

# Philip S Tsao

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113	Nicotine stimulates angiogenesis and promotes tumor growth and atherosclerosis. <i>Nature Medicine</i> , <b>2001</b> , 7, 833-9	50.5	622
112	Homocysteine impairs the nitric oxide synthase pathway: role of asymmetric dimethylarginine. <i>Circulation</i> , <b>2001</b> , 104, 2569-75	16.7	544
111	DNA methylation-based measures of biological age: meta-analysis predicting time to death. <i>Aging</i> , <b>2016</b> , 8, 1844-1865	5.6	531
110	Genetic analysis of over 1 million people identifies 535 new loci associated with blood pressure traits. <i>Nature Genetics</i> , <b>2018</b> , 50, 1412-1425	36.3	386
109	An epigenetic clock analysis of race/ethnicity, sex, and coronary heart disease. <i>Genome Biology</i> , <b>2016</b> , 17, 171	18.3	357
108	Epigenetic clock analysis of diet, exercise, education, and lifestyle factors. <i>Aging</i> , <b>2017</b> , 9, 419-446	5.6	317
107	Exome-wide association study of plasma lipids in >300,000 individuals. <i>Nature Genetics</i> , <b>2017</b> , 49, 1758-1766	36.3	310
106	Genetics of blood lipids among ~300,000 multi-ethnic participants of the Million Veteran Program. <i>Nature Genetics</i> , <b>2018</b> , 50, 1514-1523	36.3	260
105	eNOS activity is reduced in senescent human endothelial cells: Preservation by hTERT immortalization. <i>Circulation Research</i> , <b>2001</b> , 89, 793-8	15.7	226
104	Genome-wide association study of alcohol consumption and use disorder in 274,424 individuals from multiple populations. <i>Nature Communications</i> , <b>2019</b> , 10, 1499	17.4	164
103	Regression or progression. Dependency on vascular nitric oxide. <i>Arteriosclerosis, Thrombosis, and Vascular Biology</i> , <b>1996</b> , 16, 44-50	9.4	158
102	miR-24 limits aortic vascular inflammation and murine abdominal aneurysm development. <i>Nature Communications</i> , <b>2014</b> , 5, 5214	17.4	152
101	Trans-ethnic association study of blood pressure determinants in over 750,000 individuals. <i>Nature Genetics</i> , <b>2019</b> , 51, 51-62	36.3	152
100	Human Engineered Heart Muscles Engraft and Survive Long Term in a Rodent Myocardial Infarction Model. <i>Circulation Research</i> , <b>2015</b> , 117, 720-30	15.7	146
99	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. <i>Nature Genetics</i> , <b>2020</b> , 52, 680-691	36.3	140
98	Nitric oxide regulates monocyte chemotactic protein-1. <i>Circulation</i> , <b>1997</b> , 96, 934-40	16.7	139
97	Transcriptomic Profiling Maps Anatomically Patterned Subpopulations among Single Embryonic Cardiac Cells. <i>Developmental Cell</i> , <b>2016</b> , 39, 491-507	10.2	129

