Foreword

Cardiac Conduction System Disorders

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We are delighted that Dr Prystowsky accepted our invitation to edit this issue of the *Cardiac Electrophysiology Clinics* devoted to conduction system disorders. Dr Prystowsky has been active as a researcher, practitioner, and teacher in electrophysiology for over 40 years, and he has a unique perspective because he has seen these important concepts evolve over the last four decades.

Along with Dr Padanilam, Dr Prystowsky has focused the table of contents on the most important phenomenon related to the conduction system of the heart. He has chosen contributors who are well-known teachers and researchers to expound on everything from anatomy and physiology to the various electrical phenomena seen in clinical practice.

This issue of the *Cardiac Electrophysiology Clinics* is essential reading for fellows in electrophysiology as well as for practicing clinical electrophysiologists. Fellows will find tons to learn and to fill gaps in their knowledge, while the practitioner will find lots of concepts that they knew but may have forgotten.

We intend to gift copies of this issue to our current electrophysiology fellows as well as our recent fellowship graduates. It will be a useful reference for our lab personnel and, indeed, for all of us. We thank Drs Prystowsky and Padanilam for this service to the electrophysiology community.

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