

## Special Issue

# The Gastrointestinal Microbiome and Its Contribution to Disease

### Message from the Guest Editor

The microbiome varies widely in various aspects of the gastrointestinal tract. Over time, it has been observed that shifts in the microbiome can cause or prevent disease in that part of the gastrointestinal tract. This issue will focus on different studies and investigations that have been performed by various investigators. We will showcase the multiple types of experiments and analyses that are currently being conducted to evaluate the relationship between the microbial community and disease in the gastrointestinal tract.

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