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Comments to the Author

This is a timely and authoritative review that will be of interest to a range of investigators. I have no substantive concerns.

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Comments to the Author

Systems biology approaches of a holistic nature are having a profound impact on the analysis of biological systems and their interconnections. This is particularly evident in complex systems such as the immune system, where the outcome of a specific stimulus or perturbation requires integration of multiple signals. In this manuscript, the authors review how systems biology approaches and "omics" technologies have shaped and enabled discoveries in immunology, using as an example the gains that have been made in the study of the role of the nuclear receptor PPAR γ in the biology of macrophages and dendritic cells.

The review is broad and comprehensive. The authors identify the key studies that have contributed to advancements in the field and, in this context, they highlight the ones that have used “omics” approaches. Although the Nagy group performed many of the seminal studies, there is no abundance of self-citation. The bibliography is extensive and unbiased. In summary, this is a timely contribution that provides a good overview of the benefits of using higher-order analysis.

The manuscript flows logically and is not difficult to understand, but it could certainly benefit from editing from a native speaker, as it does contain grammatical mistakes and typos, and incorrect or awkward constructions or word choices. For example, the second part of the title does not make sense.