



Academic Bio

Assoc. Prof. Tomas Lapinskas is a cardiologist specializing in diagnosing and treating cardiac diseases at the Department of Cardiology, Hospital of Lithuanian University of Health Sciences Kauno klinikos. He has unique expertise and interest in non-invasive cardiovascular imaging, especially cardiovascular magnetic resonance. During his studies, Assoc. Prof. Lapinskas completed several cardiovascular imaging fellowships at the University of Gent (Belgium), University Medical Center Rotterdam (The Netherlands), University Hospital of Vienna (Austria), and German Heart Center Berlin (Germany) in 2010–2012. From 2016 until 2018, he worked as a senior research fellow at MRI-Core-Lab of German Heart Center Berlin, where he participated in ongoing multicenter and institutional CMR projects.

Assoc. Prof. Lapinskas is a member of the international experts' group and has been actively involved in the preparation of a position paper which comprehensively described the role of cardiovascular imaging in cancer patients receiving cardiotoxic therapies (doi:

[10.1002/ejhf.1957](https://doi.org/10.1002/ejhf.1957)). Assoc. Prof. Lapinskas is a frequently invited speaker and shares his

knowledge at national and international scientific events

(<https://esc365.escardio.org/Person/28020-dr-lapinskas-tomas>). By 2021 Assoc. Prof. Lapinskas is an Advocacy Committee Member of the Society for Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance (<https://scmr.org/page/SCMRCommittees>).

Since 2018, Assoc. Prof. Lapinskas is acting as a Director for Public Health, Research and Education at the Hospital of Lithuanian University of Health Sciences Kauno klinikos and is a member of the Hospital Board of Executive Directors.