

## Special Issue

# Regulation of Feeding, Metabolism and Aging by Diets, Oriental and Western Medicines

### Message from the Guest Editor

Obesity and type 2 diabetes are serious worldwide health problems, and major risk factors for cardiovascular and cerebral diseases, as well as several kinds of cancer. In addition, in modern societies, subjects with sarcopenia and/or frailty are rapidly increasing. All these diseases largely influence aging and life span. However, few effective and safe medicines are available to treat obesity, sarcopenia and/or frailty. Since these are lifestyle-related diseases with a complex range of symptoms, managing these diseases with diets and herbal medicines (oriental medicines) is a promising route of intervention. Obesity, frailty, type 2 diabetes and sarcopenia are caused and/or influenced by the imbalance of energy intake and expenditure, in which the dysregulation of feeding behavior plays a key role. In this Special Issue, we welcome manuscripts that aim to clarify dysregulated metabolism and feeding behavior in obesity, type 2 diabetes, sarcopenia, frailty and aging, and that explore how diets and oriental medicines, as well as Western medicines, prevent and/or treat these diseases. We welcome both original research and reviews.

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