

## Special Issue

# Genetics and Genomics of Psychiatric Disorders

### Message from the Guest Editor

This Special Issue, entitled “Genetics and Genomics of Psychiatric Disorders” aims to collect original articles and reviews that deal with studies of the genetics of mental disorders and address the topic of the interaction with environmental risk factors. Furthermore, studies that investigate whether the heterogeneous phenotypic manifestations or traits that characterize several mental disorders, such as psychosis and major depression, underlie different genetic characteristics (both at the level of CNV or PRS) are welcome. Moreover, while genome-wide association studies successfully discover new genomic loci associated with complex disorders such as mental ones, the biological interpretation of these findings remains challenging. Thus, this Special Issue is also interested in studies concerning risk genes' biological interpretation and molecular mechanisms to uncover an etiopathogenetic explanation of mental disorders.

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