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Associate Editor
Cuilan Li, Ph.D, associate professor is now working in Cardiology Department, Peking University People’s Hospital, Beijing, China, as a Senior Research Scientist and Chief of Basic Research Lab of the Department. She has engaged in the basic research of cardiac electrophysiology for 20 years and published about 80 papers. She is currently involved in the projects on gene screening of long QT syndrome and other channelopathies. She is an international recognized research scientist and in charge of the National Channelopathy Registry in China.

Associate Editor
Yujie Zhu, Ph.D. a Senior Member of IEEE, is a recognized scientist in cardiac electrophysiology and biomedical engineering. He is currently working in Division of Cardiovascular Disease, University of Alabama at Birmingham, USA. He serves as a reviewer for several prestigious international cardiovascular journals. He received several awards. He has authored and co-authored numerous papers. Dr. Zhu’s research interests include electrophysiological properties of cardiac ion channels, mechanisms of arrhythmia, and application of biomedical engineering in cardiovascular diseases.
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<td>Jianjun Zhang, M.D. &amp; Ph.D., Professor of Medicine, Director, Section on Cardiology of West Campus of Affiliated Chaoyang Hospital of Capital University of Medical Science. Prof. Zhang is accomplished in electrophysiology and interventional therapy. He is a current council member for Beijing Division of Chinese Medical Association. Presently he serves as editorial board member for <em>Chinese Journal of Cardiac Pacing and Electrophysiology</em> and <em>Chinese Journal for clinicians</em>.</td>
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<td>Jun-Hua Wang, M.D. and Ph.D., Cardiologist, Vice-Director of the Department of Cardiology, Air Force General Hospital, Beijing, China. In his 20 years Cardiology practice, he published about 30 articles in peer-reviewed, national or international professional journals. He possesses ample experience in diagnosis and treatment of cardiovascular disease with emphasis on interventional therapy of arrhythmia and coronary artery disease. As the Principle Investigator of Air Force General Hospital branch, Dr. Wang had taken part in ONTARGET/ TRANSCEND, an international, large scale, multi-center evidence-based medicine study.</td>
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<td>Dr. Ren Wenlin, M.D. &amp; M.M, cardiac chief physician, presently, he serves as the chief in Cardiovascular Center, Beijing Chuiyangliu Hospital, Beijing, P.R.China. More than 26 years clinical practice in cardiology, he has authored over 30 publications, and contributed over 6 book chapters.</td>
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<td>Elizabeth Gilbert, Ph.D., Postdoctoral Research Associate in the Department of Animal and Poultry Sciences at Virginia Tech. Her research interests include comparative nutrition, protein and amino acid metabolism, nutrient transporters, type 2 diabetes and pancreatic beta cell regeneration, flavonoids as nutraceuticals, cell proliferation and apoptosis signaling pathways. Dr. Elizabeth Gilbert was one of the recipients of the 2009 Milton L. Sunde Award from the American Society for Nutrition for outstanding experimental, applied or fundamental research in nutrition that uses an avian species.</td>
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Cedric Viero, Ph.D, Research Associate of Department of Cardiology, Wales Heart Research Institute, School of Medicine, Cardiff University, UK. Dr. Cedric Viero specializes in ion channel, calcium signaling and cardiac electrophysiology. He is a current member of the Working Group on Cardiac Cellular Electrophysiology, European Society of Cardiology. In his cardiovascular basic research career, he has authored more than 20 publications. Recently, he served as editor for several peer-reviewed, international professional journals.

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Guang-Zhen Zhong, M.D. & Ph.D, associate professor, working (clinical, teaching, and scientific research) in Beijing Chao-Yang Hospital, Capital Medical University, has been engaged in Cardiology for about 12 years. She published several papers on “J Hypert” “Life Sci”, “Heart and vessels”, “Int J Cardio” and so on. She gave an oral presentation on AHA Scientific Symposium in 2008. She achieved quite a few grants from government.

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Dr. Guang Yang, M.D. & Ph.D, currently serves as postdoctoral fellow in Vascular Biology Center in Medical College of Georgia, Augusta, Georgia USA. He also serves as reviewers for several professional journals. Dr. Yang’s medical background, including two years of clinical experience, together with 8 years genetic and physiological studies, has contributed to the cardiovascular biology research. In the last 10 years, Dr. Yang has authored over 20 publications and presented his works in international meetings.

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Alok Kumar Singh, M.D & DM, Senior resident in cardiology, in CHATRAPATI SAHU JI MAHARAJ MEDICAL UNIVERSITY Lucknow India. More than 6 year in cardiology, He has about authored 20 publications and contributed 4 book chapters. He had been appointed as assistant editor of journal of clinical and diagnostic research for 2010. He has special interest in interventional cardiology and coronary artery disease, heart failure and rheumatic heart disease.

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Dr. Xianming Zhang, Ph.D., a research associate in Department of Pharmacology at University of Illinois at Chicago, has engaged research in experimental medicine about ten years and authorized over 20 papers in prestigious professional journals. His current research focuses on exploring the roles of kallikrein-kinin and rennin-angiotensin system in cardiovascular pathophysiology by investigating interaction among proteins of both systems. Recently Dr. Zhang was awarded fellowship by American Heart Association due to his series of interesting findings.
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Yohanes Buang, PhD, attending vessel blood maintenance and the regulation of metabolism disorders. He has authored many publication related to the disorders of metabolism. He also serves as a reviewer for some international professional journals. Recently, he focuses his work on vessel blood chemicals and the disorders generated on Department of Chemistry, Faculty of Science and Engineering, Nusa Cendana University, Indonesia.

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Jibin Zhou, M.D. & Ph.D. Dr. Zhou’s focused on the regulation of normal and stress-induced cardiomyocyte hypertrophy. Specifically, he studies the signal transduction pathways that regulate growth responses, focusing on protein kinase cascades. He has studied the role of glycogen synthase kinase-3 alpha and beta. Additionally, he has recently identified a novel mechanism by which oxidant stress may signal cell death via a SOK1/14-3-3zeta/ASK1 cascade.

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Kai Shen, Ph.D. in Chemistry. He is currently a research associate in the Department of Biochemistry and Biophysics of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. With research expertise across the areas of hypertension, molecular cardiology and vascular medicine, his publications extend from biochemistry to nanotechnology and have been cited over 100 times. He also serves as a reviewer and member of editorial board for professional journals.
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**Xuan Gao** (Biophysics, Boston University) Her Ph.D. work is to determine effects of curvature, protein composition and oxidation on structural stability and functional remodeling of human plasma HDL. These works were published in 3 peer reviewed papers, and presented in 9 international conferences. She was invited for platform talks by OPTM (2006, 2008) and Protein Society (2009). She is recipient of a Young Investigator Award from Kern Aspen Lipid Conference.

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