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Mitochondrial Function as a Target in Nanomedicine

Message from the Guest Editor

Mitochondria, as dynamic networks regulating key cellular processes such as apoptosis, ATP synthesis, redox balance, mitophagy, and overall homeostasis, represent a strategic target for therapeutic intervention. Mitochondrial dysfunction is implicated in various diseases, including neurodegenerative disorders like Alzheimer's and Parkinson's, where disruptions in mitochondrial import and protein regulation contribute to pathogenesis. Targeting mitochondria for drug delivery also offers promising avenues in the treatment of cancer as well as metabolic and cardiovascular diseases. However, the effective delivery of therapeutics to these organelles remains a major obstacle in clinical translation. Advances in nanomedicine, offer innovative solutions to enhance therapeutic precision and efficacy in mitochondria-targeted medicine. This Special Issue aims to explore all facets of mitochondrial-targeted strategies within the field of nanomedicine. We warmly invite researchers to submit original studies and review articles that help to advance knowledge in this area and offer critical insights into the role of mitochondria in contemporary nanotherapeutic approaches.

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