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## Curriculum Vitae

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### EDUCATION:

**University**

School of Pharmacy, University of Patras, Patras, Greece; 1985-1989. Degree: B. Pharm

**Graduate:**

Department of Pharmacology and Toxicology, Medical College of Georgia, USA; 1990-1994; Degree: Ph.D. in Pharmacology

**Postdoctoral:**

Vascular Biology Center, Medical College of Georgia, USA; 1994-1995

Boyer Center for Molecular Medicine, Yale University School of Medicine; 1995-1998

### ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS:

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| 1999-2003:   | Assistant Professor of Pharmacology, School of Nursing, University of Athens, Greece                |
| 2003-2009    | Associate Professor of Molecular Pharmacology, Department of Pharmacy, University of Patras, Greece |
| 2009-2013    | Professor of Pharmacology, Department of Pharmacy, University of Patras, Greece                     |
| 2013-present | Professor of Pharmacology, Department of Pharmacy, University of Athens, Greece                     |

### ADJUNCT APPOINTMENTS & VISITING PROFESSORSHIPS:

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| 1999-2001:    | Visiting Professor, Department of Pharmacology, Yale University School of Medicine, USA   |
| 2000-2008:    | Group Leader, "G. P. Livanos" Laboratory, Dept of Critical Care and Pulmonary Services, University of Athens School of Medicine, Greece |
| 2003-present: | Adjunct faculty, Hellenic Open University, Greece   |
| 7-8/2007:     | Visiting Professor, University of Dentistry and Medicine New Jersey, USA  |
| 2008-present: | Adjunct Professor, Department of Medicine, McGill University, Canada  |

- 2-6/2011: Visiting Professor, Biomedical Research Foundation of the Academy of Athens, Greece  
2011-2013: Honorary Professor, Department of Pharmacology, University of Maastricht, The Netherlands  
2011-present Adjunct Professor, Department of Anesthesiology University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, USA  
2012-present: Affiliated Investigator, Biomedical Research Foundation of the Academy of Athens, Greece

**Administrative appointments and other activities:**

- 2003-2007 Elected Member of the Board, Greek Society for Pharmacology  
2013-2015 Greek Society for Pharmacology, President  
2006-2013 Director, Lab for Molecular Pharmacology, University of Patras  
2005-2009 and  
2011-2013 Vice Chairman, Department of Pharmacy, University of Patras  
2007 National Delegate, European Medicines Agency, Pediatric Committee  
2007-present European Medicines Agency expert  
2009-present Pharmacopoeia Committee, National Drug Agency (Greece)  
2010-2013 Graduate Program Director, Department of Pharmacy, University of Patras  
2011-2015 European Network on Gasotransmitters, Chair

**Institutional Committees:**

- 2010-2013 Internal Accreditation and Evaluation Committee (Department of Pharmacy)  
2009-2011 Member (substitute) of the University of Patras Research Committee governing body

**LICENSURES:** Board Certified in Pharmacy, Athens, Greece, 1990

**EDITORIAL BOARD MEMBER:** Vascular Pharmacology (1998-2010)  
British Journal of Pharmacology (2009-present)  
Arteriosclerosis, Thrombosis and Vascular Biology (2010-present)  
Journal of Pharmacology & Experimental Therapeutics (2012-present)

**AWARDS & HONORS**

- 1988 Award from the Greek National Scholarship Foundation  
1992-94 Scholarships from the American Hellenic Education Progressive Association  
1994 Ph.D. in Pharmacology with Distinction, Medical College of Georgia  
1996-98 Fellow of the Patrick and Catherine Weldon Donaghue Medical Foundation  
2011 Fellow of the American Heart Association  
2012 Fellow of the British Pharmacological Society

