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Biofilm Inhibitors of Marine Origin

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Message from the Guest Editor

Dear Colleagues,

Marine natural products have recently received increased attention as a source of lead compounds for drug discovery. Many of these compounds are anti-biofilm agents that may play a role in the field of antibacterial drug discovery. These compounds are identified based on bioactivity screens of marine natural products and their mode of action is generally unknown at the time of discovery. Discerning their mode of action is a critical step in their further development as potential drugs. This Special Issue focuses on such marine derived natural products or their analogs that are inhibitors or disruptors of biofilm. The coverage includes the biological activities of the lead compounds, discovery of their mode of action and their potential use in drug discovery. We aim to publish original research articles and review articles in this Special Issue.

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