Special Issue

Biomarkers of Urological Disease

Message from the Guest Editors

Diagnosis is the benchmark of disease control and treatment. A good biomarker may be a surrogate for disease status and play a pivotal role in many diseases, including cancers. In the urological field, prostatespecific antigen (PSA) is a game-changing biomarker for prostate cancer. It changed the landscape of diagnosis, treatment outcome, recurrence, and long-term prognosis of prostate cancer. However, bladder cancer is one of the major cancers without a reliable tumor marker. As the bladder is the reservoir of urine, biomarkers for urothelial cancer detected from urine could stand on a good rationale. Recent -omics studies have focused on this field. In this Special Issue, we welcome any research that sheds light on the advancement of our understanding of diseases in the urological field. Papers on the following are especially welcome:

- Biomarkers in all urological diseases, including cancer;
- Review of present biomarkers: where we stand and future perspectives (solicited or unsolicited);
- Liquid biopsy (circulating tumor cells, cell-free DNA): as predictive biomarkers in metastatic diseases;
- Theranostics.

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