

## Special Issue

# Immune Response of SARS-CoV-2 Infection

### Message from the Guest Editor

This Special Issue aims to provide an in-depth knowledge of host immune responses to SARS-CoV-2 infection. The present Special Issue invites submissions of original research articles and reviews. The areas of research areas may include (but are not limited to) the following: immune response to COVID-19 natural infection versus mRNA vaccines, immune response to COVID-19 variants in vaccinated and unvaccinated people, immune response to COVID-19 infection in people with underlying conditions, the cause of waning immunity in vaccinated people, immune response to COVID-19 in humans and animals, immune response in humans superinfected different variants.

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*Vaccines* (ISSN 2076-393X), founded in 2013, now has a firm history of publishing peer-reviewed, state-of-the-art research papers on vaccines and vaccination in the broadest sense. Areas covered include, but are not limited to, novel and emerging vaccine technologies, building on in-depth knowledge of what constitutes a protective immune response. These can be new vaccines for old diseases, or old vaccines for new diseases. Vaccines against cancer and autoimmune diseases explicitly are also within the scope of the journal. Because public opinion and even government policies towards vaccines and vaccination have changed, vaccine policy and public health issues are major concerns. Climate change will also have an impact on the spread of infectious diseases, and thus also on vaccine and vaccination policies worldwide.

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