



Major Histocompatibility Complex (MHC)

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The role of HLA genes and molecules, as well as the entire MHC gene region, is crucial in histocompatibility, infections and autoimmune diseases. While the knowledge on the immense variation in MHC inside and between populations has grown, the use of novel DNA- and cell molecular-technologies have become feasible and cost-effective. A Special Issue on the “Major Histocompatibility Complex” in the *International Journal of Molecular Sciences* is therefore much warranted and timely. The Special Issue on MHC is now open to receive manuscripts on all aspects of this highly variable genomic region with particular emphasis on recent advances in the role of variation outside of the classical HLA class I and II polymorphism, both in disease susceptibility and histocompatibility. We are honored to have been invited to be guest editors for this issue and look forward to reading your contributions on MHC-related research.





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