# **Special Issue**

# Fighting SARS-CoV-2 and Related Viruses

# Message from the Guest Editors

Since the worldwide outbreak of COVID-19, the entire scientific community has mobilized to find ways to combat SARS-CoV-2, the coronavirus responsible for the disease. Studies began with assays involving repurposable drugs: since then, there have been thousands of clinical trials. Molecular modeling methods and artificial intelligence enabled the selection of numerous potentially effective agents. Screening of libraries of small molecules, more complex biomolecules, or extracts from natural sources remains the focus of many studies, whereas vaccines have emerged as the most widely employed weapon in response to the epidemic. This Topical Collection will cover all aspects involved in the fight against SARS-CoV-2 and related viruses. Reviews and research articles are preferred; however, hypotheses, opinions, and reports on clinical trials will also be considered.

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