

Special Issue

Host Response to Fungal Pathogens

Message from the Guest Editors

Fungal pathogens have been and continue to be one of the major causes of chronic and life-threatening diseases, posing significant health, social and economic burdens. Combating the fungal diseases caused by opportunistic and primary pathogens requires a holistic understanding of the mechanisms underlying host–pathogen interplay. Antifungal immunity is quite diverse and highly complex. Even though there have been many advances in our knowledge, gaps in immune mechanisms against mycoses remain. The Special Issue aims to present recent advances in our knowledge on aspects of host and fungal interactions. The areas of interest include humoral and cellular host responses to fungal products and virulence factors, cellular and molecular mechanisms of antifungal immunity, immune dysregulation and immunomodulation, fungal immunopathogenesis, vaccine-induced protective mechanisms against fungal infection, and the discovery of immune biomarkers that can be used to stratify disease management and therapeutic efficacy. Therefore, this Special Issue in the *Journal of Fungi* invites the submission of original research articles, review papers and short communications.

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