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Petr Ostadal was born in 1972 in Prague, Czech Republic. After completing his studies in 1996 at the 2nd Faculty of Charles University in Prague, he worked at the Department of Internal Medicine and then at the Department of Cardiology in the University Hospital Motol (Prague, Czech Republic). In the years 2006–2008, he worked at the 3rd Department of Internal Medicine - Cardiology of University Hospital Kralovske Vinohrady (Prague, Czech Republic) as head physician of Coronary Care Unit C. In the years 2008–2023, he worked at Na Homolce Hospital (Prague, Czech Republic) as the head physician of the Department of Acute Cardiology and deputy head of the Department of Cardiology. From 2023, he is the head of the Department of Cardiology, 2nd Faculty of Medicine, Charles University and University Hospital Motol (Prague, Czech Republic). In 2004, he defended Ph.D. thesis in the field of human physiology and pathophysiology and in 2020 he became a professor of medicine at the 2nd Faculty of Medicine, Charles University. He is the president of the Czech Society of Cardiology (for the period 2023-2027) and the chairman of the Czech Acute Cardiac Care Association. His areas of expertise include pathogenic mechanisms and management of cardiogenic shock and cardiac arrest (with a special focus on post-cardiac arrest syndrome), use of mechanical circulatory support, and management of acute coronary syndrome.