

Special Issue

Graphene-Based Materials for Cancer Therapy

Message from the Guest Editors

Graphene-based nanomaterials such as fullerenes, carbon nanotubes, graphene oxide and graphene quantum dots have shown great potential in nanomedicine and biotechnology. Their physical and chemical properties and the presence of more reactive groups on the graphene surface, which allow the multimodal conjugation with different functional groups and biologically active molecules, make them ideal candidates for cancer diagnosis and treatment. These nanomaterials have been conjugated with drugs and tumor-targeting ligands for a more efficient targeted delivery and have been also investigated as imaging agents and biosensors for the identification of cancer bio-markers. “Graphene-based materials for cancer therapy” aims at collecting full papers communications and reviews that prominently demonstrate the continuous efforts in developing advanced, graphene-based nanomaterials for cancer treatment and diagnosis.

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