

Special Issue

Highlights in Autophagy: From Basic Mechanisms to Human Disorder Treatments

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue will consist of selected papers from the 2020 Proteasome & Autophagy Congress, 22–24 April 2020, Clermont-Ferrand, France. The Proteasome & Autophagy Congress is an international scientific event held every 2 years and taking place in Clermont-Ferrand, France. The goal of this congress is to cover up-to-date knowledge on Ubiquitin Proteasome System (UPS) and Autophagy and their implication in different diseases. This Special Issue offers the opportunity for meeting attendees to contribute and publish research findings, and reviews in this area. We invite submissions that provide insight into molecular and cellular mechanisms that regulate autophagy and the crosstalk with UPS to ensure proteostasis. We also welcome submissions that provide insight into the role these processes play in pathophysiological conditions and aging.

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