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Cardiovascular disease is the leading cause of death worldwide, and the world's population is not only affected by its mortality, but we all have to live with the consequences of such cardiovascular diseases, which lead to disability, impairment, and a reduced quality of life. Despite the great progress achieved in the field of cardiovascular medicine and in cardiac surgery in particular, more research is needed to further improve our patients' treatment and quality of life. We look forward to receiving your high-quality original research articles, reviews, and communications to explore and share the state of the art in the field.

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