

## Special Issue

# α-Synuclein Amyloids & Parkinson's Disease: On Growth, Spread, and Neurodegeneration

### Message from the Guest Editor

Do certain of the α-syn fibrils intrinsic properties play a causal role in this equilibrium? Is this fibril strain-dependent? How do intermediary oligomers and secondary non-templated amyloid nucleations fit in this picture? Are phenomena of liquid-liquid phase separation involved? Do the mutations found in familial forms of PD displace this equilibrium? Are all neurons equal in that respect? Or finally, is the replication of α-syn amyloids that we identify with the spread of Lewy bodies simply a bystander phenomenon? I hope that this Special Issue of *Biomolecules* will represent an opportunity to display and confront the current positions of the different schools of thoughts on these intriguing questions.

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