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### Bio

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#### BIO

Dr. Klarin is a fellowship-trained vascular surgeon.

For each patient, he develops a comprehensive, compassionate care plan customized to individual needs. His goal is to help each patient achieve the best possible health and quality of life.

Dr. Klarin performs the full spectrum of diagnostic and treatment procedures for cardiovascular conditions. He treats carotid disease, peripheral artery disease, abdominal aortic aneurysm, venous thromboembolism, and other vascular diseases.

To help advance his field, Dr. Klarin has conducted research. The American Heart Association, Howard Hughes Medical Institute, and other organizations have provided grants to support his studies. He also has co-patented advances in predicting and scoring risk factors for cardiovascular disease and other conditions.

He has published extensively and co-authored more than 50 articles on new techniques and technology for diagnosing and treating cardiovascular disorders. His work has appeared in the Journal of Vascular Surgery, Circulation, JAMA, Nature Medicine, and other peer-reviewed journals.

He also has made many invited presentations to his peers. He has spoken at the Vascular Research Initiatives Conference presented by the Society for Vascular Surgery, the American Heart Association Scientific Sessions, and the annual meeting of the American Society for Human Genetics. Topics include risk factors for peripheral artery disease, the benefits of ultrasound screening for abdominal aortic aneurysm, and the impact of genetic variations on cardiovascular disease.

He is a member of the Global Lipids Genetics Consortium. He is a founding member of the Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm Genetics Consortium and the Peripheral Artery Disease Genetics Consortium. He is also a candidate member of the Society for Vascular Surgery.

## CLINICAL FOCUS

- Aortic Aneurysm
- Atherosclerosis
- Peripheral Artery Disease
- Vascular Surgery
- Venous Thromboembolism

## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Assistant Professor - University Medical Line, Surgery - Vascular Surgery
- Member, Cardiovascular Institute

## PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

- Board Certification: Vascular Surgery, American Board of Surgery (2022)
- Fellowship, University of Florida College of Medicine, Gainesville , Vascular Surgery and Endovascular Therapy
- Fellowship, Broad Institute of Harvard & MIT, Cambridge, Massachusetts , Research Fellow
- Residency, Massachusetts General Hospital , Surgery
- Medical Degree, David Geffen School of Medicine, University of California, Los Angeles

## Teaching

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## GRADUATE AND FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM AFFILIATIONS

- Vascular Surgery (Fellowship Program)

## Publications

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### PUBLICATIONS

- **Genome-wide association study of thoracic aortic aneurysm and dissection in the Million Veteran Program.** *Nature genetics*  
Klarin, D., Devineni, P., Sendamarai, A. K., Angueira, A. R., Graham, S. E., Shen, Y. H., Levin, M. G., Pirruccello, J. P., Surakka, I., Karnam, P. R., Roychowdhury, T., Li, Y., Wang, et al  
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- **Circulating proteins and peripheral artery disease risk: observational and Mendelian randomization analyses.** *European heart journal open*  
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- **TP53-mediated clonal hematopoiesis confers increased risk for incident atherosclerotic disease.** *Nature cardiovascular research*  
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- **Cross-Ancestry Investigation of Venous Thromboembolism Genomic Predictors.** *Circulation*  
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- **Genetic and clinical determinants of abdominal aortic diameter: genome-wide association studies, exome array data and Mendelian randomization study.** *Human molecular genetics*  
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2022

- **Clinical utility of polygenic risk scores for coronary artery disease.** *Nature reviews. Cardiology*  
Klarin, D., Natarajan, P.  
2021
- **A GENOME-WIDE ASSOCIATION STUDY OF CHRONIC ALT-BASED NAFLD IN THE MILLION VETERAN PROGRAM WITH HISTOLOGICAL AND RADIOLOGICAL VALIDATION**  
Vujkovic, M., Ramdas, S., Lorenz, K. M., Guo, X., Darlay, R., Cordell, H. J., He, J., Gindin, Y., Chung, C., Myers, R. P., Schneider, C., Park, J., Lee, et al  
WILEY.2021: 6A-7A
- **A Missense Variant in the IL-6 Receptor and Protection from Peripheral Artery Disease.** *Circulation research*  
Levin, M. G., Klarin, D., Georgakis, M. K., Lynch, J., Liao, K. P., Voight, B. F., O'Donnell, C. J., Chang, K., Assimes, T. L., Tsao, P. S., Damrauer, S. M.  
2021
- **Endothelial lipase mediates efficient lipolysis of triglyceride-rich lipoproteins.** *PLoS genetics*  
Khetarpal, S. A., Vitali, C., Levin, M. G., Klarin, D., Park, J., Pampana, A., Millar, J. S., Kuwano, T., Sugasini, D., Subbaiah, P. V., Billheimer, J. T., Natarajan, P., Rader, et al  
2021; 17 (9): e1009802
- **Regulatory variants in TCF7L2 are associated with thoracic aortic aneurysm.** *American journal of human genetics*  
Roychowdhury, T., Lu, H., Hornsby, W. E., Crone, B., Wang, G. T., Guo, D., Sendamarai, A. K., Devineni, P., Lin, M., Zhou, W., Graham, S. E., Wolford, B. N., Surakka, et al  
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- **Prioritizing the Role of Major Lipoproteins and Subfractions as Risk Factors for Peripheral Artery Disease.** *Circulation*  
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- **Risk factors mediating the effect of body mass index and waist-to-hip ratio on cardiovascular outcomes: Mendelian randomization analysis.** *International journal of obesity (2005)*  
Gill, D., Zuber, V., Dawson, J., Pearson-Stuttard, J., Carter, A. R., Sanderson, E., Karhunen, V., Levin, M. G., Wootton, R. E., Klarin, D., Tsao, P. S., Tsilidis, K. K., Damrauer, et al  
2021
- **Association Between Genetic Variation in Blood Pressure and Increased Lifetime Risk of Peripheral Artery Disease.** *Arteriosclerosis, thrombosis, and vascular biology*  
Levin, M. G., Klarin, D., Walker, V. M., Gill, D., Lynch, J., Hellwege, J. N., Keaton, J. M., Lee, K. M., Assimes, T. L., Natarajan, P., Hung, A. M., Edwards, T., Rader, et al  
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- **Multi-trait association studies discover pleiotropic loci between Alzheimer's disease and cardiometabolic traits.** *Alzheimer's research & therapy*  
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2021; 13 (1): 34
- **Genetics of Smoking and Risk of Atherosclerotic Cardiovascular Diseases: A Mendelian Randomization Study.** *JAMA network open*  
Levin, M. G., Klarin, D., Assimes, T. L., Freiberg, M. S., Ingelsson, E., Lynch, J., Natarajan, P., O'Donnell, C., Rader, D. J., Tsao, P. S., Chang, K., Voight, B. F., Damrauer, et al  
2021; 4 (1): e2034461
- **Urate, Blood Pressure, and Cardiovascular Disease: Evidence From Mendelian Randomization and Meta-Analysis of Clinical Trials.** *Hypertension (Dallas, Tex. : 1979)*