**REVIEWER in peer reviewed journals:**

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| Acta Pharmacologica Sinica                                 | American Journal of Respiratory Cell and Molecular Biology |
| American Journal of Pathology                              | Arteriosclerosis, Thrombosis, Vascular Biology             |
| American Journal of Physiology                             | Biochemical Biophysical Acta                               |
| American Journal of Respiratory and Critical Care Medicine | Biochemical Pharmacology                                   |
|  | Biochemistry and Cell Biology                              |

BMC Cell Biology	<b>Journal of Biological Chemistry</b>
British Journal of Pharmacology	Journal of Cellular and Molecular Medicine
Cancer Letters	<b>Journal of Clinical Investigation</b>
Cardiovascular Drugs and Therapy	Journal of Medicinal Chemistry
Cardiovascular Research	Journal of Molecular Endocrinology
Cellular Biochemistry and Biophysics	Journal of Molecular Medicine
<b>Circulation</b>	Journal of Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics
<b>Circulation Research</b>	Journal of Pharmacy and Pharmacology
Current Medicinal Chemistry	Journal of Thrombosis and Haemostasis
Current Pharmaceutical Design	Journal of Vascular Research
Cytokine	Life Sciences
European Respiratory Journal	Molecular Pharmacology
Expert Opinion on Investigational Drugs	<b>Nature Chemical Biology</b>
FASEB Journal	Nitric Oxide
FEBS Letters	<b>Oncogene</b>
Free Radical Biology & Medicine	Pharmacological Research
General Pharmacology	PLoSone
Hepatology	Proceedings of the Society for Experimental Biology and Medicine
International Journal of Cardiology	Trends in Immunology
International Journal of Biochemistry and Cell Biology	
Journal of Applied Physiology	

### **REVIEWER (granting agencies)**

Greek Secretariat of Research and Technology, (2003, 2010)  
Associazione Italiana per la Ricerca sul Cancro (Italy), 2004  
National Medical Research Council (Singapore), 2005-2007, 2009  
Health Research Board (Ireland), 2005  
Greek Scholarship Foundation, 2006  
Medical Research Council (UK), 2006  
University of Gent, Belgium, 2009  
French National Research Agency (2011, 2012)  
Romanian National Council for Scientific Research, 2012  
Czech Science Foundation, 2012  
Research Foundation-Flanders, Belgium, 2013

### **CONFERENCE ORGANIZER, SESSION CHAIR**

3<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on cGMP, cGMP: generators, effectors and therapeutic implications, Dresden, 2007, **Session Chair**  
4<sup>th</sup> International Conference on cGMP, cGMP: generators, effectors and therapeutic implications, Regensburg, 2009, **Poster Session Moderator**  
British Pharmacological Society, 2011 Winter Meeting, London **Symposium Organizer**  
5<sup>th</sup> International Conference on cGMP, cGMP: generators, effectors and therapeutic implications, Halle, 2011, **Session Chair**  
1<sup>st</sup> European Conference on hydrogen sulphide, Smolenice, Slovakia 2012, **International Advisory Board**  
5<sup>th</sup> BBBB International Conference, From Drug Discovery and Formulation Strategies to Pharmacokinetic-Pharmacodynamics, Athens Greece 2013, **Local Organizing Committee**

2<sup>st</sup> European Conference on the biology of hydrogen sulphide, Exeter, UK 2013, **International Advisory Board**

6<sup>th</sup> International Conference on cGMP, cGMP: generators, effectors and therapeutic implications, Erfurt, 2013, **Session Chair**

**REVIEWER (book publisher)**

Springer Science and Business Media

**Teaching activities**

**Undergraduate**

1. 2013-present: Course Director for the courses “Pharmacology I” and “Pharmacology II” for pharmacy students, Department of Pharmacy, School of Health Sciences, University of Athens (fifth and sixth semesters)
2. 2003-2013: “Molecular Pharmacology I” and “Molecular Pharmacology II” for Pharmacy students (ninth and tenth semesters), at the University of Patras. Since 2008 the two courses have been unified and are taught as one (Molecular Pharmacology)
3. 1998-2013: Course Director for the courses “Pharmacology I” and “Pharmacology II” for students of the School of Nursing (second and third semesters), at the University of Athens (1998-2003) and for students of the School of Pharmacy (fifth and sixth semesters) at the University of Patras (2004-present)
4. Lectures on anti-coagulant drugs to third year students in the School of Nursing at the Medical College of Georgia (1994-1995)

