# **Special Issue**

## Molecular Biology and Treatment of Genodermatoses

### Message from the Guest Editor

Genodermatoses, a heterogeneous group of congenital skin diseases, are considered to be rare disorders. Recent advances in elucidating the molecular basis of such diseases have contributed to early diagnosis, paving the way to innovative therapeutic approaches. e.g., protein replacement and gene therapies. A better molecular understanding of genodermatoses biology may also provide clues to genetic conditions that do not affect the skin primarily, but are associated with characteristic and clinically significant cutaneous symptoms. This Special Issue will focus on translational research and clinical trials aimed at improving the lives of patients with hereditary ichthyoses, phakomatoses, increased skin fragility, photosensitivity, skin tumorigenesis, cutis laxa, or defective skin appendages. We welcome original research, review articles, opinions, clinical trial protocols or findings of clinical trials, and encourage both scientists and clinicians to share their points of view.

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