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# The Cellular and Molecular Mechanisms of Both Food Bioactives and Pathogens in Living Organisms

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## Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

Current research in molecular nutrition and toxicology aims to investigate the physiological role of nutrients and food bioactives on human health status, directed specifically at molecular and cellular levels. Many nutrients and dietary bioactives exert cellular effects by interacting with signal transduction mechanisms. Similarly, factors that can control the onset of food-borne pathogens involve molecular homoestatic processes. Elucidating the mechanisms that underly the activities of nutrients, food bioactives and/or pathogens at the molecular level has become recognized as a first principle to understand how physiological function is modified to prevent disease and food-borne illness.

This Special Issue invites the submission focused on novel findings in:

The molecular-cellular mechanisms that involve genenutrient interactions and the prevention of disease;

The use of toxins as informative tools with which to study signal transduction and usage as potential therapeutics;

The molecular mechanisms involved in the action of foodborne pathogens with emphasis on the detection and prevention of food-related illnesses.







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