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MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

January 2021

President's Message

Despite the second COVID-19 wave affecting mainly Western countries, 2021 brought the hope of vaccines against the SARS-Covid2! The big challenge at the moment however is access to the fruit of the amazing work of dedicated scientists and clinical investigators from all over the world. We as health professionals, academics, and scientists must support the vaccination programs and extensively combat misinformation and anti-VAX movements. Only vaccination will bring our old lives back! Despite this, it's important to emphasize that atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease persists as the number one cause of death and disability and we all must continue doing our daily work against it.



*Raul D. Santos, MD,
MSC, PhD
President, IAS*

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The Latest Programs and Projects

[2021 PSH-PLSA Annual Convention](#)

[4th Big Sky Cardiology Update 2021](#)

Asia-Pacific Consensus Statement on the Management of Peripheral Artery Disease published in the [Journal of Atherosclerosis and Thrombosis](#). Also available as a [Pocket Guide for Doctors](#), [Pocket Guide for Smart Phones](#), and [patient information](#).

[Lipid Association of India Expert Consensus Statement on Management of Dyslipidemia in Indians 2020: Part III](#)

[Come & Join the FCS project: a service evaluation and quality improvement project. For more information see the cover letter and the data collection form.](#)

[Circulatory Health and COVID-19 Webinar – A Global Coalition Webinar Series](#)

XIX International Symposium on Atherosclerosis 2021

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XIX International Symposium
on Atherosclerosis
October 24–27, 2021 • Kyoto, Japan

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Two outstanding Prizes in Atherosclerosis Research will be awarded:

- [Antonio M. Gotto, Jr. Prize](#)
- [Jean Charles Fruchart Prize](#)



Antonio M. Gotto, Jr Prize in Atherosclerosis Research

The International Atherosclerosis Society
is very pleased to announce the

The aim of the Gotto Prize is to encourage basic, clinical, and translational research in areas relating to the causes, prevention, and treatment of cardiovascular disease globally by being awarded to an individual who has achieved these goals and continues to work towards that end.

The award recipient will have provided outstanding scientific, medical, or organizational advancement in our ability to understand the causes and to reduce the development of atherosclerosis.

We value your suggestions of candidates for this prestigious award which will be presented during the upcoming

**XIX International Symposium
on Atherosclerosis
Kyoto, Japan, October 24-27, 2021**

Please send your nomination along with the candidate's CV and a letter in support of your candidate to the Nominating Committee for its consideration to

GottoPrize@athero.org
by Monday May 31, 2021

Past winners of
this prize have been

Helen H. Hobbs, MD (2012)
M. John Chapman, PhD, DSc (2015)
Daniel J. Rader, MD (2018)

The \$ 20,000 Prize is
sponsored by
Weill Cornell Medical College
and the International
Atherosclerosis Society



The International Atherosclerosis Society and the R3i Foundation
are very pleased to announce the

Jean-Charles Fruchart Prize in Nuclear Receptors and Atherosclerosis Research

The aim of the Fruchart Prize is to encourage basic, clinical and translational research in the areas relating to the role of nuclear receptors in the prevention and treatment of cardiovascular diseases. The prize will be awarded to an individual who has achieved these goals and continues to work towards that end.

The award recipient will have provided outstanding scientific medical, or organizational advancement in our ability to understand the functional involvement of nuclear receptors in atherosclerotic vascular disease and their athero-protective role to reduce the development of atherosclerosis.

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fruchartprize@athero.org
by Tuesday June 15, 2021



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**The 3rd Wael Al-Mahmeed & IAS
Research Training Grants
and Fellowships for the MENA Region
& Africa**



More information on the Wael Grants and Fellowships will be coming soon

MEMBER SOCIETY MEETINGS



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7-part video series

Program Directors: Jennifer Robinson and Raul Santos

An online activity in the IAS Education Center



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The Residual Cardiovascular Risk Summit**

Dubai, February 21-22, 2020



Featuring 13 Expert Presentations

Program Directors:

Raul Santos, MD

Khalid Al-Rasadi, MD

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