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Dr. Adrian Sturza was also the recipient of several *international awards* including Early Career Investigator Competition Award at The 5th European Section Meeting of the International Academy of Cardiovascular Sciences, Slovakia, 2018, the 1st Prize for Poster Presentation at 2nd European Section Meeting of the International Academy of Cardiovascular Science, Serbia, 2015, Pavel Braveny Poster Competition Award at the International Symposium in Cardiovascular Research, Smolenice Castle, Slovakia, 2015, as well as *national prizes* awarded during the meetings of the Romanian Society of Diabetes (2023, 2022, 2017, 2016), and Romanian Society of Cardiology (2022) and Romanian Society of Pathophysiology (2017). In 2018 he was the winner of the Prize for the Scientific Activity awarded by the "Victor Babeş" University of Medicine and Pharmacy from Timişoara. He currently serves as treasurer of the Centre for Translational Research and Systems Medicine, Advanced Research Centre of the university.