# **Special Issue**

# State of the Art in Craniofacial Surgery

# Message from the Guest Editor

The craniofacial region comprises the most complex and intricate anatomical structures in the human body. As a result of developmental defects, traumatic injury, or neoplastic tissue formation, the functional and aesthetic intricacies of the face and cranium are often disrupted. While reconstructive and aesthetic surgical techniques have long been innovated in this field, there are crucial limitations to the surgical restoration of craniomaxillofacial form and function. Fortunately, the rise of regenerative medicine and surgery has expanded the possibilities for patients affected with hard and soft tissue deficits, allowing for the controlled engineering and regeneration of patient-specific defects. This Special Issue aims to highlight the current state of the art in craniofacial surgery, spanning all areas of innovation within the specialty. Therefore, researchers (clinicians and scientists) in the fields of plastic and reconstructive surgery, oral and maxillofacial surgery, otolaryngology-head and neck surgery, and neurosurgery are encouraged to submit original articles or reviews to this Special Issue. We look forward to receiving your submissions!

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