## Special Issue

# X-Ray Binaries: Accretion and Compact Objects

## Message from the Guest Editors

The discovery and study of X-ray binaries has been an important branch of X-ray astronomy since its discovery. These exotic systems, consisting of a white dwarf, a neutron star, or a black hole feeding from a companion star, are generators of high-energy radiation. This Special Issue aims to consolidate recent progress and future prospects in the research area of Xray binaries from both observational and theoretical studies. Original research articles and reviews are both welcome. Research areas may include, but are not strictly limited to, the following: 1. Recent discoveries from X-ray observational studies of X-ray binaries in the Milky Way and nearby galaxies. 2. Investigations of X-ray binaries from a multi-wavelength and multi-messenger prospective. 3. Scientific prospects regarding research on X-ray binaries using the next generation of telescopes, 4. Relevant theoretical advances in the above areas in terms of astrophysics and fundamental physics.

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