**Graduate**

Selected lectures for the following courses: “Biochemical basis of drug action”, “Advanced molecular pharmacology”, “Pathophysiology and pharmacology of angiogenesis”, “In vitro and In vivo systems used to study the mechanisms of drug actions”.

**Graduate students and postdoctoral fellows trained:**

*Postdoctoral Fellows*

Xagorari Aggeliki, Ph.D. 1999-2001

Roula Andreopoulos, Ph.D. 1999-2000

Zongmin Zhou, Ph.D. 2001-present

Davina Simoes, Ph.D. 2003-2010

Panagiota Stamatiou, Ph.D., 2006-2007

Tania Pyriochou, Ph.D. 2003-2010

Antonia Marazioti, Ph.D 2007-2011

Panagiotis Panopoulos, Ph.D., 2011-present

Chrisitna Malavaki, PhD, 2012-present

Vasilis Kotsikoris, PhD, 2012-present

Kostantinos Glynnos MD, PhD, 2012-present

*Graduate Students*

Ioanna Kosmidou, MD, 1998-2002 (Ph.D. awarded 2002)

Kostantinos Glynnos MD, 2000-2007 (Ph.D. awarded 2007)

Christina Gerassimou, M.Sc., 2002-2007 (Ph.D. awarded 2007)

Stelios Tsikos, MD, 2001-2007, (Ph.D. awarded 2007)  
Vicky Koika, MSc., 2004-2010 (Ph.D. awarded 2010)  
George Haramis, MD, 2006-2013 (Ph.D. awarded 2013)  
Bukar Umaru, MSc, DVM, 2010-present  
Antonia Asimakopoulou, MSc, 2012-present

*Thesis Review (International)*

Martina Monti, University of Siena, Italy (2008)  
Eelke Bos, University of Groningen, The Netherlands (2013)

*MSc Students*

Anastasios Koukaliotis (MSc awarded 2008)  
Antonia Asimakopoulou (MSc awarded 2012)  
Sofia-Iris Bibli (MSc awarded 2013)

**MEMBERSHIP IN SOCIETIES:**

American Association for the Advancement of Science (1999)  
American Heart Association (2007)  
American Society for Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (2004)  
American Society for Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics (1993)  
American Physiological Society (2010)  
British Society for Pharmacology (2003)  
European Vascular Biology Organization (2011)  
North American Vascular Biology Organization (1996)  
Southeastern Pharmacology Society (1991)  
Greek Pharmacological Society (1998)  
Greek Union of Pharmacists (1998)

**INVITED SPEAKER (Academic Institutions and Research Centers)**

Department of Medicine, Royal Victoria Hospital, McGill University, Canada, 1999  
Department of Intensive Care, University of Athens, Greece, 2001  
Institute for Biochemistry II, University of Frankfurt, Germany, 2004  
Foundation for Biomedical Research of the Academy of Athens, Greece, 2004  
Department of Pharmacological Sciences, University of Siena, Italy, 2005  
Institute for Biotechnology, Greek Research Foundation, Greece, 2006  
4<sup>th</sup> Department of Internal Medicine, University of Athens, Greece, 2006  
Institute for Organic Chemistry, University of Leipzig, Germany, 2007  
Instituto de Tecnologia Química e Biológica, Universidade Nova de Lisboa, Portugal, 2008  
University of Medicine and Dentistry New Jersey, Dept of Pharmacology & Physiology, USA 2008  
Meakins-Christie Laboratories, McGill University, Canada, 2008  
Department of Pharmacy, Aristotelian University of Thessaloniki, 2009  
Department of Experimental Pharmacology, School of Pharmacy, University of Naples, 2009  
Department of Medicine, University of Patras, 2010  
Vascular Biology Center, Medical College of Georgia, 2010  
Faculty of Pharmacy, Ege University, Izmir, Turkey, 2012  
Center for Sepsis Control and Care, Universitätsklinikum Jena, Germany, 2013  
Vascular Signalling Department/SFB 815 Redox-Regulation, Frankfurt University, 2013

