

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

2010 B.Sc. (Physical Therapy)
Faculty of Associated Medical Science, Chiang Mai University, Chiang
Mai, Thailand

2012 M.Sc. (Physiology – Cardiac Electrophysiology)
Faculty of Medicine, Chiang Mai University, Chiang Mai, Thailand

2016 Ph.D. (Physiology – Cardiac Electrophysiology)
Faculty of Medicine, Chiang Mai University, Chiang Mai, Thailand

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENT

2012 Research Assistant, Cardiac Electrophysiology Research and Training
Center (CERT), Faculty of Medicine, Chiang Mai University, Chiang Mai,
Thailand (Professor Dr. Nipon Chattipakorn, mentor)

2015 Research Trainee, Division of Cardiology, School of Medicine, Johns
Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD, USA (Professor Dr. Brian O'Rourke
and Professor Dr. Nipon Chattipakorn, mentors)

HONORS AND AWARDS

2010 *Outstanding Academic Achievement Award*, Faculty of Associate Medical
Sciences, Chiang Mai University, Chiang Mai, Thailand

2010 Scholarship from the Faculty of Medicine, Chiang Mai University, Chiang
Mai, Thailand

2012 *Excellent Oral Presentation*, the 1st ASEAN plus three Graduate Research
Congress, Chiang Mai, Thailand

- 2012 – 2015 Scholarship from the Royal Golden Jubilee Ph.D. program (RGJ-Ph.D.), Thailand Research Fund under the Office of the Prime Minister, the Royal Thai Government, Thailand
- 2015 *Best PhD student in Academic Research*, Chiang Mai University, Chiang Mai, Thailand
- 2015 *Young Scientist Award*, the 8th Federation of the Asian and Oceanian Physiological Society (FAOPS) Congress, Bangkok, Thailand
- 2016 *Outstanding Oral Presentation*, the RGJ-PHD congress xvii, Chonburi, Thailand
- 2017 *The highest-ranking abstract submitted from Thailand and accepted for presentation at the ACC's Annual Scientific Session*, the American College of Cardiology, USA
- 2018 *Best National PhD Thesis Award in Biomedical Sciences 2018*, the National Research Council of Thailand (with Professor Dr. Nipon Chattipakorn as Major Advisor)
- 2019 *Nominated participant*, the Global Young Scientist Summit, National Research Foundation of Singapore, Singapore
- 2019 *Outstanding Poster Presentation*, the 2019 TRF-OHEC Annual Congress (TOAC), Thailand.

RESEARCH GRANT SUPPORT

- 09/2016-08/2018 Faculty of Medicine Endowment Fund, Chiang Mai University, Chiang Mai, Thailand “The effects of testosterone deficiency on cardiac function and cardiac mitochondrial dynamics after the presence of obesity and insulin resistance in long term high fat diet fed rats” (PI)
- 03/2017-02/2019 Faculty of Medicine Endowment Fund, Chiang Mai University, Chiang Mai, Thailand “The comparative effects of long-term high-fat diet and long-term high-fat high-carbohydrate diet consumption on left ventricular function and cardiac mitochondrial function in male obese-insulin resistant rats” (PI)
- 03/2017-02/2019 The Thailand Research Fund (TRF) - TRF Grant for New Researcher “Mechanistic insights of the effects of dipeptidyl peptidase-4 inhibitor on the heart in male rats with obese-insulin resistance followed by gender hormone deprivation” (PI)
- 02/2019-01/2021 Faculty of Medicine Endowment Fund, Chiang Mai University, Chiang Mai, Thailand “Prospective pilot study of treatment outcome in radiation-induced xerostomia treated with hyperbaric oxygen therapy (HBOT) on salivary gland function and mitochondrial function isolated from peripheral blood mononuclear cells” (PI)

- 03/2019-02/2021 The Thailand Research Fund (TRF) - TRF Grant for New Researcher
“Roles of necroptosis inhibition on the heart of male obese-insulin
resistant rats with and without cardiac ischemia/reperfusion injury” (PI)
- 02/2019-01/2021 Faculty of Medicine Endowment Fund, Chiang Mai University, Chiang
Mai, Thailand “Roles of necroptosis inhibition on the cardiac
mitochondrial function in male obese-insulin resistant rats” (PI)
- 07/2021-06/2023 National Research Council of Thailand – Research Grants for Talented
Young Researchers “The effects of MD2 inhibitor and N-acetyl cysteine
on cardiac function and mitochondrial function in rats with cardiac
ischemia/reperfusion injury” (PI)

