CVIR Editors' Medal 2021

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As reflected by our recently increased impact factor, a wealth of high-quality scientific articles has been submitted to and published in CVIR of late. The difficult task and great honour of reviewing and short-listing the many clinical investigations, experimental papers and review articles published in 2020 has fallen to the associate editors, with the Editor-in-Chief then selecting one outstanding paper to receive the 2021 Editors' Medal.

After much deliberation, we are pleased to announce the winners: the Dutch group of authors who published the PADI Trial, investigating 10-year paclitaxel dose-related outcomes of drug-eluting stents in below-the-knee patients with chronic limb-threatening ischaemia. This paper underlines the importance of long-term systematic follow-up and rigorous post-hoc review of the materials used in interventional radiological practice.

Editors' Medal winner:

10-Year Paclitaxel Dose-Related Outcomes of Drug-Eluting Stents Treated Below the Knee in Patients with Chronic Limb-Threatening Ischemia (The PADI Trial)

Louise C. D. Konijn, Thijs Wakkie, Marlon I. Spreen, Pim A. de Jong, Lukas C. van Dijk, Jan J. Wever, Hugo T. C. Veger, Randolph G. Statius van Eps, Willem P. Th. M. Mali & Hendrik van Overhagen
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The award entails a considerable monetary prize, as well as a medal and certificate from the Cardiovascular and Interventional Radiological Society of Europe (CIRSE).

Congratulations to the winners, and thank you for making CVIR your preferred journal for your submissions!

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Reference

1. Konijn LCD, Wakkie T, Spreen MI, et al. 10-year paclitaxel dose-related outcomes of drug-eluting stents treated below the knee in patients with chronic limb-threatening ischemia (the PADI trial). *Cardiovasc Intervent Radiol.* 2020;43:1881–8. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s00270-020-02602-6>.

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