**INVITED SPEAKER (International Meetings)**

NATO Advanced Study Institute: Vascular endothelium: Mechanisms of cell signalling", Crete, 1998

3<sup>rd</sup> State of the Art, Interdisciplinary Review Course, Athens, 1999  
NATO Advanced Study Institute: "Vascular Endothelium: Source and Target of Inflammatory mediators", Crete, 2000  
NATO Advanced Study Institute: "Disease markers in exhaled breath: basic mechanism and clinical applications" Crete 2001  
Vascular Endothelium: Translating Discoveries into public health practice, Crete, 2005  
8<sup>th</sup> International conference: Angiogenesis: Basic Sciences and Clinical Applications, Corfu 2006  
Nitric oxide and nitrosative stress in the cardiovascular system, Budapest, 2006  
3<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on cGMP, cGMP: generators, effectors and therapeutic implications, Dresden, 2007  
9<sup>th</sup> International Angiogenesis Conference: Basic Science and Clinical Applications, Patras, June 22-26, 2008  
XXVIII European Section Meeting, International Society for Heart Research, Athens, 2008  
7<sup>th</sup> European Association of Clinical Pharmacology and Therapeutics Summer School, Alexandroupolis, 2009  
4<sup>th</sup> International Conference on cGMP, cGMP: generators, effectors and therapeutic implications, Regensburg, 2009  
3<sup>rd</sup> Master Class in Oncology Pharmacy, Athens, 2009  
International Symposium on Nitric Oxide-Cyclic GMP signal Transduction in Brain, Valencia, 2010  
European Society for Cardiology, Heart Failure 2010 Berlin, 2010  
5<sup>th</sup> International Conference on cGMP, cGMP: generators, effectors and therapeutic implications, Halle, 2011  
6<sup>th</sup> European Vascular Biology Meeting, Krakow, 2011  
1<sup>st</sup> European Conference on the Biology of H<sub>2</sub>S, Smolenice, Slovakia, 2012  
2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference on H<sub>2</sub>S Biology and Medicine, Atlanta, GA, 2012  
VIII<sup>th</sup> Joint Meeting on Medicinal Chemistry, Lublin, Poland, 2013  
6<sup>th</sup> International Conference on cGMP, cGMP: generators, effectors and therapeutic implications, Erfurt, 2013  
2<sup>nd</sup> European Conference on the Biology of H<sub>2</sub>S, Exeter, UK, 2013

## PUBLICATIONS

### Chapters (Books and meeting proceedings)

1. **Papapetropoulos A** and JD Catravas. Endothelial cell functions. In "8<sup>th</sup> European Congress of Intensive Care Medicine", Monduzzi Editore S.p.A, Bologna, Italy, pp349-354, 1995.
2. **Papapetropoulos A** and WC Sessa. Regulation of the nitric oxide synthase gene family. In "Biology of Nitric Oxide", Eds SS Gross, MS Goligorski, Chapman and Hill, New York, pp.66-85, 1997.
3. **Papapetropoulos, A.**, V. Zachariou and W.C. Sessa. NO synthase biology: Insights gained from knockout mice. In "The haemodynamic effects of nitric oxide". Eds. R.T. Mathie and T.M. Griffith. Imperial College Press, London UK pp 96-110, 1999.
4. A. Xagorari, A. Kotanidou, Ch. Roussos and **A. Papapetropoulos**. Luteolin reduces LPS-induced TNF- $\alpha$  production and protects mice against LPS toxicity. In "Disease markers in exhaled breath: basic mechanism and clinical applications" Eds N. Marczin and M. Yacoub, IOS Press, Amsterdam, pp 366-368 , 2002.
5. S. Tsigkos and **A Papapetropoulos**. The angiopoietins: linking angiogenesis and inflammation Eds M.E. Maragoudakis and E. Papadimitriou. Research Signpost.