SCIENTIFIC ABSTRACT PARTICIPATION AT INTERNATIONAL MEETINGS

- August 2022 *Moderated poster presentation*, European Society of Cardiology Congress
2022, Barcelona, Spain
- August 2020 *Poster presentation*, European Society of Cardiology Congress 2020
- July 2020 *Poster presentation*, Alzheimer’s Association International Conference
- July 2019 *Poster presentation*, Alzheimer’s Association International Conference,
Los Angeles, CA, USA
- March 2019 *Poster presentation*, Federation of the Asian and Oceanian Physiological
Society Congress, Kobe, Japan
- January 2019 *Poster presentation*, the Global Young Scientist Summit 2019, Singapore
- August 2018 *Poster presentation*, European Society of Cardiology Congress 2018,
Munich, Germany
- July 2018 *Poster presentation*, Alzheimer’s Association International Conference,
Chicago, IL, USA
- March 2018 *Oral presentation*, Physiology Society of Japan, Kagawa, Japan
- July 2017 *Poster presentation*, Alzheimer’s Association International Conference,
London, UK
- March 2017 *Poster presentation*, 66th Annual Scientific Session of the American
College of Cardiology, Washington, DC, USA
- April 2016 *Poster presentation*, ENDO meeting 2016, Boston, MA, USA
- March 2016 *Oral presentation*, Sakura Science Project, Kagawa, Japan
- August 2015 *Poster presentation*, European Society of Cardiology Congress 2015,
London, UK
- March 2014 *Poster presentation*, 63rd Annual Scientific Session of the American
College of Cardiology, Washington, DC, USA
- March 2012 *Poster presentation*, 2nd Frontier in Cardiovascular Biology meeting,
London, UK

SCIENTIFIC ABSTRACT PARTICIPATION AT NATIONAL MEETINGS

January 2019	<i>Poster presentation, the 2019 TRF-OHEC Annual Congress (TOAC), Phetchaburi, Thailand.</i>
June 2018	<i>Oral presentation, The 16th International Neurologic and Cardiac Electrophysiology Symposium, Chiang Mai, Thailand</i>
June 2016	<i>Oral presentation, RGJ-PHD congress xvii, Chonburi, Thailand</i>
November 2015	<i>Oral presentation, 8th Federation of the Asian and Oceanian Physiological Society (FAOPS) Congress, Bangkok, Thailand</i>
April 2014	<i>Oral presentation, 43rd Annual Scientific Meeting of The Physiology Society of Thailand, Bangkok, Thailand</i>
June 2013	<i>Oral presentation in the Thailand Research Fund Senior Research Scholar Meeting Professor Dr. Nipon Chattipakorn, Chiang Mai, Thailand</i>
May 2012	<i>Poster presentation, 41st Annual Scientific Meeting of The Physiology Society of Thailand, Bangkok, Thailand</i>
March 2012	<i>Oral presentation, 1st ASEAN plus three graduate research congress, Chiang Mai, Thailand</i>

ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

Current Graduate Student's Dissertation Committee for Ph.D. Program

1. Jirapong Vongsfak, MD **Co-Advisor** (2020-Present)
Research area: Clinical Medical Sciences
2. Kewarin Jinawong, M.Sc. **Co-Advisor** (2021-Present)
Research area: Physiology

Graduate Student's Dissertation Examining Committees

1. Natticha Samneang, Member of the PhD's degree committee
Topic: Physiology
2. Kodchanan Singhanat, Member of the PhD's degree committee
Topic: Physiology
3. Suchan Liao, Co-Advisor, Member of the PhD's degree committee
Topic: Physiology (Neurophysiology)
4. Poomarin Surinkaew, MD, Co-Advisor, Member of the PhD's degree committee
Topic: Clinical Medical Sciences
5. Bussara Suppamaeteekulwat, DDS, Member of the master's degree committee
Topic: Dentistry (Dental surgery)
6. Juthathip Kasikasetsiri, DDS, Member of the residency Committee

