High dimensional immune profiling of 2D materials: applications for human health

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Abstract

We depicted the "Nano-immunity-by-design" where the characterization of 2D materials is not solely based on their physical-chemical parameters but also on their immuneprofiling. [1] The immune-profiling can be revealed on its complexity by unique, informative ways: high dimensional approaches. [2,3] We exploited high-dimensional approaches, such as single-cell mass cytometry and imaging mass cytometry on graphene and other novel two dimensional materials, such as transition metal carbides/carbonitrides (MXenes). [4-6] We revealed that the amino-functionalization of graphene oxide increased immunocompatibility. [4] Moreover, we combined graphene with AgInS2 nanocrystals, enabling its detection by single-cell mass cytometry on a large variety of primary immune cells. [5] Recently, we reported the immune modulation of specific MXenes, and their labelfree detection by single-cell mass cytometry and other high dimensional approaches. [6-7] Together with our published works, I will present unpublished results on a wider variety of novel 2D materials, MXenes, MoS₂, WS₂, and bismuthene. Our results conceptualize that chemical and immnuological designs of 2D materials offer new strategies for their safe exploitation in biomedicine.

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