

Special Issue

Heme and Hemopexin: Multitasking Molecules

Message from the Guest Editor

Hemopexin (HPX) is a plasma glycoprotein with the strongest known binding affinity for heme. Although progress has been made in our understanding of the mechanisms of HPX actions and related biological effects, there is a pressing need for more information. Importantly, although HPX levels correlate with hemolytic states, further clinical ramifications of hemopexin as a biomarker in various diseases including cancers of lung, liver, kidney, colon, and uterus, osteoarthritis, and pre-eclampsia require careful evaluation. This Special Issue is intended to extend and refine knowledge of this fascinating protein.

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