


# Prvih 100

## The First 100

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### Pred Vama je 100. broj *Cardiologiae Croaticae*!

Časopis Hrvatskoga kardiološkog društva u svojem tiskanom i paralelnom elektroničkom izdanju od samog početka promiče kardiološku struku i pritom ističe doprinos hrvatskoga znanja u okruženju europske kardiologije. Slično razvoju velikoga nacionalnog kardiološkog projekta, Hrvatske mreže intervencijskog liječenja akutnog infarkta miokarda, i razvoj serijske publikacije *Cardiologiae Croaticae* tekao je postupno tijekom prethodnih 15 godina, uz mnogo entuzijazma i predanog rada.

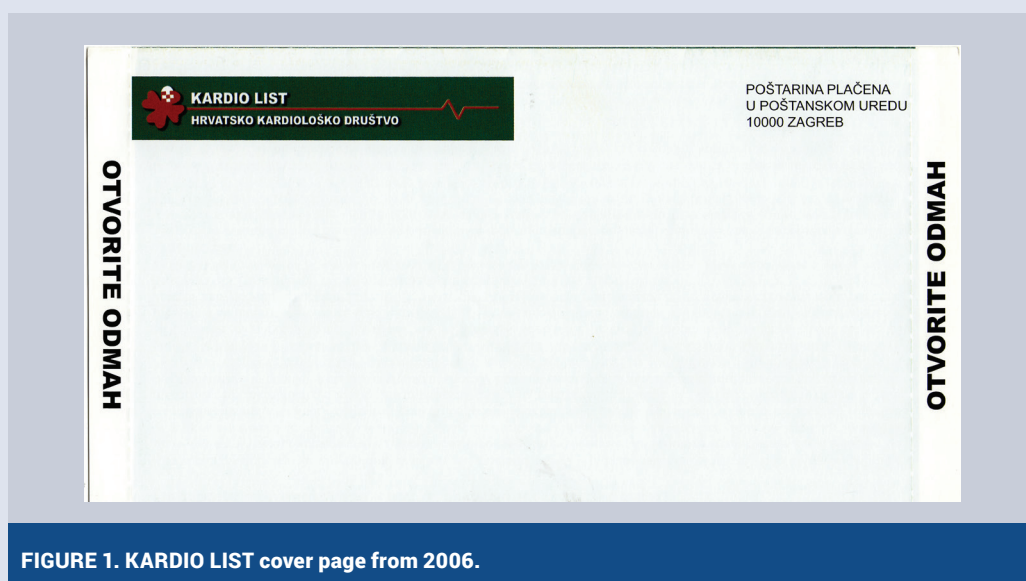
Ubrzo nakon formiranja mrežnog sjedišta *kardio.hr*, od svibnja 2006. godine u glasilu društva pod nazivom *KARDIO LIST* rješavali smo tehničke, organizacijske, uredničke, distribucijske i slične izazove. Glasilo je tada bilo zamišljeno kao mjesečnik, a naklada je bila 500 primjeraka.<sup>1</sup> Kako smo počeli prikupljati sve više novih i zanimljivih priloga, kardiološko pismo (neobičajan format za hrvatsku časopisnu produkciju, dimenzija 22,5 x 12,5 cm; **Slika 1**) u 2007. godini zamijenili smo nešto većim

### The 100th issue of *Cardiologia Croatica* is before you!

As a journal of the Croatian Cardiac Society, it has promoted the profession of cardiology since its inception in both its printed and parallel electronic formats, emphasizing the contribution of Croatian knowledge within the framework of European cardiology. Just like the development of the great national cardiology project, the Croatian Primary Percutaneous Coronary Intervention Network, the development of the serial publications of *Cardiologia Croatica* took place gradually over the past 15 years, as a result of much enthusiasm and hard work.

Soon after the formation of the website *kardio.hr*, we have addressed various technical, organizational, editorial, distributional, and similar challenges since May 2006 as part of the publication of the newsletter of the society entitled *KARDIO LIST*. The newsletter was envisaged as a monthly publication consisting of 500 copies.<sup>1</sup> As we began to receive more and more new and interesting submissions, in 2007 we replaced the cardiology newsletter (an unusual

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**FIGURE 1.** KARDIO LIST cover page from 2006.

(16,5 x 22,5 cm) dvomjesečnikom koji od tada objavljujemo u prosječnoj nakladi od 1100 primjeraka (**Tablica 1**). Objava paralelnih stupaca cjelovitih tekstova na hrvatskom i engleskom jeziku zahtijevala je sadašnji format časopisa kakav je dostupan od 2008. godine. Zahvaljujući otvorenom pristupu časopis je tada i prvi put indeksiran u međunarodnom programu (HINARI)<sup>2,3</sup>. Potkraj 2011. godine pojedinačni članci KARDIO LIST-a postaju indeksirani na Portalu hrvatskih znanstvenih i stručnih časopisa HRČAK (<https://hrcak.srce.hr/>; **Tablica 2**) i u međunarodnoj EBSCO bazi podataka<sup>4</sup> kojoj se pristupa preko EBSCOhost platforme na Portalu elektroničkih izvora za hrvatsku akademsku i znanstvenu zajednicu (<http://baze.nsk.hr/>). To je značilo novi uzlet časopisa jer su objavljeni i indeksirani članci postali mnogo dostupniji i mogli su se iskoristiti za napredak u karijeri.

