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Transcription Factor Regulation and Activities in Cancer

Message from the Guest Editor

Although many oncogenes encode transcription factors, genomic approaches have shown that oncogene transcription factors regulate hundreds or thousands of genes in tumors. Consequently, how a transcription factor actually becomes an oncogene is not clear. Do oncogene transcription factors regulate one or a few key targets that induce transformation, or do they induce a transformed phenotype by causing hundreds or thousands of changes that reprogram cells? How do oncogenic transcription factors reorganize chromatin to affect hundreds or thousands of genes across the genome? This Special Issue will focus on the regulatory mechanisms that change the expression or activities of oncogenic transcription factors and on the downstream epigenetic and transcriptional changes that are induced and that lead to cell preprogramming during transformation and oncogenesis.

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