- Gill, D., Cameron, A. C., Burgess, S., Li, X., Doherty, D. J., Karhunen, V., Abdul-Rahim, A. H., Taylor-Rowan, M., Zuber, V., Tsao, P. S., Klarin, D., VA Million Veteran Program, Evangelou, E., et al  
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- **Genetic predisposition to smoking in relation to 14 cardiovascular diseases** *EUROPEAN HEART JOURNAL*  
Larsson, S. C., Mason, A. M., Back, M., Klarin, D., Damrauer, S. M., Michaelsson, K., Burgess, S.  
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  - **Mendelian Randomization Analysis of Hemostatic Factors and Their Contribution to Peripheral Artery Disease.** *Arteriosclerosis, thrombosis, and vascular biology*  
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2020; 72 (2): 589-+
  - **A missense variant in Mitochondrial Amidoxime Reducing Component 1 gene and protection against liver disease** *PLOS GENETICS*  
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  - **Minority-centric meta-analyses of blood lipid levels identify novel loci in the Population Architecture using Genomics and Epidemiology (PAGE) study** *PLOS GENETICS*  
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  - **Minority-centric meta-analyses of blood lipid levels identify novel loci in the Population Architecture using Genomics and Epidemiology (PAGE) study.** *PLoS genetics*  
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Klarin, D. n., Verma, S. S., Judy, R. n., Dikilitas, O. n., Wolford, B. N., Paranjpe, I. n., Levin, M. G., Pan, C. n., Tcheandjieu, C. n., Spin, J. M., Lynch, J. n., Assimes, T. L., Nyrønning, et al  
2020
  - **The relationship between circulating lipids and breast cancer risk: A Mendelian randomization study.** *PLoS medicine*  
Johnson, K. E., Siewert, K. M., Klarin, D. n., Damrauer, S. M., Chang, K. M., Tsao, P. S., Assimes, T. L., Maxwell, K. N., Voight, B. F.  
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  - **Discovery of 318 new risk loci for type 2 diabetes and related vascular outcomes among 1.4 million participants in a multi-ancestry meta-analysis.** *Nature genetics*  
Vujkovic, M. n., Keaton, J. M., Lynch, J. A., Miller, D. R., Zhou, J. n., Tcheandjieu, C. n., Huffman, J. E., Assimes, T. L., Lorenz, K. n., Zhu, X. n., Hilliard, A. T., Judy, R. L., Huang, et al  
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  - **Cross-trait analyses with migraine reveal widespread pleiotropy and suggest a vascular component to migraine headache.** *International journal of epidemiology*  
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Honigberg, M. C., Zekavat, S., Aragam, K., Finneran, P., Klarin, D., Bhatt, D. L., Januzzi, J. L., Scott, N. S., Natarajan, P.  
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- **Long-Term Cardiovascular Risk in Women With Hypertension During Pregnancy** *JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN COLLEGE OF CARDIOLOGY*  
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- **Genetic Association of Finger Photoplethysmography-Derived Arterial Stiffness Index With Blood Pressure and Coronary Artery Disease** *ARTERIOSCLEROSIS THROMBOSIS AND VASCULAR BIOLOGY*  
Zekavat, S. M., Aragam, K., Emdin, C., Khera, A. V., Klarin, D., Zhao, H., Natarajan, P.  
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- **Genome-wide association study of alcohol consumption and use disorder in 274,424 individuals from multiple populations** *NATURE COMMUNICATIONS*  
Kranzler, H. R., Zhou, H., Kember, R. L., Smith, R., Justice, A. C., Damrauer, S., Tsao, P. S., Klarin, D., Baras, A., Reid, J., Oyerton, J., Rader, D. J., Cheng, et al  
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- **DNA Sequence Variation in ACVR1C Encoding the Activin Receptor-Like Kinase 7 Influences Body Fat Distribution and Protects Against Type 2 Diabetes** *DIABETES*  
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- **Effect of Genetic Variation in Loss of Function Variants in PCSK9 on Atherosclerotic Vascular Disease**  
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