

## Special Issue

# Advanced Cardiovascular Imaging in Cardiomyopathy

### Message from the Guest Editor

Accurate characterization of Cardiomyopathies is critical for differential diagnosis, risk stratification, and therapy guidance. This Special Issue seeks to bridge gaps between clinical imaging, pathophysiological understanding, and emerging therapeutics in cardiomyopathy care. Submissions from multidisciplinary teams and collaborative networks are especially encouraged. We welcome original research, state-of-the-art reviews, and perspectives that specifically address the following:

- **Phenotypic diversity of cardiomyopathies:** Insights into the genetic, morphological, and functional spectrum of cardiomyopathies, including hypertrophic, dilated, non-dilated left ventricular, arrhythmogenic right ventricular, and restrictive phenotypes.
- **Multimodality approach:** Contributions demonstrating the complementary roles of echocardiography, cardiac magnetic resonance, computed tomography, and nuclear imaging in diagnosis and disease staging.
- **Therapeutic implications:** Studies showcasing how imaging informs personalized treatment strategies, from pharmacological tailored interventions to device therapy, and enables precise monitoring of treatment response.

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The primary goal of the *Journal of Cardiovascular Development and Disease* (*JCDD*, ISSN 2308-3425) is to provide cardiovascular scientists a platform to publish their work in a quick and efficient way. Topics can range from studies designed to decipher the events underlying early heart development to studies focusing on the origins of congenital and acquired heart disease. Papers submitted to *JCDD* undergo a fast, yet thorough, peer-review process. In this process, we will apply strict ethical policies and standards. *JCDD* guarantees fast dissemination of results to a large scientific audience.

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