



## Current Trends in Vascular and Endovascular Surgery

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### Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

Recent publications on peripheral arterial disease as well as on aortic pathologies, have influenced the daily decisions made in vascular medicine. The guidelines have been updated to consider the concepts of an ageing population and palliative care. In addition, new technologies including imaging 3D fusion techniques and intraoperative ultrasound broaden the armamentarium, especially in the field of endovascular surgery. New techniques such as the further development of available stent grafts, as well as endovenous ablation and thrombectomy in acute and chronic conditions are coming to the forefront. So-called orphan diseases such as pelvic venous disorder and vascular malformations demand our attention. There are many new findings and techniques within vascular medicine presently; additionally, strategies that were thought to be outdated are experiencing a renaissance in their assessment. Furthermore, new options have been opened up in the treatment of chronic wounds.

In this Special Issue, we welcome authors to submit papers focused on all of these, and more, abovementioned areas to highlight the current and new trends in vascular and endovascular surgery.





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