



**PEER-REVIEW REPORT**

**Name of journal:** World Journal of Gastrointestinal Oncology

**Manuscript NO:** 46768

**Title:** Premalignant lesions and gastric cancer: current understanding

**Reviewer's code:** 02440884

**Reviewer's country:** Germany

**Science editor:** Fang-Fang Ji

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		<input type="checkbox"/> Rejection	<input type="checkbox"/> General
			<input type="checkbox"/> No expertise
			Conflicts-of-Interest:
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

**SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

The review summarizes the most important facts about premalignant lesions and development of gastric cancer. The focus is given on pathophysiological aspects. Comments 1. The review needs appropriate illustration. A composition of histological images is necessary to illustrate the findings to the reader. 2. Pathways of



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neuroendocrine differentiation in metaplasia and atrophy should be shortly addressed.  
3. The paragraph "Cellular and molecular pathways of progression" gives not the pathways of interest. There is substantial re-writing necessary with annotation of the different molecular pathways of interest. A scheme should be given. 4. abbreviation BO is introduced twice

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**SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

The authors have reviewed good studies for "Premalignant lesions and Gastric Cancer: current understanding" and have submitted a well-written manuscript. It has great value in understanding the role of premalignant lesion in the development of gastric cancer.



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**SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

This is a good review on an important topic. It can be accepted.

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