

## Special Issue

# Molecular Mechanisms and Therapies of Colorectal Cancer 2.0

### Message from the Guest Editor

Colorectal cancer (CRC) is currently the third leading cause of cancer-related mortality. Transforming growth factor beta (TGF- $\beta$ ) signaling has been associated with CRC growth and metastasis due to its involvement in proliferation, epithelial-to-mesenchymal transition (EMT), and angiogenesis.

This Special Issue was established to prompt researchers to perform studies on:

Involvement of the TGF- $\beta$  pathway in metastatic CRC;  
Emerging methods to identify and correlate specific TGF- $\beta$  pathway genes' mutations with metastatic behavior;

Novel approaches to target the TGF- $\beta$  pathway in metastatic CRC;

Novel studies to depict TGF- $\beta$  pathway evolution from primary to metastatic lesions.

Articles consisting exclusively of bioinformatics or computational analyses of public databases or pure clinical studies will not be accepted. Basic studies or translational studies including molecular characterizations of patients from real practice are welcome. Reviews will also be appreciated.

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