

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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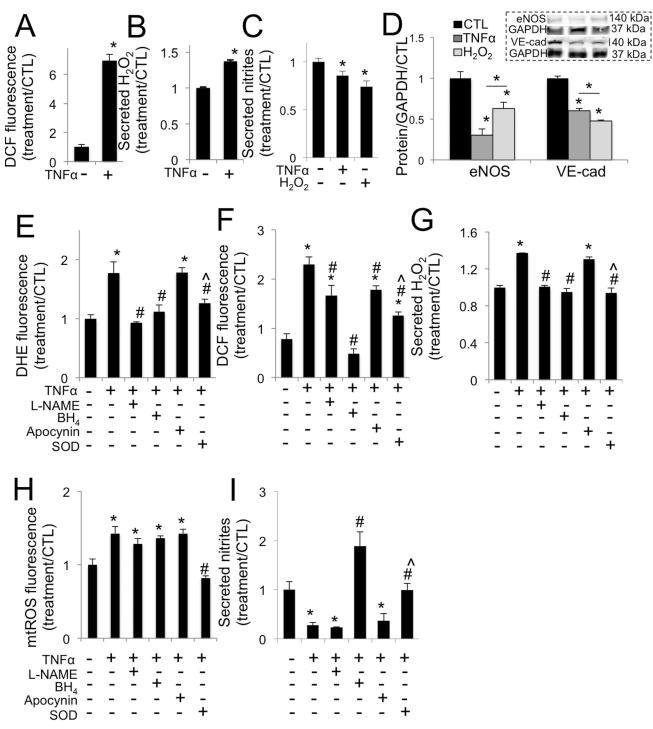


Fig 3. TNF α drives increased oxidative stress in aortic valve endothelial cells via eNOS uncoupling. A, TNF α increases oxidative stress in VEC at 30 minutes. B, TNF α increases hydrogen peroxide (H₂O₂) secretion from VEC at 30 minutes. C, TNF α or H₂O₂ decrease nitric oxide secretion from VEC at 48 hours (n = 4). D, TNF α or H₂O₂ decrease eNOS and VE-cadherin expression in VEC at 48 hours. Representative western blot images (inset) and blot quantification. E, L-NAME, BH₄, or peg-SOD but not apocynin block increases in superoxide (DHE) in VEC caused by TNF α , at 30 minutes. F, L-NAME, apocynin, and peg-SOD mitigate increases in general oxidative stress (DCF) caused by TNF α at 30 minutes, but only BH₄ completely blocks superoxide increase, maintaining control levels. G, L-NAME, BH₄, or peg-SOD but not apocynin block increases in H₂O₂ secreted by VEC at 30 minutes caused by TNF α at 30 minutes. H, TNF α drives increased mtROS, mitigated only by co-treatment with SOD. I, BH₄, or peg-SOD but not L-NAME or apocynin block decreases in nitric oxide secretion in VEC caused by TNF α at 48 hours. * indicates p < 0.05 versus control. # indicates p < 0.05 versus TNF α . ^ indicates p < 0.05 versus apocynin. N = 4.

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