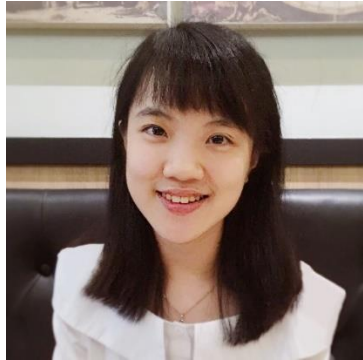




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<p>Hepatocellular carcinoma (HCC) is a major global health problem. Apart from surgical intervention, current treatments are ineffective for most patients. Natural killer (NK) cell-based immunotherapy is a promising alternative which harnesses the ability of activated NK cells to spontaneously kill a wide spectrum of tumour cells. My study aims to investigate the molecular signals that regulate NK cell activity and effector functionality within the HCC tumour microenvironment. Hopefully this may bring novel perspectives in NK cell-mediated immunotherapy to help improve treatment outcomes of HCC patients.</p>		
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