# **Special Issue**

# Zebrafish: A Powerful Model in Neuroscience to Investigate Genes, Brain Mechanisms, and Behavior

## Message from the Guest Editors

zebrafish have become a powerful vertebrate model organism for neuroscience research. This represents an excellent translational approach through which evolutionarily ancient, and thus fundamentally important, mechanisms of complex mammalian (and human) biological phenomena may be studied. Importantly, zebrafish display diverse behaviors, either innate or sensory-driven, involved in social interactions and sensory-motor transformations, offering a reliable and quantitative readout of the gene impact or of the circuit functionality. Zebrafish currently offer unique advantages for both basic and translational neuroscience. This Special Issue will discuss the significance of zebrafish as an animal model to study neurological disorders. We welcome original research articles and reviews that use zebrafish to investigate the nervous system, encompassing areas such as neurodevelopment, neurodegeneration, and behavioural neuroscience, as well as analysis and experimental methods supporting this type of research.

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