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New Insights Into the Diacylglycerol Signaling Network in Health and Disease

Message from the Guest Editor

Diacylglycerol (DAG) is a class of neutral lipids with two fatty acid chains attached to a glycerol backbone. It is both an intermediate in various lipid biosynthetic pathways and a critical signaling lipid for a plethora of metabolic and signaling pathways in cells. Since the discovery of the first DAG target PKC four decades ago, our understanding of the complex signaling network of DAG has grown exponentially. We now know that these important DAG-binding proteins are not only key mediators of normal cell functions, but also play essential roles in many pathological conditions and diseases, including cancer, metabolic diseases, neurological disorders, inflammatory conditions, and immune dysregulations.

This Special Issue will present a collection of recent advances and new cutting-edge research on a better understanding of the DAG signaling network and its function in human health and disease. Both original articles and comprehensive reviews within the scope of this topic in this complex evolving field are welcome.

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