## **Special Issue**

# Cell Signaling in Cancer and Cancer Therapy

## Message from the Guest Editors

One hallmark of cancer is the aberrant cell signaling which is caused by the dysregulation of signaling proteins. Hyperactivation or dysregulation of these signaling pathways can result in transformation of cellular proto-oncogenes to oncogenes. On the other hand, the inactivation of tumor suppressors eliminates important negative regulators of signaling, which results in uncontrolled cell proliferation and subsequent tumor development. The knowledge of cellular signal transduction pathways will be essential to understand the evolution of a pathological condition and the delicate balance that regulates cellular homeostasis. Recently, targeting the component of cell signaling in cancer has emerged as the most prominent aspect of cancer treatment. In this Special Issue, we invite all papers that study the cell signaling underlying any aspects of cancer development. Research on the signaling pathway behind cancer therapies including targeted, immune, radiation and chemo-therapy are also welcomed. This Special Issue invites both original research articles as well as reviews, commentaries, and perspectives that cover all aspects of signal transduction.

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