# **Special Issue**

## Novel Technology and Vaccines Development for COVID-19

## Message from the Guest Editors

The continuous mutation of SARS-COV-2 is challenging the efficacy of applied vaccines. Therefore, it is urgently necessary to develop convenient, self-usable diagnostics or prevention tools based on mucosal technology in order to reduce side effects and increase accessibility. The fight against COVID-19 continues; therefore, it is crucial that we make progress regarding the development, improvement and effectiveness of COVID-19 vaccines. Research areas may include (but not limited to) the following:

- The progress in the designs, evaluations, and clinical trials in novel vaccines against SARS-CoV-2;
- The development of universal vaccines to overcome SARS-CoV-2 variation;
- The principles of escape neutralization caused by variation;
- The models applied to evaluate vaccines in vitro or in vivo:
- The novel tools for COVID-19 prevention and control to target immunogen sites;
- The identification of universal or new immunogen targets of SARS-CoV-2.

We look forward to receiving your contributions.

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