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## **Genetics of Blood Disorders**

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# **Message from the Guest Editor**

The study of the genetic basis of blood disorders has been at the forefront of medical genetics since the work of Alexander Maksimov in 1909, who postulated the clonal nature of hematopoiesis. The hematopoietic system is a unique object for the study of both germinal factors leading to various hereditary diseases and somatic mutations associated with malignancies. In connection with the development of targeted therapy approaches, the study of the molecular basis of blood diseases and the search for and characterization of appropriate genetic targets for therapeutic intervention are becoming increasingly important.

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