

## **Strategy for SIG Vascular Physiology**

### Strategies:

We will extend our collaborations to all Scandinavian countries.

We will constitute the link to other relevant societies (physiological and pharmacological) within Europe and the rest of the World. Contact to Microcirculatory Society will be established. Interaction with Danish Hypertension Society and Danish Cardiovascular Research Academy is established.

We will focus on vasculature as a whole and not limit ourselves to microcirculation.

We will encourage clinical collaborations. SIG will constitute the link to clinicians within vascular research.

SIG will encourage collaborations for major grant applications within Scandinavia and Europe.

SIG will encourage education in Physiology and exchange of young scientists between SIG members.

### Resources:

Members of SIG are encouraged to submit papers to *Acta Physiologica*.

SIG will exploit SPS interfaces (e.g. with IUPS).

SIG will encourage members to invite both senior scientists and students to labs around Scandinavia.

SIG will support applications for SIG meeting travel grants from the Scandinavian Physiological Society.

SIG will provide a database for researches containing key competences and available models in the Scandinavian labs to facilitate collaborations.

SIG can be extended by SPS beyond the 5 year period.

*Acta Physiologica* can be sponsor for symposia in relevant meeting.

### Planned activities:

SIG will support the SPS satellite meeting EDH2015 ([www.sdu.dk/edh2015](http://www.sdu.dk/edh2015))

SIG be part of the Copenhagen Vascular Meeting 2016.

Large SIG meeting at the end of the first 5-year period.