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# **Botanicals: Bioactive Molecules and Therapeutic Properties for Human Health 2021**

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Modern scientific techniques have enabled scientists to quantify the active components found in herbal remedies. Medicinal chemists utilize various approaches, including chemical synthesis, molecular modeling, and structure-based drug design to improve the physiochemical properties, desired bioactivity, and metabolic degradation of drug leads. Medicinal chemistry research also provides new knowledge about the mode of action of drug leads.

This Special Issue aims to highlight the consumption and safety of botanicals, and scientific approaches available to uncover botanicals and their analogs with therapeutic potential. For this Special Issue, we are inviting research articles on the following topics: (a) benefits and safety of nutraceuticals, (b) isolation of new structural classes of botanicals, (c) chemical synthesis of botanicals and derivatives, and (d) medicinal chemistry and biological evaluation of botanicals. We are also extending the invitation to experts from the abovementioned areas of research to contribute review articles to this Special Issue.

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