

Special Issue

Multi-Target Drug Design for Complex Diseases

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For this Special Issue, our main goal is to promote open and multi-disciplinary discussion about the current and promising strategies for multi-target drug design for complex diseases, including, among other topics, experimental and theoretical/computational approaches to identify novel targets, to expand the chemical space of bioactive compounds and to design new models of complex diseases. This Special Issue will accept articles from bioinformatics and molecular pharmacology to medicinal chemistry and clinical pharmacology oriented toward the development of pharmacological therapies for complex diseases. Contributions on these topics are welcome, including original research and reviews.

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- novel therapies
- polypharmacology
- medicinal chemistry

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