

Special Issue

Skin Cancer: Genetics, Diagnosis and Prevention

Message from the Guest Editors

Research in recent decades has implicated several genes and genetic events in the development and progression of melanoma and non-melanoma skin cancer with specific clinical–pathological patterns. Inherited genetic defects have been discovered, allowing the identification of individuals with increased susceptibility to the disease. Unveiling the landscape of somatic mutations in melanoma and precursor lesions. Despite these advances, melanoma still stands out as a high-incidence malignancy with a poor prognosis when the diagnosis comes at an advanced stage. Efforts are required for accurate classification of the different molecular subtypes underlying biological and clinical heterogeneity, eventually leading to optimizing the management of skin cancer patients. This Special Issue in *Genes* on “Skin Cancer: Genetics, Diagnosis, and Prevention” will host scientific articles at the forefront of research in the field of genetics applied to melanoma and non-melanoma skin cancer prevention, diagnosis, therapy, and patient management.

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