- Topic: Dentistry (Dental surgery)
7. Bussarin Arunsak, M.Sc., Member of the master's degree Committee
Topic: Physiology (Neurophysiology)
 8. Kewarin Jinawong, M.Sc., Major Advisor, Member of the master's degree Committee
Topic: Physiology (Neurophysiology)
 9. Borwon Wittayachamnankul, MD, PhD, Member of the PhD's degree Committee
Topic: Clinical Medical Sciences
 10. Passakorn Sawaddiruk, MD, PhD, Member of the PhD's degree Committee
Topic: Clinical Medical Sciences
 11. Chutikorn Khuankaew, DDS, M.Sc., Co-Advisor, Member of the master's degree Committee
Topic: Oral Medicine, Dentistry
 12. Duangkamol Mantor, M.Sc., Member of the master's degree Committee
Topic: Physiology (Neurophysiology)
 13. Puntarik Kaewtep, M.Sc., Member of the master's degree Committee
Topic: Physiology (Neurophysiology)
 14. Apiwan Arinno, M.Sc., **Major Advisor**, Member of the master's degree Committee
Topic: Physiology (Cardiac Physiology)

PEER REVIEWED ARTICLES

1. Huang H, Oo TT, **Apaijai N**, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. An Updated Review of Mitochondrial Transplantation as a Potential Therapeutic Strategy Against Cerebral Ischemia and Cerebral Ischemia/Reperfusion Injury. *Mol Neurobiol*. 2023 (In press)
2. Prathumsap N, Ongnok B, Khuanjing T, Arinno A, Maneechote C, **Apaijai N**, Chunchai T, Arunsak B, Kerdphoo S, Janjek S, Chattipakorn SC, Chattipakorn N. Vagus nerve stimulation exerts cardioprotection against doxorubicin-induced cardiotoxicity through inhibition of programmed cell death pathways. *Cell Mol Life Sci*. 2022;80(1):21. (Impact Factor = 9.26; Q1)
3. Chunchai T, **Apaijai N**, Benjanuwattra J, Pintana H, Singhanat K, Arunsak B, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. Erythropoietin administration exerted neuroprotective effects against cardiac ischemia/reperfusion injury. *Curr Res Pharmacol Drug Discov*. 2022;3:100124.
4. Leucharusmee P, Sawaddiruk P, Punjasawadwong Y, Sugandhavesa N, Klunklin K, Tongprasert S, Sitalertpisan P, **Apaijai N**, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. Ischemic preconditioning upregulates Mitofusin2 and preserves muscle strength in tourniquet-induced ischemia/reperfusion. *J Orthop Translat*. 2022 Oct 14;35:113-121. (Impact Factor = 5.19; Q1)
5. Sriwichaiin S*, **Apaijai N***, Phrommintikul A, Jaiwongkam T, Kerdphoo S, Pratchayasakul W, Thongmung N, Mahantassanapong U, Vathesatogkit P, Kitiyakara C, Sritara P, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. Increased Efficiency of Mitochondrial Coupling with a Reduction in Other Mitochondrial Respiratory Parameters in Peripheral Blood Mononuclear Cells is Observed in Older Adults. *J Gerontol A Biol Sci Med Sci*. 2022 (Impact Factor = 6.05; Q1)