6. A. Pyriochou, A. Koukaliotis and **A. Papapetropoulos**. Atrial natriuretic peptide is a positive regulator of angiogenesis. Ed. P. Cordopatis, Manesi-Zoupa, Pairas, Typorama, Patras, pp235-243, 2010.

### Peer-reviewed journals

#### Review articles & commentaries

1. **Papapetropoulos, A.**, R. D. Rudik and W.C. Sessa. Molecular and cellular control of nitric oxide synthases in the cardiovascular system. *Cardiovasc. Res.* 43:509-520, 1999
2. Andreopoulos, S and **A. Papapetropoulos**. Molecular aspects of soluble guanylyl cyclase regulation. *Gen. Pharmacol.* 34: 147-157, 2000.
3. S. Tsikos, M . Koutsilieris and **A. Papapetropoulos**. Angiopoietins in angiogenesis and beyond. *Expert Opin. Investig. Drugs* 12:933-941, 2003.
4. **A. Papapetropoulos** A ginseng-derived ER $\beta$  agonist (Rb1 ginsenoside) attenuates capillary morphogenesis. *Br. J. Pharmacol* 152:172-174, 2007 (commentary)
5. C. Szabo and **A. Papapetropoulos**. Hydrogen sulfide and angiogenesis: mechanisms and applications *Br. J. Pharmacol.* 164:853-65, 2011.
6. K. Módis, E. Bos, E. Calzia, H. van Goor, Harry; C. Coletta, **A. Papapetropoulos**, M. Hellmich, P. Radermacher; F. Bouillaud, C. Szabo. Regulation of Mitochondrial Function by Hydrogen Sulfide. Part II. Pathophysiological and Therapeutic Aspects *Br. J. Pharmacol In press*

#### Research Papers

1. **Papapetropoulos A**, Burch SE, Topouzis S, Catravas JD Radiation induced alterations in angiotensin converting enzyme activity in cultured bovine pulmonary arterial endothelial cells. *Toxicol. Appl. Pharmacol.* 120: 96-105, 1993.
2. Marcin N, **Papapetropoulos A**, Catravas JD Prevention of nitric oxide synthase induction in vascular smooth muscle cells by microtubule depolymerizing agents. *Br. J. Pharmacol.* 109: 603-605, 1993.
3. Marcin N, **Papapetropoulos A**, Catravas JD Tyrosine kinase inhibitors suppress endotoxin and IL-1 $\beta$ -induced NO synthesis in aortic smooth muscle cells. *Am. J. Physiol. (Heart Circ. Physiol.* 34) 265:H1014-H1018, 1993.
4. **Papapetropoulos A**, Marcin N, Snead MD, Cheng C, Milici A, JD Catravas Smooth muscle cell responsiveness to nitrovasodilators in hypertensive and normotensive animals. *Hypertension* 23: 476-484, 1994.
5. Snead MD, **Papapetropoulos A**, Carrier GO, Catravas JD Isolation and culture of endothelial cells from mesenteric vascular bed. *Meth. Cell Sci.* 17: 257-262, 1995.

