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Animal Models for the Study of Cardiovascular Physiology—Second Edition

Message from the Guest Editor

Cardiovascular diseases, which include coronary heart disease, cerebrovascular disease, rheumatic heart disease, peripheral vascular disease, and other conditions, represent the leading cause of death worldwide. Stroke and ischemic diseases are also consequences of hypertension. Since there are several behavioral risk factors for cardiovascular diseases, such as unhealthy diet, physical inactivity, tobacco consumption, and harmful use of alcohol, associated with hypertension, diabetes, and excess weight, the treatment for these pathologies can be very complex. Therefore, a deeper understanding of the disease mechanisms could significantly contribute to more effective treatment and to a reduction in premature deaths from cardiovascular diseases. Animal models are useful as they represent the main strategy for exploring the different mechanisms involved in cardiovascular diseases. This Special Issue invites you and your colleagues to share your expertise and knowledge by submitting original research articles, systematic reviews, and review articles that report new ideas and recent advances on this topic.

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