96	Exposure to shear stress alters endothelial adhesiveness. Role of nitric oxide. <i>Circulation</i> , <b>1995</b> , 92, 3513-16	16.7	125
95	Regression of atherosclerosis: role of nitric oxide and apoptosis. <i>Circulation</i> , <b>1999</b> , 99, 1236-41	16.7	115
94	H19 Induces Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm Development and Progression. <i>Circulation</i> , <b>2018</b> , 138, 1551-1568	16.7	111
93	GWAS of epigenetic aging rates in blood reveals a critical role for TERT. <i>Nature Communications</i> , <b>2018</b> , 9, 387	17.4	106
92	Asymmetric dimethylarginine increases mononuclear cell adhesiveness in hypercholesterolemic humans. <i>Arteriosclerosis, Thrombosis, and Vascular Biology</i> , <b>2000</b> , 20, 1040-6	9.4	106
91	Segmental aortic stiffening contributes to experimental abdominal aortic aneurysm development. <i>Circulation</i> , <b>2015</b> , 131, 1783-95	16.7	90
90	Genome-wide association study of peripheral artery disease in the Million Veteran Program. <i>Nature Medicine</i> , <b>2019</b> , 25, 1274-1279	50.5	73
89	Cyclic strain induces reactive oxygen species production via an endothelial NAD(P)H oxidase. <i>Journal of Cellular Biochemistry</i> , <b>2001</b> , Suppl 36, 99-106	4.7	72
88	Blood Leukocyte DNA Methylation Predicts Risk of Future Myocardial Infarction and Coronary Heart Disease. <i>Circulation</i> , <b>2019</b> , 140, 645-657	16.7	65
87	Transcription Factor Runx2 Promotes Aortic Fibrosis and Stiffness in Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus. <i>Circulation Research</i> , <b>2015</b> , 117, 513-24	15.7	64
86	Dichloroacetate prevents restenosis in preclinical animal models of vessel injury. <i>Nature</i> , <b>2014</b> , 509, 641-4	50.4	64
85	Genome-wide association analysis of venous thromboembolism identifies new risk loci and genetic overlap with arterial vascular disease. <i>Nature Genetics</i> , <b>2019</b> , 51, 1574-1579	36.3	56
84	A missense variant in Mitochondrial Amidoxime Reducing Component 1 gene and protection against liver disease. <i>PLoS Genetics</i> , <b>2020</b> , 16, e1008629	6	49
83	Association of Interleukin 6 Receptor Variant With Cardiovascular Disease Effects of Interleukin 6 Receptor Blocking Therapy: A Phenome-Wide Association Study. <i>JAMA Cardiology</i> , <b>2018</b> , 3, 849-857	16.2	48
82	Harmonizing Genetic Ancestry and Self-identified Race/Ethnicity in Genome-wide Association Studies. <i>American Journal of Human Genetics</i> , <b>2019</b> , 105, 763-772	11	41
81	Mechanotransduction of endothelial oxidative stress induced by cyclic strain. <i>Endothelium: Journal of Endothelial Cell Research</i> , <b>2001</b> , 8, 283-91		40
80	Mapping eGFR loci to the renal transcriptome and phenome in the VA Million Veteran Program. <i>Nature Communications</i> , <b>2019</b> , 10, 3842	17.4	36
79	Impaired aerobic capacity in hypercholesterolemic mice: partial reversal by exercise training. <i>American Journal of Physiology - Heart and Circulatory Physiology</i> , <b>1999</b> , 276, H1346-54	5.2	35

