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Professional Overview:

- General and Invasive Cardiology, Diagnostic Coronary Angiography
- Cardiac Rehabilitation and Preventive Cardiology

Academic and Administrative Appointments:

- 1984-98: Assistant Professor of Medicine, Semmelweis Medical University, Budapest, Hungary
- 1992-97: PhD Research Fellow, Karolinska Institute, Stockholm, Sweden
- 1998-2001: Clinical Fellow in Cardiology, University Health Network, Toronto, ON
- 2001-07: Assistant Professor in Cardiology, University of Alberta, Edmonton, AB
- 2007 present: Associate Professor in Cardiology, University of Alberta
- 2008 2010: Co-Director of the Cardiovascular Risk Reduction Clinic
- 2009 present: Director of the Cardiology Patient Triage and Navigation
- 2010 2013: Director of the Cardiology Wards
- 2013 present: Director, Jim Pattison Center of Heart Health, (Cardiac Rehabilitation), MAHI



Industry Relationships:

- I have received travel grants and honoraria from sanofi-aventis, Pfizer, Servier, Merck, Procter & Gamble, Biovail, AstraZeneca, Medtronic, Novartis, Boehringer-Ingelheim, Bayer, Amgen and Merck/Frosst/Schering
- I have been the Primary Investigator of studies sponsored by Pfizer, Boehringer-Ingelheim, sanofi-aventis, Amgen and BMS
- The book 25 Landmark Trials in Cardiology has been sponsored by Pfizer, Boehringer-Ingelheim, and Bayer Inc.

Current Research Interests:

- Novel lipid lowering agents
- Cardiac side-effects of radiation therapy
- Coronary artery disease and revascularization outcomes
- Cardiac screening for renal transplantation

Awards:

- International Research Promotion Council (IRPC) "Eminent Scientist of the Year 1999" – Gold Medal
- 2007 Honorable Mention for Teacher of the Year 3rd Year Medical Students' Mandatory Cardiology Rotation
- 2010- Honorable mention for the 2009-2010 Teacher of the Year in the Subspecialties

Publications:

Book: G Gyenes, CR Butler, R Welsh: 25 Landmark Trials in Cardiology. 4th Edition. Community Books, 2015.

Selected Papers:

- G Gyenes, G Gagliardi, I Lax, T Fornander, LE Rutqvist: Evaluation of irradiated heart volumes in stage I breast cancer patients treated with postoperative adjuvant radiotherapy. J. Clin. Oncol. 1997. 15. 1348-1353. (IF: 17.793)
- G Gyenes, T Fornander, P Carlens, U Glas, LE Rutqvist: Detection of radiationinduced myocardial damage by technetium-99m sestamibi scintigraphy. Eur. J. Nucl. Med. 1997. 24. 286-292. (IF: 4.531)
- 3. G Gyenes, LE Rutqvist, A Liedberg, and T Fornander, on behalf of the Stockholm Breast Cancer Study Group: Long-term cardiac morbidity and mortality in a randomized trial of pre- and postoperative radiation therapy versus surgery alone in primary breast cancer. Radiother. Oncol. 1998. 48. 185-190. (IF: 4.343)
- 4. GT Gyenes, WA Ghali: Should all patients with asymptomatic, but significant



- (>50%) left main coronary artery stenosis undergo surgical revascularization? Circulation 2008; 118:422-25. (IF: 14.816).
- 5. The ONTARGET Investigators: Telmisartan, Ramipril, or Both in Patients at High Risk for Vascular Events. N Engl J Med 2008;358:1547-59.
- Gyenes G, Norris CM, Graham MM, for the APPROACH Investigators: Percutaneous Revascularization Improves Outcomes in Patients with Prior Coronary Artery Bypass Surgery. Catheterization and Cardiovascular Interventions. 2013;82:E148–E154.
- 7. ML O'Donoghue, E Braunwald, HD White, et al. for the SOLID-TIMI 52 Investigators. Effect of Darapladib on Major Coronary Events After an Acute Coronary Syndrome: The SOLID-TIMI 52 Randomized Clinical Trial. JAMA 2014;312(10):1006-1015.
- 8. GT Gyenes, RC Welsh: Inching closer to a solution: sorting out the optimal strategy for STEMI patients with multi-vessel coronary artery disease. (Editorial) Can J Cardiol. 2014;30:1501-2.

8 of 70 papers and abstracts

