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## Proteomic and Genomic Profiling of Pancreatic Cancer

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### Message from the Guest Editor

Dear Colleagues,

Pancreatic cancer is one of the deadliest forms of cancer, with a 5-year survival rate of 10%. The most common treatment for pancreatic cancer is surgery and chemotherapy; however, to date, both strategies have had limited success. To combat pancreatic cancer, in recent years, a significant amount of attention has been paid to immunotherapy and personalized medicine. PD1 therapy and presently available CART therapies are failing to treat pancreatic cancer, and there is a pressing need to collect more clinical biomarkers for the development of new therapeutic targets for personalized medicine. In the age of high-throughput techniques, genomics and proteomics in particular have had a significant impact on identifying mutations in oncogenes such as KRAS and other relevant new biomarkers for chemotherapy and immunotherapy. Using the current understanding of immunotherapy, genomics and proteomics analysis of pancreatic cancer patient samples will lead to the discovery of new targets that will help in the development of novel therapeutics.

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