# **Special Issue**

# Advances in Microbial Genomics and Evolution

### Message from the Guest Editor

Due to the availability of billions of microbial genome sequences in public databases, we now have a clearer picture of how microbes evolve, about the mechanism of disease, their arsenal of virulence factors and resistance markers, as well as their tropism and geographic distribution. This Special Issue, "Advances in Microbial Genomics and Evolution", of the International Journal of Molecular Sciences will comprise a selection of research papers and reviews that will contribute to a better understanding of such tiny "creatures" that have a massive impact on our lives.

Potential topics include, but are not limited to, the following:

Microbial evolution;

Genetics underlying tissue- and host tropism; Population genetics;

Virulence factors and microbial drug resistance; Genomics underlying the mechanism of the disease.

Since IJMS is a journal of molecular science, pure clinical/investigation studies will not be suitable for our journal. However, clinical submissions with biomolecular experiments are welcomed.

### **Guest Editor**

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