6. **Papapetropoulos A**, Marczin N, Mora G, Milici A, Murad F, Catravas JD Regulation of vascular smooth muscle soluble guanylate cyclase activity, mRNA and protein levels by cAMP-elevating agents. *Hypertension* 26: 696-704, 1995.
7. Ramamoorthy JD, Ramamoorthy S, **Papapetropoulos A**, Catravas JD, Leibach FH, Ganapathy V Cyclic AMP-independent upregulation of the human serotonin transporter by staurosporine in choriocarcinoma cells. *J. Biol. Chem.* 270: 17189-17195, 1995.
8. Mohamed G, **Papapetropoulos A**, Caldwell RW, Ulrich D, Catravas JD, Tuttle RR HP-228, a novel synthetic peptide inhibits the induction of nitric synthase. *J. Pharm. Exp. Ther.* 275: 584-591, 1995.
9. Ryan JW, **Papapetropoulos A**, Ju H, Denslow ND, Antonov A, Virmani R, Kolodgie FD, Gerrity RG, Catravas JD. Aminopeptidase P is disposed on human endothelial cells. *Immunopharmacology*. 32: 149-152, 1996.
10. **Papapetropoulos A**, G Y Go, Murad F, Catravas JD Mechanisms of tolerance to sodium nitroprusside in rat cultured aortic smooth muscle cells. *Br. J. Pharmacol.* 117: 147-155, 1996.
11. **Papapetropoulos A**, Cziraki A, Rubin JW, Stone CD, Catravas JD cGMP accumulation and gene expression of soluble guanylate cyclase in human vascular tissue. *J. Cell Physiol.* 167: 213-221, 1996.
12. **Papapetropoulos A**, Ryan JW, Antonov A, Virmani R, Kolodgie FD, Gerrity RG, Catravas JD Human aortic endothelial cell aminopeptidase N. *Immunopharmacology* 32: 153-156, 1996.
13. **Papapetropoulos A**, Abou-Mohamed G, Marczin N, Murad F, Caldwell RW, Catravas JD Downregulation of nitrovasodilator-induced cGMP accumulation in smooth muscle cells exposed to endotoxin or interleukin-1 $\beta$ . *Br. J. Pharmacol.* 118:1359-1366, 1996.
14. **Papapetropoulos A**, Antonov A, Virmani R, Kolodgie FD, Munn DH, Marczin N, Ryan JW, Gerrity RG, Catravas JD Monocyte and cytokine-induced downregulation of angiotensin converting enzyme activity in cultured human and porcine endothelial cells. *Circ. Res.* 79: 512-523, 1996.
15. Marczin N, Jilling T, **Papapetropoulos A**, Go C, Catravas JD Cytoskeleton-dependent activation of the inducible nitric oxide synthase in cultured rat aortic smooth muscle cells. *Br. J. Pharmacol.* 118: 185-194, 1996.
16. Marczin N, Antonov, **Papapetropoulos A**, Munn DH, Virmani R, Kolodgie FD, Gerrity RG, Catravas JD Monocyte-induced downregulation of nitric oxide synthase in cultured aortic endothelial cells. *Arterioscler. Thromb. Vasc. Biol.* 16: 1095-1103, 1996.
17. **Papapetropoulos A**, Elmore LA, Catravas JD Relationship between volume of bathing medium and ectoenzyme activity in monolayers of cultured bovine pulmonary arterial endothelial cells. *Am. J. Physiol.* 271: L464-L469, 1996.
18. **Papapetropoulos A**, Desai KM, Rudic RD, Mayer B, Zhang R, Ruiz-Torres MP, Garcia-Cardena G, Madri JA, Sessa WC . Nitric oxide synthase inhibitors attenuate transforming growth factor  $\beta$ 1-stimulated capillary organization in vitro. *Am. J. Pathol.*,150:1835-1844, 1997

