Special Issue

Gene-Environment Interactions, Epigenetics, and Human Health

Message from the Guest Editor

Gene-environment interactions with epigenetics present major opportunities to improve global public health. Better environmental conditions can ultimately optimize epigenetics for human health. There has been tremendous technological advancement with omics technologies such as genomics, epigenomics, metabolomics, and metagenomics, in attempt to understand the gene-environment interactions relevant to human health. Applications of gene-environment interactions to human health outcomes is essential for the emergence of scientific discoveries. This Special Issue seeks research papers on various aspects of gene-environment interactions and epigenetics in relation to human health. We especially encourage the submission of interdisciplinary work and multicountry collaborative research. We also encourage the submission of health systems and health policy-related manuscripts that focus on issues related to epigenetics and gene-environment interactions relevant to human health and health outcomes. We welcome original research papers using different study designs as well as systematic reviews and meta-analyses.

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