

## Special Issue

# Contemporary Surgical Management of Melanoma

### Message from the Guest Editors

A series of articles is presented in this Special Issue by an international team of surgical oncologists with expertise in their respective topics on the role of surgery for melanoma, with topics including: clinical characteristics and surgical treatment of rare melanoma subtypes; margins in primary melanoma surgery; preoperative and intraoperative sentinel node identification in melanoma surgery; when to use sentinel node biopsy in melanoma, with trends and future directions; neoadjuvant therapy for metastatic melanoma; adjuvant therapy for high-risk stage II melanoma; perioperative considerations for tumor tissue procurement to obtain tumor-infiltrating lymphocytes for adoptive cell therapy; intralesional and infusional updates for metastatic melanoma; the role of surgery for stage IV melanoma; and gene expression profiling and biomarkers for predicting melanoma recurrence and response to surgical and systemic treatment. We are especially indebted to all the expert authors who have contributed their time and expertise to the numerous articles presented in this work.

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