# **Special Issue**

# Cell Biology: State-of-the-Art and Perspectives in Japan

## Message from the Guest Editor

This Special Issue aims to provide a comprehensive overview of state-of-the-art of cell biology in Japan. We invite research papers that will consolidate our understanding in this area. The Special Issue will publish full research articles and comprehensive reviews. Potential topics include but are not limited to the following research areas:

- OMICS: transcriptomics, genomics, proteomics, metabolomics, glycomics, lipidomics, fluxomics, and biomics:
- Cell structure: organelles, cytoskeleton, cell membrane, capsule, flagella, etc.;
- Cell physiology: cell growth, metabolism, protein synthesis, division, active/passive transport, intra- and extracellular signaling, DNA repair, etc.;
- Cell movement and motility;
- Autophagy, Apoptosis, Cell aging;
- Cell techniques;
- Cell growth and differentiation;
- Hematopoiesis and stem cells, Cancer stem cells;
- Genetic disorders;
- CAR-T cell research

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