

Special Issue

Molecular Studies of Aging and Anti-Aging Strategies in Animals and Humans

Message from the Guest Editor

Aging is a natural process that every individual undergoes as they progress through life. Cellular aging and cell aging are terms often used interchangeably to describe the process of deterioration and functional decline in cells as they age. However, there is a subtle distinction between the two concepts. Cellular aging refers to the overall process of aging at the cellular level, encompassing various molecular and physiological changes that occur in cells over time. On the other hand, cell aging refers explicitly to the state or condition of individual cells as they undergo aging processes. Differentiation is important because while cellular aging may involve a wide range of changes that affect multiple cells within an organism, cell aging focuses on the specific characteristics and changes within an individual cell as it ages. The concept of anti-aging refers to efforts and interventions to slow down or reverse the aging process. For this Special Issue, original and review articles on the aforementioned topics that are relevant to humans and animals are welcome.

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