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6. Gomutbutra P, Srikamjak T, Sapinun L, Kunaphanh S, Yingchankul N, **Apaijai N**, Shinlapawittayatorn K, Phuackchantuck R, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn S. Effect of intensive weekend mindfulness-based intervention on BDNF, mitochondria function, and anxiety. A randomized, crossover clinical trial. *Compr Psychoneuroendocrinol*; 11: 100137.
7. Benjanuwattra J*, **Apaijai N***, Chunchai T, Singhanat K, Arunsak B, Intachai K, Chattipakorn SC, Chattipakorn N. The temporal impact of erythropoietin administration on mitochondrial function and dynamics in cardiac ischemia/reperfusion injury. *Exp Mol Pathol*. 2022;104802. (Impact Factor = 3.36, Q2)
** These authors contribute equally to this work*
8. Liao S, Luo Y, Chunchai T, Singhanat K, Arunsak B, Benjanuwattra J, **Apaijai N**, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. An apoptosis inhibitor suppresses microglial and astrocytic activation after cardiac ischemia/reperfusion injury. *Inflamm Res* (In press, Impact Factor = 4.58, Q2).
9. Singhanat K, **Apaijai N**, Sumneang N, Maneechote C, Arunsak B, Chunchai T, Chattipakorn SC, Chattipakorn N. Therapeutic potential of a single-dose melatonin in the attenuation of cardiac ischemia/reperfusion injury in prediabetic obese rats. *Cell Mol Life Sci*. 2022;79(6):300. (Impact Factor = 9.26, Q1)
10. Jinawong K, **Apaijai N**, Piamsiri C, Maneechote C, Arunsak B, Chunchai T, Pintana H, Nawara W, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. Mild cognitive impairment occurs in rats during the early remodeling phase of myocardial infarction. *Neuroscience*. 2022;493:31-40. (Impact Factor = 3.59, Q3)
11. Maneechote C, Chunchai T, **Apaijai N**, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. Pharmacological targeting of mitochondrial fission and fusion alleviates cognitive impairment and brain pathologies in pre-diabetic rats. *Mol Neurobiol*. 2022 (Impact Factor = 5.31, Q1)
12. Luo Y*, **Apaijai N***, Liao S, Maneechote C, Chunchai T, Arunsak B, Benjanuwattra J, Yanpiset P, Chattipakorn SC, Chattipakorn N. Therapeutic potentials of cell death inhibitors in rats with cardiac ischaemia/reperfusion injury. *J Cell Mol Med*. 2022. (Impact Factor = 5.31, Q1)
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13. Leucharusmee P, Sawaddiruk P, Punjasawadwong Y, Sugundhavesa N, Klunklin K, Tongprasert S, Sitalertpisan P, Jaiwongkam T, **Apaijai N**, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. CoenzymeQ10 and ischemic preconditioning potentially prevent tourniquet-induced ischemia/reperfusion in knee arthroplasty, but combined pretreatment possibly neutralizes their beneficial effects. *Antioxidants (Basel)*. 2022; 11(2): 419. (Impact Factor = 6.313, Q1)
14. Prathumsap N, Ongnok B, Khuanjing T, Arinno A, Maneechote C, **Apaijai N**, Chunchai T, Arunsak B, Shinlapawittayatorn K, Chattipakorn SC, Chattipakorn N. Acetylcholine receptor agonists provide cardioprotection in doxorubicin-induced cardiotoxicity via modulating muscarinic M₂ and α 7 nicotinic receptor expression. *Transl Res*. 2021: S1931-5244(21)00288-7. (Impact Factor = 7.012, Q1)
15. Tun Oo T, Sumneang N, Ongnok B, Arunsak B, Chunchai T, Kerdphoo S, **Apaijai N**, Pratchayasakul W, Liang G, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. L6H21 protects against cognitive impairment and brain pathologies via toll-like receptor 4-myeloid