19. **Papapetropoulos, A.**, G. García-Cardeña, J.A. Madri and W. C. Sessa. Nitric oxide production contributes to the angiogenic properties of vascular endothelial growth factor in human endothelial cells. *J. Clin. Invest.* 100:3131-3139, 1997.
20. **Papapetropoulos, A.**, N. Marcin and J.D. Catravas. Cross-tolerance between endogenous nitric oxide and exogenous nitrovasodilators. *Eur. J. Pharmacol.* 344:313-321, 1998
21. Marcin, N, C.Y. Go, **A. Papapetropoulos** and J.D. Catravas. Induction of nitric oxide synthase by protein synthesis inhibition in aortic smooth muscle cells. *Br. J. Pharmacol.* 123:1000-1008, 1998.
22. Abou-Mohamed, G., **A. Papapetropoulos**, J.D. Catravas and R.W. Caldwell. Zinc inhibits nitric oxide formation in response to lipopolysaccharides: implication in its anti-inflammatory activity. *Eur. J. Pharmacol.* 341: 265-272, 1998.
23. **Papapetropoulos, A.**, P. Piccardoni, G. Cirino, M. Bucci, R. Sorrentino, C. Cicala, K. Johnson, V. Zachariou, W. C. Sessa and D.C. Altieri. Hypotension and inflammatory gene expression triggered by factor Xa-nitric oxide signalling. *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci USA* 95:4738-4742, 1998
24. García-Cardeña, G., R. Fan, V. Shah, R. Sorrentino, G. Cirino, **A. Papapetropoulos** and W. C. Sessa. Dynamic activation of nitric oxide synthase by Hsp90. *Nature* 392:821- 824, 1998
25. Hoque, A.M., **A. Papapetropoulos**, R.C. Venema, J.D. Catravas and L.C. Fucks. Effects of antisense oligonucleotide to iNOS on hemodynamic and vascular changes induced by LPS. *Am. J. Physiol.* 275: H1078-1083, 1998
26. Sierra-Honigmann M.R., A. K. Nath, C. Murakami, G. Garcia-Cardeña, **A.Papapetropoulos** W. C. Sessa, L.A. Madge, J. S. Schechner, M.B. Schwabb, P.J. Polverini and J. Flores-Riveros. Biological action of leptin as an angiogenic factor. *Science* 281: 1683-1686, 1998.
27. Wang, X. H., M. Lu, Y. Gao, **A. Papapetropoulos**, W. C. Sessa and W. H. Wang. Neuronal nitric oxide synthase is expressed in principle cell of collecting duct. *Am . J. Physiol.* 275: F395-399, 1998.
28. **Papapetropoulos, A.**, G. García-Cardeña, T. J. Dengler, P.C. Maisonpierre, G. D. Yancopoulos and W. C. Sessa. Direct actions of angiopoietin-1 on vascular endothelium: evidence for modulation of angiogenesis. *Lab. Invest.* 79:213-223, 1999
29. Fulton, D., J.P. Gratton, T.J. McCabe, J. Fontana, Y. Fujio, K.Walsh, T.F. Franke, **A. Papapetropoulos** and W.C. Sessa. Regulation of endothelium-derived nitric oxide production by Akt. *Nature* 399:597-601, 1999
30. Sowa, G., J. Liu, **A. Papapetropoulos**, M. Rex-Haffner, T.E. Hughes and W.C. Sessa. Trafficking of endothelial nitric oxide synthase in living cells. Quantitative evidence supporting the role of palmitoylation as a kinetic trapping mechanism limiting membrane diffusion. *J. Biol. Chem.* 274:22524-22531, 1999
31. Shah, V, M. Toruner, F. Haddad, G. Cadelina, **A. Papapetropoulos**, K. Choo, W. C. Sessa and R.J. Groszmann. Impaired endothelial nitric oxide activity associated with increased caveolin binding in experimental liver cirrhosis. *Gastroenterology* 117: 1222-1228, 1999

