

CORRECTION

## Correction: Endothelial-Derived Oxidative Stress Drives Myofibroblastic Activation and Calcification of the Aortic Valve

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Fig 3 is incorrect in panels E through I. The authors have provided a corrected version here.



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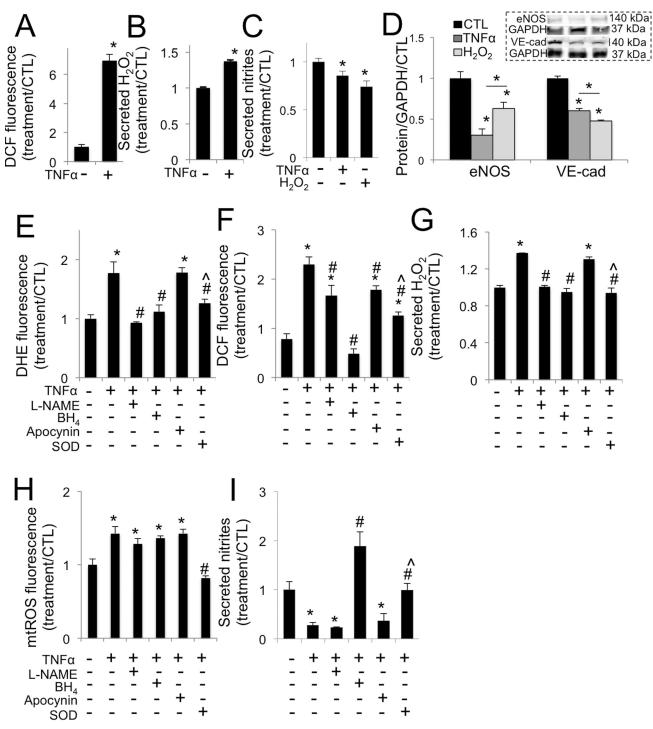


Fig 3. TNF $\alpha$  drives increased oxidative stress in aortic valve endothelial cells via eNOS uncoupling. A, TNF $\alpha$  increases oxidative stress in VEC at 30 minutes. B, TNF $\alpha$  increases hydrogen peroxide (H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>) secretion from VEC at 30 minutes. C, TNF $\alpha$  or H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> decrease nitric oxide secretion from VEC at 48 hours (n = 4). D, TNF $\alpha$  or H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> decrease eNOS and VE-cadherin expression in VEC at 48 hours. Representative western blot images (inset) and blot quantification. E, L-NAME, BH<sub>4</sub>, or peg-SOD but not apocynin block increases in superoxide (DHE) in VEC caused by TNF $\alpha$ , at 30 minutes. F, L-NAME, apocynin, and peg-SOD mitigate increases in general oxidative stress (DCF) caused by TNF $\alpha$  at 30 minutes, but only BH<sub>4</sub> completely blocks superoxide increase, maintaining control levels. G, L-NAME, BH<sub>4</sub>, or peg-SOD but not apocynin block increases in H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> secreted by VEC at 30 minutes caused by TNF $\alpha$  at 30 minutes. H, TNF $\alpha$  drives increased mtROS, mitigated only by co-treatment with SOD. I, BH<sub>4</sub>, or peg-SOD but not L-NAME or apocynin block decreases in nitric oxide secretion in VEC caused by TNF $\alpha$  at 48 hours. \* indicates p < 0.05 versus control. # indicates p < 0.05 versus TNF $\alpha$ . ^ indicates p < 0.05 versus apocynin. N = 4.

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