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Miscellaneous

Research Interests

- 1) Development of antivirals
- 2) Next-generation sequencing: Comparative genomics
- 3) Virus-host interaction: Virology, Immunology, Epidemiology
- 4) Metagenomic analysis of virome

Patents

- 1) Composition for detecting Hepatitis A virus comprising multiplex primer set, kit for diagnosing Hepatitis A and method for obtaining Hepatitis A virus whole genome sequence (Patent number: 10-2207348)
- 2) Hantavirus Whole Genome Sequence Identification Methods Using a Multiplex PCR-based Next-Generation Sequencing and Uses Thereof (Patent number: 10-1815105)

Community activities

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