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**Title:** The prognostic value of a novel serum tumor biomarkers scoring system for clinical Stage II/III rectal cancer patients undergoing neoadjuvant chemoradiotherapy followed by total mesorectal excision

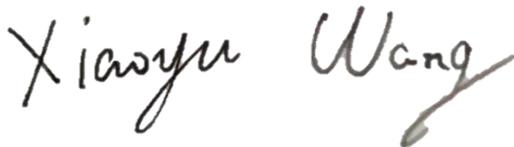
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Because of retrospective study signed informed consent form is not needed. However, West China Hospital, Sichuan University has given permission to conduct this study.

Sincerely yours.

Xiaoyu Wang

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Xiaoyu Wang". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a long tail on the final stroke of the "g".