

## Special Issue

# Development of Gastrointestinal Cancer Surgery

### Message from the Guest Editors

According to GLOBOCAN, five major gastrointestinal cancers (esophagus, stomach, pancreas, liver, and colorectum) account for 5 million new cases and almost 3.5 million cancer-related deaths worldwide. Despite remarkable advances, some of these cancers still have poor prognoses.

This Special Issue will cover presenting cutting-edge research related to the development of gastrointestinal cancer, from the implementation of ex vivo patient and liquid biopsies and biomarkers nowadays to the benefit of indocyanine-green-, fluorescence-, and 3D-model-guided surgery. We also invite you to share data about the novel interventional, minimally invasive, and surgical management methods of gastrointestinal cancer surgery.

We are soliciting original articles, clinical trials, systematic reviews, and meta-analyses. Research areas may include (but are not limited to) the following: Conventional, laparoscopic, and robotic surgery; Minimal invasive surgery; Surgical technique and energy devices; Esophageal, gastric, and duodenal cancers; Biliary and pancreatic cancers; Hepatocellular carcinoma; Colorectal cancers.

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