78	Decoding the Genomics of Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm. <i>Cell</i> , <b>2018</b> , 174, 1361-1372.e10	56.2	34
77	MicroRNA-29b regulation of abdominal aortic aneurysm development. <i>Trends in Cardiovascular Medicine</i> , <b>2014</b> , 24, 1-6	6.9	28
76	Discovery of rare variants associated with blood pressure regulation through meta-analysis of 1.3 million individuals. <i>Nature Genetics</i> , <b>2020</b> , 52, 1314-1332	36.3	26
75	Genetic Architecture of Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm in the Million Veteran Program. <i>Circulation</i> , <b>2020</b> , 142, 1633-1646	16.7	24
74	Systemic Upregulation of IL-10 (Interleukin-10) Using a Nonimmunogenic Vector Reduces Growth and Rate of Dissecting Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm. <i>Arteriosclerosis, Thrombosis, and Vascular Biology</i> , <b>2018</b> , 38, 1796-1805	9.4	22
73	Genotyping Array Design and Data Quality Control in the Million Veteran Program. <i>American Journal of Human Genetics</i> , <b>2020</b> , 106, 535-548	11	22
72	Chronic Nicotine Exposure Induces Murine Aortic Remodeling and Stiffness Segmentation-Implications for Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm Susceptibility. <i>Frontiers in Physiology</i> , <b>2018</b> , 9, 1459	4.6	22
71	Hypoxia inducible factor stabilization improves defective ischemia-induced angiogenesis in a rodent model of chronic kidney disease. <i>Kidney International</i> , <b>2017</b> , 91, 616-627	9.9	21
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69	Red blood cells serve as intravascular carriers of myeloperoxidase. <i>Journal of Molecular and Cellular Cardiology</i> , <b>2014</b> , 74, 353-63	5.8	19
68	Actionable druggable genome-wide Mendelian randomization identifies repurposing opportunities for COVID-19. <i>Nature Medicine</i> , <b>2021</b> , 27, 668-676	50.5	19
67	Heme Oxygenase-1 Expression Affects Murine Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm Progression. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , <b>2016</b> , 11, e0149288	3.7	18
66	Therapeutic perspective on vascular cognitive impairment. <i>Pharmacological Research</i> , <b>2019</b> , 146, 104266	10.2	16
65	The relationship between circulating lipids and breast cancer risk: A Mendelian randomization study. <i>PLoS Medicine</i> , <b>2020</b> , 17, e1003302	11.6	16
64	Cross-trait analyses with migraine reveal widespread pleiotropy and suggest a vascular component to migraine headache. <i>International Journal of Epidemiology</i> , <b>2020</b> , 49, 1022-1031	7.8	15
63	Urate, Blood Pressure, and Cardiovascular Disease: Evidence From Mendelian Randomization and Meta-Analysis of Clinical Trials. <i>Hypertension</i> , <b>2021</b> , 77, 383-392	8.5	15
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61	Dietary fructose in pregnancy induces hyperglycemia, hypertension, and pathologic kidney and liver changes in a rodent model. <i>Pregnancy Hypertension</i> , <b>2015</b> , 5, 308-14	2.6	13

60	Transfer learning enables prediction of CYP2D6 haplotype function. <i>PLoS Computational Biology</i> , <b>2020</b> , 16, e1008399	5	12
59	Genetics of Smoking and Risk of Atherosclerotic Cardiovascular Diseases: A Mendelian Randomization Study. <i>JAMA Network Open</i> , <b>2021</b> , 4, e2034461	10.4	11
58	Risk factors mediating the effect of body mass index and waist-to-hip ratio on cardiovascular outcomes: Mendelian randomization analysis. <i>International Journal of Obesity</i> , <b>2021</b> , 45, 1428-1438	5.5	10
57	Does enhanced insulin sensitivity improve sleep measures in patients with obstructive sleep apnea: a randomized, placebo-controlled pilot study. <i>Sleep Medicine</i> , <b>2016</b> , 22, 57-60	4.6	8
56	E-Cigarettes and Cardiopulmonary Health. <i>Function</i> , <b>2021</b> , 2, zqab004	6.1	8
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54	Genetic analysis in European ancestry individuals identifies 517 loci associated with liver enzymes. <i>Nature Communications</i> , <b>2021</b> , 12, 2579	17.4	7
53	Association Between Genetic Variation in Blood Pressure and Increased Lifetime Risk of Peripheral Artery Disease. <i>Arteriosclerosis, Thrombosis, and Vascular Biology</i> , <b>2021</b> , 41, 2027-2034	9.4	7
52	Involvement of Myeloid Cells and Noncoding RNA in Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm Disease. <i>Antioxidants and Redox Signaling</i> , <b>2020</b> , 33, 602-620	8.4	6
51	Prioritizing the Role of Major Lipoproteins and Subfractions as Risk Factors for Peripheral Artery Disease. <i>Circulation</i> , <b>2021</b> , 144, 353-364	16.7	6
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48	A trans-ancestry genome-wide association study of unexplained chronic ALT elevation as a proxy for nonalcoholic fatty liver disease with histological and radiological validation		5
47	Non-coding RNAs in aneurysmal aortopathy. <i>Vascular Pharmacology</i> , <b>2019</b> , 114, 110-121	5.9	4
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