- differentiation factor 2 signaling in prediabetic rats. *Br J Pharmacol.* 2022;179(6):1220-1236. (Impact Factor = 8.739, Q1)
16. Sumneang N, Oo TT, Singhanat K, Maneechote C, Arunsak B, Nawara W, Pratchayasakul W, Benjanuwattra J, **Apaijai N**, Liang G, Chattipakorn SC, Chattipakorn N. Inhibition of myeloid differentiation factor 2 attenuates cardiometabolic impairments via reducing cardiac mitochondrial dysfunction, inflammation, apoptosis and ferroptosis in prediabetic rats. *Biochim Biophys Acta Mol Basis Dis.* 2021;1868(2):166301.
 17. Liao S*, **Apaijai N***, Luo Y, Wu J, Chunchai T, Singhanat K, Arunsak B, Benjanuwattra J, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. Cell death inhibitors protect against brain damage caused by cardiac ischemia/reperfusion injury. *Cell Death Discov.* 2021;7(1):312.
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 18. Vongsfak J, Pratchayasakul W, **Apaijai N**, Vaniyapong T, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. The alterations in mitochondrial dynamics following cerebral ischemia/reperfusion injury. *Antioxidants (Basel).* 2021;10(9):1384
 19. Ongnok B, Khuanjing T, Chunchai T, Pantiya P, Kerdphoo S, Arunsak B, Nawara W, Jaiwongkam T, **Apaijai N**, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. Donepezil protects against doxorubicin-induced chemobrain in rats via attenuation of inflammation and oxidative stress without interfering with doxorubicin efficacy. *Neurotherapeutics.* 2021 (In press)
 20. **Apaijai N**, Jinawong K, Singhanat K, Jaiwongkam T, Kerdphoo S, Chattipakorn S, Chattipakorn N. Necrostatin-1 reduces cardiac and mitochondrial dysfunction in prediabetic rats. *J Endocrinol.* 2021;251(1):27-39
 21. Suppamaeteekulwat B*, **Apaijai N***, Aschaitrakool Y, Chamusri N, Jaiwongkam T, Kerdphoo S, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. The differences in mitochondrial function, mitochondrial dynamics, and cell death between odontogenic cysts/tumors and normal dental follicles. *Mitochondrion.* 2021;59:175-183. (Impact factor = 3.992, Q1)
* *These authors contribute equally to this work*
 22. Kingnate C, Charoenkwan K, Kumfu S, **Apaijai N**, Jaiwongkam T, Khunamornpong S, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. Platinum-based chemotherapy and bevacizumab instigate the destruction of human ovarian cancers via different signaling pathways. *Biochem Pharmacol.* 2021:114587. (Impact factor = 4.960, Q1)
 23. Jinawong K, **Apaijai N**, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. Cognitive impairment in myocardial infarction and heart failure. *Acta Physiol (Oxf).* 2021:e13642. (Impact factor = 5.542, Q1)
 24. Saiyasit N, Chunchai T, Jaiwongkam T, Kerdphoo S, **Apaijai N**, Pratchayasakul W, Srietchwande J, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. Neurotensin receptor 1 agonist provides neuroprotection in pre-diabetic rats. *J Endocrinol.* 2021;248(1):59-74. (Impact factor = 4.041, Q1)
 25. Ketpueak T, Thiennimitr P, **Apaijai N**, Chattipakorn SC, Chattipakorn N. Association of chronic opisthorchis infestation and microbiota alteration on tumorigenesis in

- cholangiocarcinoma. Clin Transl Gastroenterol. 2020;12(1):e00292. (Impact factor = 3.374, Q1)
26. Singhanat K, **Apaijai N**, Jaiwongkam T, Kerdphoo S, Chattipakorn SC, Chattipakorn N. Melatonin as a therapy in cardiac ischemia-reperfusion injury: Potential mechanisms by which MT2 activation mediates cardioprotection. J Ad Res. 2020;29:33-34 (Impact factor = 6.99, Q1)
 27. **Apaijai N**, Sriwichaiin S, Phrommintikul A, Jaiwongkam T, Kerdphoo S, Chansirikarnjana S, Thongmung N, Mahantassanapong U, Vathesatogkit P, Kitiyakara C, Sritara P, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. Cognitive impairment is associated with mitochondrial dysfunction in peripheral blood mononuclear cells of elderly population. Sci Rep. 2020;10(1):21400 (Impact factor = 3.99, Q1)
 28. Saiyasit N, Chunchai T, Jaiwongkam T, Kerdphoo S, **Apaijai N**, Pratchayasakul W, Srietchwandee J, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. Neurotensin receptor 1 agonist provides neuroprotection in pre-diabetic rats. J Endocrinol. 2020. (Impact factor = 4.041, Q1)
 29. Patel AMR, **Apaijai N**, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn S. The protective and reparative role of colony stimulating factors in the brain with cerebral ischemia / reperfusion injury. Neuroendocrinology. 2020 (Impact factor = 4.271, Q1)
 30. Liao S, **Apaijai N**, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. The possible roles of necroptosis during cerebral ischemia and ischemia / reperfusion injury. Arch Biochem Biophys. 2020; 695: 1086 (Impact factor =3.391, Q1)
 31. Sumneang N, **Apaijai N**, Chattipakorn SC, Chattipakorn N. Myeloid Differentiation Factor 2 in the Heart: Bench to bedside evidence for potential clinical benefits? Pharmacol Res. 2020; 105239 (Impact factor =5.893, Q1)
 32. Soontornpun A, Manoyana N, **Apaijai N**, Pinyopornpanish K, Pinyopornpanish K, Nadsasarn A, Tanprawate S, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. Influenza immunization does not predominantly alter levels of phenytoin, and cytochrome P-450 enzymes in epileptic patients receiving phenytoin monotherapy. Epilepsy Res. 2020; 167: 106471. (Impact factor = 2.208, Q2)
 33. Surinkaew P*, **Apaijai N***, Sawaddiruk P, Jaiwongkam T, Kerdphoo S, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. Mitochondrial fusion promoter alleviates brain damage in rats with cardiac ischemia/reperfusion injury. J Alzheimers Dis. 2020; 77(3): 993-1003 (Impact factor = 3.909, Q1)
 * *These authors contribute equally to this work*
 34. Leech T*, **Apaijai N***, Palee S, Higgins LA, Maneechote C, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. Acute administration of metformin prior to cardiac ischemia/reperfusion injury protects brain injury. Eur J Pharmacol. 2020; 885: 173418 (Impact factor = 3.263, Q1)
 * *These authors contribute equally to this work*

