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RESEARCH AREA

- Physiology and pathophysiology of the cardiovascular system.
- Regulation of the cerebral blood flow.
- Signaling pathways of the endothelium and smooth muscle.
- Physiological and pathophysiological functions of lipid mediators in the cardiovascular system.
- Tumor angiogenesis and metastasis formation.
- Physiological control and dysfunctions of the urinary bladder.

TECHNIQUES AVAILABLE IN THE LAB

- Wire and pressure myography.
- Langendorff heart system.
- In vivo measurement of cardiovascular parameters and perfusion of the brain.
- Telemetric blood pressure recording.
- Cystometry.
- Protein- and mRNA-based gene expression analysis.

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

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- Thomas, M.J., Major, E., Benedek, A., Horváth, I., Máthé, D., Bergmann, R., Szász, A.M., Krenács, T., **Benyó, Z.** (2020) Suppression of metastatic melanoma growth in lung by modulated electro-hyperthermia monitored by a minimally invasive heat stress testing approach in mice. *Cancers* **12:** 3872.
- Dancs, P.T., Ruisánchez, E., Balogh, A., Panta, C.R., Miklós, Z., Nüsing, R.M., Aoki, J., Chun, J., Offermanns, S., Tigyi, G., **Benyó, Z.** (2017) LPA1 receptor-mediated thromboxane A2 release is responsible for lysophosphatidic acid-induced vascular smooth muscle contraction. *FASEB Journal* **31:** 1547-1555.