



## **Editor-in-Chief of *Circulation Research***

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The current term of the Editor-in-Chief of *Circulation Research* is ending. The Scientific Publishing Committee of the American Heart Association invites nominations and applications for the position of Editor-in-Chief for a term of 5 years.

Candidates must hold an MD and/or PhD degree, or equivalent, and must have a current academic appointment in cardiovascular science. Broad and in-depth knowledge of the field of cardiovascular science and medicine, advances in biology, biochemistry, biophysics, cellular and molecular biology, molecular biology, genetics, pathology, physiology, and pharmacology. Editorial features include: Original Contributions, Short Communications, Rapid Communications, Reviews, Editorials, Commentaries, Perspectives, Profiles, and News & Views. Significant familiarity with experimental design, the conduct of laboratory and clinical research, and the ability to judge the scientific validity and importance of research reports and review articles is imperative.

Extensive experience in scientific writing, as well as strong editorial experience with peer-reviewed medical journals, is required. An understanding of and appreciation for social media and digital publications is also needed. Demonstrated excellence in leadership and supervisory skills is essential. The AHA expects that, during the first few months of tenure, the journal will be a time commitment of more than 25% and at least a 25% time commitment thereafter.

The Editor-in-Chief of *Circulation Research* will assume responsibility for *Circulation Research* in July 2019. *Circulation Research* is currently a bi-weekly publication with more than 22,600 subscribers worldwide, including institutional and online subscriptions, and approximately 150,800 online visits to the journal website per month.

Interested candidates should send a letter of application addressing his/her qualifications for the position, a 1- to 2-page letter of intent with his/her thoughts on the journal, and updated curriculum vitae. Those writing to nominate others should send a letter of nomination explaining why he/she believes the nominee is an optimal candidate for the position. Please address all correspondence to:

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**Deadline for receipt of applications and nominations is February 5, 2018.**