



**PEER-REVIEW REPORT**

**Name of journal:** World Journal of Gastroenterology

**Manuscript NO:** 40088

**Title:** Potential involvement of heat shock proteins in PDX1-mediated effects on the genesis of gastric cancer: a 2D gel-based proteomic study

**Reviewer’s code:** 03017551

**Reviewer’s country:** Poland

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

**SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

First - the authors wanted to identify functional proteins involved in PDX1- mediated gastric carcinogenesis. Second - the authors used modern methods of research (the proteomics). Third - this study demonstrated the important role of HSPs in gastric



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It could be useful to set up a table reporting the results of the Authors cited in the Discussion,



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Its a very interesting article dealing with carcinogenesis in gastric cancer. The role of heat shock porteiens is very well explained and provides intersting information in depth of their role in carcinogenesis.



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