



Recent Advances in the Development of Hybrid Drugs

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Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

Hybrid drug development is a research field that is currently expanding. For a wide community of researchers around the world, the combination of two or more pharmacophores and/or drug-directing moieties in the same molecule is an attractive strategy for the design of new compounds with optimized pharmacodynamic profiles, and has already delivered promising results in the contexts of multidrug-resistant cancers, emerging antimicrobial-resistant bacteria, and others.

Because of its undeniable potential, more and more researchers are integrating molecular hybridization into their strategic drug development approaches. Hence, this Special Issue of *Pharmaceutics* welcomes original research articles, communications and review articles dedicated to major advancements, breakthroughs and challenges in the design, synthesis and biological evaluation of organic, inorganic and organometallic hybrid drugs. Medicinal chemists working across all therapeutic areas are encouraged to contribute with research or literature overviews on this topic.

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