32. Fulton, D., **A. Papapetropoulos**, X. Zhang, J.D. Catravas, T. H. Hinze and W.C. Sessa. Quantification of eNOS mRNA levels in the canine cardiac vasculature by competitive PCR. *Am. J. Physiol.* 278: H658-665, 2000
33. S.E. Orfanos, J.B. Parkerson, X. Chen, E.L. Fisher, C. Glynnos, **A. Papapetropoulos** and J. D. Catravas. Pulmonary endothelial angiotensin converting enzyme dysfunction in Watanabe heritable hyperlipidemic rabbits in vivo. *Am. J. Physiol. Lung Cell Mol Physiol* 278:L 1280-L 1288, 2000.
34. **A. Papapetropoulos**, D. Fulton, K. Mahboubi, D. O' Connor, F. Li, D.C. Altieri and W.C. Sessa. Angiopoietin-1 inhibits endothelial cell apoptosis via Akt/survivin expression. *J. Biol. Chem.* 275:9102-9105, 2000
35. A. Xagorari, **A. Papapetropoulos**, A. Mavromatis, M. Economou, T. Fotsis and Ch. Roussos. Luteolon Inhibits an Endotoxin-Stimulated Phosphorylation Cascade and Proinflammatory Cytokine Production in Macrophages. *J. Pharmacol. Exp. Ther.* 296:181-187, 2001.
36. I. Kosmidou, A. Xagorari, Ch. Roussos, **A. Papapetropoulos**. Reactive oxygen species stimulate VEGF production from C2C12 skeletal myotubes through a PI3K/Akt pathway. *Am J Physiol Lung Cell Mol Physiol* 280:L585-L592, 2001.
37. **A. Papapetropoulos**, S. Andreopoulos, C.Y. Go, A. Hoque, L.C. Fuchs, J.D. Catravas. Regulation of the nitric oxide synthase-nitric oxide-cGMP pathway in rat mesenteric endothelial cells. *J Appl Physiol* 91:2553-2560, 2001.
38. A. Kotanidou, A. Xagorari, E. Bagli, P. Kitsanta, T. Fotsis, **A. Papapetropoulos**, Ch. Roussos. Luteolin reduces lipopolysaccharide-induced lethal toxicity and expression of proinflammatory molecules in mice. *Am J Respir Crit Care Med* 165:818-823, 2002
39. I. Kosmidou, T. Vassilakopoulos, A. Xagorari, S. Zakythinos, **A. Papapetropoulos**, Ch. Roussos. Production of interleukin -6 by skeletal myotubes:role of reactive oxygen species *Am. J. Resp. Cell Mol. Biol.* 26:587-593, 2002
40. A. Xagorari, Ch. Roussos and **A. Papapetropoulos**. Inhibition of LPS-stimulated pathways in macrophages by the flavonoid luteolin *Br. J. Pharmacol.* 136:1058-1064, 2002
41. L. Pizurki, Z. Zhou, K. Glynnos, C. Roussos and **A. Papapetropoulos**. Angiopoietin-1 inhibits endothelial permeability, neutrophil adherence and IL-8 production. *Br. J. Pharmacol.* 139:329-336, 2003.
42. **A. Papapetropoulos**, D. Fulton, J. Fontana, T. J. McCabe, S. Joellner, G. G. Cardena, Z. Zhou, J-P Gratton and W. C. Sessa. Vanadate is a potent activator of endothelial nitric oxide synthase: evidence for the role of the serine/threonine kinase Akt and hsp90. *Mol. Pharmacol.* 65: 407-415, 2004
43. Z. Zhou, S. Gross, C. Roussos, S Meurer, W. Müller-Esterl and **A. Papapetropoulos**. Structural and functional characterization of the dimerization region of soluble guanylyl cyclase. *J. Biol. Chem.* 279:24935-24943, 2004

44. N. Papapetropoulos, Z. Zhou, C. Roussos, P. Goumas and **A. Papapetropoulos**. Effects of modulation of the NO/cGMP pathway in tumor cell lines derived from the upper airway tract. *Pharmacology* 72: 167-176, 2004
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