

## Special Issue

# Advanced Detection Techniques for Photoacoustic Bioimaging

### Message from the Guest Editors

A variety of imaging techniques have been investigated for biomedical applications. Among them, photoacoustic imaging has shown great promise by providing structural and functional information of biological tissues. Over the past decades, extensive research has been conducted to broaden its biomedical applications, including drug delivery monitoring, the biodistribution of nanomaterials, and treatment assessment. More recently, clinical trials have been conducted to translate photoacoustic imaging into clinical settings by integrating it with conventional ultrasound systems. The objective of this Special Issue is to highlight the latest advances in detection strategies, transducer design, and signal analysis for photoacoustic imaging. For this Special Issue, the topics of interest include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Advanced ultrasound transducer for photoacoustic/ultrasound imaging;
- Flexible and wearable transducer;
- Transparent transducer;
- High-frequency transducer;
- Non-contact acoustic wave detection;
- Array transducer design;
- Clinical photoacoustic and ultrasound imaging.

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