# **Special Issue**

# Inflammation, Oxidative Stress and Protein Aggregation; Any Links?

## Message from the Guest Editors

**Inflammation** is a complex immune response that enables survival during infection and maintains tissue homeostasis. Proteostasis (proportion between the synthesis, translation, folding and degradation of proteins) should be in balance in a healthy cell, including neurons. In this Special Issue we propose: 1) to discuss how oxidative stress influences the inflammatory immune response; 2) studies of the regulatory pathways, which are turned on in the cytosol to restore proteostasis; and 3) studies which shed light on the connections between different stressors and the amount of protein aggregates, and the localization of the smallest, still soluble aggregates (oligomers), which are supposed to be the most toxic. Overall, by means of the proposed Special Issue, we expect to come closer to understanding the links between inflammatory response, oxidative stress and protein aggregation. Such knowledge may lead to common therapeutic targets to fight decreased proteostasis in aging or in neurodegenerative diseases.

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