## **Special Issue**

# The Advance of Clinical Pharmacology in Lung Cancer

## Message from the Guest Editors

Lung cancer has always been the deadliest cancer worldwide, largely due to its difficult detection, meaning that it is often only discovered in its advanced stages. Since the development of EGFR TKI-targeted therapy. precision medicine in lung cancer has been increasingly implemented. With the integration of next-generation sequencing (NGS) technologies, various driver genes have been validated in clinical trials and real-world data, showing significant improvements in patient response rates, disease progression-free periods, and even survival rates compared to traditional chemotherapy. Beyond targeted therapies, the combined use of antiangiogenesis drugs and the development of immunotherapy have set milestones in lung cancer treatment. These advances apply not only to systemic treatments in stage four lung cancer but also to earlierstage lung cancer patients receiving neoadiuvant or adjuvant therapy, bringing hope for long-term survival. In this Special Issue, we aim to further explore and discuss the pharmacological aspects and usage of these drugs, hoping to contribute to the treatment of lung cancer.

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