35. Chunchai T, Keawtep P, Arinno A, Saiyasit N, Prus D, **Apaijai N**, Pratchayasakul W, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. A combination of an antioxidant with a prebiotic exerts greater efficacy than either as a monotherapy on cognitive improvement in castrated-obese male rats. *Metab Brain Dis*. 2020 (in press) (Impact factor =2.74, Q1)
36. Benjanuwattra J, **Apaijai N**, Chunchai T, Kerdphoo S, Jaiwongkam T, Arunsak B, Wongsuchai S, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. Metformin preferentially provides neuroprotection following cardiac ischemia/reperfusion in non-diabetic rats. *Biochim Biophys Acta Mol Basis Dis*. 2020; 1866(10): 165893. (Impact factor = 4.352, Q1)
37. Lahnwong S, Palee S, **Apaijai N**, Sriwichaiin S, Kerdphoo S, Jaiwongkam T, Chattipakorn SC, Chattipakorn N. Acute dapagliflozin administration exerts cardioprotective effects in rats with cardiac ischemia/reperfusion injury. *Cardiovasc Diabetol*. 2020; 19(1): 91. (Impact factor = 7.332, Q1)
38. Arinno A, **Apaijai N**, Chattipakorn SC, Chattipakorn N. The roles of resveratrol on cardiac mitochondrial function in cardiac diseases. *Eur J Nutr*. 2020 (in press). (Impact factor = 4.449, Q1)
39. Wittayachamnankul B, **Apaijai N**, Sutham K, Chenthanakij B, Liwsrisakun C, Jaiwongkam T, Chattipakorn SC, Chattipakorn N. High central venous oxygen saturation is associated with mitochondrial dysfunction in septic shock: A prospective observational study. *J Cell Mol Med*. 2020; 24(11): 6485-6494. (Impact factor = 4.658, Q1)
40. Jinawong K*, **Apaijai N***, Wongsuchai S, Pratchayasakul W, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. Necrostatin-1 Mitigates Cognitive Dysfunction in Prediabetic Rats With no Alteration in Insulin Sensitivity. *Diabetes*. 2020; 69(7): 1411-1423. (Impact factor =7.720, Q1)
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41. Saiyasit N, Chunchai T, **Apaijai N**, Pratchayasakul W, Sripetchwandee J, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. Chronic high-fat diet consumption induces an alteration in plasma/brain neurotensin signaling, metabolic disturbance, systemic inflammation/oxidative stress, brain apoptosis, and dendritic spine loss. *Neuropeptides*. 2020: 102047. (Impact factor =2.407, Q1)
42. Maneechote C, Palee S, **Apaijai N**, Kerdphoo S, Jaiwongkam T, Chattipakorn SC, Chattipakorn N. Mitochondrial dynamic modulation exerts cardiometabolic protection in obese insulin-resistant rats. *Clin Sci (Lond)*. 2019;133(24):2431-2447. (Impact factor = 5.237, Q1)
43. Saiyasit N, Chunchai T, Prus D, Suparan K, Pittayapong P, **Apaijai N**, Pratchayasakul W, Sripetchwandee J, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. Gut dysbiosis develops before metabolic disturbance and cognitive decline in high-fat diet-induced obese condition¹ *Nutrition*. 2019; 69: 110576. (Impact factor = 3.591, Q1)
44. Thonusin C, **Apaijai N**, Jaiwongkam T, Kerdphoo S, Arunsak B, Amput P, Palee S, Pratchayasakul W, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. The comparative effects of high dose atorvastatin and proprotein convertase subtilisin/kexin type 9 inhibitor on the

