

Engineering Synthetic Signalling Pathways with Programmable dCas9-Based Chimeric Receptors

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He developed a novel class of chimeric receptors that leverage the highly programmable nuclease-deficient CRISPR/Cas9 (dCas9) as universal signal transduction module. Such dCas9-based synthetic receptors provide a powerful experimental tool for the generation of designer cells capable of monitoring the environment, sensing specific input signals, and executing diverse custom response programmes for therapeutic purposes.

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