# **Special Issue**

# Epigenetic Regulation of Cell Cycle and Cell Death in Pathogenesis

## Message from the Guest Editors

In multicellular organisms, cell proliferation and death are physiological events with a pivotal role in maintaining cellular homeostasis. During growth, cells undergo a high rate of proliferation both to increase in number and to complete the functionality of all components of the organism and have developed several processes to control the correct balance between the production of "new" cells and the elimination of "old" ones. Defects in intracellular signaling pathways related to cell proliferation and death, lead to altered protein function, which is responsible for the pathogenesis of several diseases such as cancer.

Several studies have highlighted a direct link between epigenetic modifications and aberrant cell proliferation and death pathways. To this aim epigenetic modulator(s) can restore the altered or silenced cellular pathways, representing a promising tool for anticancer treatment.

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