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Stellingen

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1. Fluorescently labeled reporter cell lines in combination with high throughput live cell confocal microscopy and microRNA mimics allow the discovery of all microRNAs that modulate activation of stress response pathways. *This thesis.*
2. High throughput HepG2 Nrf2 pathway reporter cell line data in combination with transcriptomics data from HepG2 cells and PHH, provides valuable mechanistic information on mode-of-action of structurally similar chemicals for application in biological read across. *This thesis.*
3. MicroRNAs can be used both as dynamic biomarkers of exposure or disease and for therapeutic approaches. *This thesis.*
4. Fundamental understanding of the cellular responses to repeating dosing scenarios provides valuable information concerning the dynamics of a stress response pathway. *This thesis.*
5. Since the antioxidant versus pro-oxidant behavior of phenolic compounds would determine their overall effects regarding oxidative stress, this duality must be carefully explored to properly design efficient strategies against oxidative stress. *Based on Castañeda-Arriaga et al., 2018, Journal of Physical Chemistry.*
6. Advancement in isolation and measurement techniques are key for the future success of microRNA based biomarkers. *Based on Cai et al., 2021, Nature Communications.*
7. More sophisticated cell models are required to be able to perform long-term repeated exposure scenarios. *Based on Hatherell et al., 2020, Toxicological Sciences.*
8. Adding a "tissue specific" microRNA like miR-122 to a biomarker panel increases the specificity of that panel for liver injury. *Based on Llewellyn et al., 2021, Toxicological Sciences.*
9. As all biological processes are logical, the fact that a process seems illogical implies that one does not grasp the complete picture.
10. MicroRNAs fulfil the same role as co-promoters: they fine-tune the process.
11. In both repeated exposure experiments and doing a PhD-study, the length of the recovery phase has a major impact on the outcome.