- mitochondria of oxidative muscle fibers in obese-insulin resistant female rats. *Toxicol Appl Pharmacol.* 2019; 382: 114741 (Impact factor = 3.585, Q1)
45. Sawaddiruk P, **Apaijai N**, Paiboonworachat S, Kaewchur T, Kasitanon N, Jaiwongkam T, Kerdphoo S, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. Coenzyme Q10 supplementation alleviates pain in pregabalin-treated fibromyalgia patients via reducing brain activity and mitochondrial dysfunction. *Free Radic Res.* 2019: 1-9 (Impact factor = 2.825, Q2)
 46. Chunchai T, Keawtep P, Arinno A, Saiyasit N, Prus D, **Apaijai N**, Pratchayasakul W, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. N-acetyl cysteine, inulin and the two as a combined therapy ameliorate cognitive decline in testosterone-deprived rats. *Aging (Albany NY).* 2019; 11(11): 3445-3462. (Impact factor = 5.515, Q1)
 47. Keawtep P, Pratchayasakul W, Arinno A, **Apaijai N**, Chunchai T, Kerdphoo S, Jaiwongkam T, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. Combined dipeptidyl peptidase-4 inhibitor with low-dose testosterone exerts greater efficacy than monotherapy on improving brain function in orchietomized obese rats. *Exp Gerontol.* 2019; 123: 45-56. (Impact factor = 3.224, Q2)
 48. Sivasinprasan S, Palee S, Chattipakorn K, Jaiwongkam T, **Apaijai N**, Pratchayasakul W, Chattipakorn S, Chattipakorn N. N-acetylcysteine with low-dose estrogen reduces cardiac ischemia-reperfusion injury. *J Endocrinol.* 2019; 242(2): 37-50 (Impact factor = 4.012, Q1)
 49. **Apaijai N***, Moiesescu DM*, Palee S, McSweeney CM, Saiyasit N, Maneechote C, Boonag C, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. Pretreatment with PCSK9 inhibitor protects the brain against cardiac ischemia/reperfusion injury through a reduction of neuronal inflammation and amyloid beta aggregation. *J Am Heart Assoc* 2019; 8 (22): e010838 (Impact factor = 4.450, Q1). * *These authors contribute equally to this work*
 50. Arinno A*, **Apaijai N***, Keawtep P, Pratchayasakul W, Jaiwongkam T, Kerdphoo S, Chattipakorn S, Chattipakorn N. Combined low-dose testosterone and vildagliptin confers cardioprotection in castrated obese rats. *J Endocrinol.* 2019: JOE-18-0673. (Impact factor = 4.012, Q1) * *These authors contribute equally to this work*
 51. Chunchai T, **Apaijai N**, Keawtep P, Mantor D, Arinno A, Pratchayasakul W, Chattipakorn N, Chattipakorn SC. Testosterone deprivation intensifies cognitive decline in obese male rats via glial hyperactivity, increased oxidative stress, and apoptosis in both hippocampus and cortex. *Acta Physiol (Oxf).* 2018; 226(1): e13229 (Impact factor = 5.93, Q1)
 52. **Apaijai N**, Arinno A, Palee S, Pratchayasakul W, Kerdphoo S, Jaiwongkam T, Chunchai T, Chattipakorn SC, Chattipakorn N. High-saturated fat high-sugar diet accelerates left-ventricular dysfunction faster than high-saturated fat diet alone via increasing oxidative stress and apoptosis in obese-insulin resistant rats. *Mol Nutr Food Res* 2018: e1800729 (Impact factor = 5.151, Q1)

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