that are mainly for cleansing, perfuming, beautifying, odorizing, and promoting well-being without affecting body structure or functions. A great deal of interest has been shown by consumers toward novel bioactive compounds as ingredients in cosmetics from natural resources because of their numerous beneficial effects compared to synthetic ingredients. The use of cosmetic preparations containing biomolecules aims to maintain the body in good condition, protect it from the effects of the environment and aging processes, change its appearance, and impart a good smell to the body.

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