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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Instructor, Medicine - Cardiovascular Medicine

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Postdoctoral Fellowship, American Heart Association (2024)
- Career Development Award (CDA), American Heart Association (2026)

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

- Ph.D., University of Edinburgh , Cardiovascular Science

Publications

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- **Deciphering the impact of genomic variation on function.** *Nature*
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- **Genome-Wide Genetic Associations Prioritize Evaluation of Causal Mechanisms of Atherosclerotic Disease Risk.** *Arteriosclerosis, thrombosis, and vascular biology*
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- **Extracellular vesicles from differentiated stem cells contain novel proangiogenic miRNAs and induce angiogenic responses at low doses.** *Molecular therapy : the journal of the American Society of Gene Therapy*
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2023
- **Discovery of Transacting Long Noncoding RNAs That Regulate Smooth Muscle Cell Phenotype.** *Circulation research*
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- **Single-cell RNA-seq profiling of mouse endothelial cells in response to pulmonary arterial hypertension.** *Cardiovascular research*
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