U lipnju 2012. godine radi bolje međunarodne prepoznatljivosti uslijedila je promjena naziva časopisa u *Cardiologia Croatica*, a bila je praćena i većim brojem i otiskom u boji svih stranica. Edukacija članova Uredničkog odbora, pridržavanje principa što ih preporučuju međunarodne organizacije urednika (*International Committee of Medical Journal Editors*,

format for Croatian journal publishing, 22.5×12.5 cm in size; **Figure 1**) with a somewhat larger (16.5×22.5 cm) bimonthly issue which has since been published at an average 1100 copies per issue (**Table 1**). Publication of parallel columns of the full text of articles in both Croatian and English required the current journal dimension which have been available since 2008. Thanks to its open access approach, the journal was then indexed for the first time in an international program (HINARI)<sup>2,3</sup>. Towards the end of 2011, individual articles of the *KARDIO LIST* journal were indexed in the Portal of Croatian Scientific and Professional Journals (HRČAK) (<https://hrcak.srce.hr/>; **Table 2**) and in the international EBSCO database<sup>4</sup> that can be accessed through the EBSCOhost platform at the Portal of Electronic Sources for the Croatian Academic and Scientific Community (<http://baze.nsk.hr/>). This was a significant achievement for the journal since the published and indexed articles became much more accessible and could be used as qualifications for academic promotion.

In June 2012, the title of the journal was changed to *Cardiologia Croatica* for better international accessibility, which was accompanied by a shift to larger issues and color printing

**TABLE 1. Overview of the annual volumes of *Cardiologia Croatica* according to number of issues, pages, congress proceedings, and guidelines.**

| Year                      | Issues published | Number of pages | Congress proceedings | Guidelines |
|---------------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------------|------------|
| up to June 2019           | 3                | 156             | 1                    |            |
| 2018                      | 6                | 540             | 3                    |            |
| 2017                      | 7                | 460             | 4                    | 1          |
| 2016                      | 8                | 648             | 3                    | 1          |
| 2015                      | 6                | 296             | 2                    |            |
| 2014                      | 6                | 580             | 3                    |            |
| 2013                      | 7                | 472             | 4                    |            |
| 2012                      | 7                | 336             | 2                    |            |
| 2011                      | 7                | 444             | 2                    |            |
| 2010                      | 8                | 324             | 1                    |            |
| 2009                      | 7                | 172             | 2                    |            |
| 2008                      | 9                | 161             | 3                    |            |
| 2007                      | 12               | 84              | 2                    |            |
| from May to December 2006 | 7                | 29              | 0                    |            |
| <b>Total</b>              | <b>100</b>       | <b>4702</b>     | <b>32</b>            | <b>2</b>   |

**TABLE 2. Data on full text visits for the *Cardiologia Croatica* journal at the Portal of Croatian Scientific and Professional Journals (HRČAK) (Source: HRČAK, Apr 28, 2019).**

| Inclusion date | Published issues in HRČAK | Full text visits | Total visits |
|----------------|---------------------------|------------------|--------------|
| 2011-08-29     | 55                        | 98827            | 184203       |

Committee on Publication Ethics, European Association of Science Editors i dr.) te uključivanje u Mrežu urednika nacionalnih kardiovaskularnih časopisa Europskoga kardiološkog društva rezultirali su suvremenim standardom uredničkoga rada i objavljivanja.<sup>5,6</sup> Od sredine 2014. godine sunakladnik časopisa postaje tvrtka *Medicinska naklada* koja zajedno s uredničkim timom znatno unaprjeđuje dizajn i produkciju časopisa. Od tada se u objavljenim prilogima koristimo standardima poput xml (engl. *eXtensible Markup Language*) datoteka i QR kodova (engl. *Quick Response code*), DOI (engl. *Digital Object Identifier*) oznake (**Tablica 3**), a autori se identificiraju ORCID identifikatorima (engl. *Open Researcher and Contributor ID*).<sup>7</sup>

Daljnji razvoj časopisa možemo zahvaliti većoj vidljivosti i dostupnosti časopisa u mrežnom okruženju, otvorenom pristupu, aktivnoj suradnji s autorima, politici nenaplaćivanja troška objave radova i kontinuiranoj podršci stalnog sponzora časopisa.

on all of the journal's pages. Educating the members of the Editorial Board, adherence to the principles recommended by international organizations of journal editors (*International Committee of Medical Journal Editors, Committee on Publication Ethics, European Association of Science Editors, etc.*), and joining the Editors Network of the European Society of Cardiology National Cardiac Society Journals has resulted in the achievement of a modern standard of editorial work and publishing.<sup>5,6</sup> The *Medicinska naklada* publishing house has been a co-publisher of the journal since mid-2014 and has significantly improved the design and production of the journal in cooperation with the editors. This has included the introduction and use of standards such as XML (*eXtensible Markup Language*) translation, QR codes (*Quick Response code*), and DOI (*Digital Object Identifier*) numbers (**Table 3**), as well as the identification of authors using ORCID (*Open Researcher and Contributor ID*) numbers.<sup>7</sup>

Further developments of the journal are the result of greater online visibility and accessibility of the journal, open access, active cooperation with the authors, a policy of never charging for article publication, and continued support from the journal's permanent sponsor.

**TABLE 3. Resolution counts for *Cardiologia Croatica* (Source: CrossRef, May 5, 2019).**

| Resolution Counts  |             |                                    |
|--|-------------|------------------------------------|
| Resolution Success   |             |                                    |
| Monthly minimum  | 412         | September 2015                     |
| Monthly maximum  | 20980       | November 2017                      |
| Monthly average  | 2858        |                                    |
| Total  | 151462      | December 2014 to April 2019        |
| <b>Total number of Digital Object Identifiers registered</b> | <b>1325</b> | <b>November 2014 to April 2019</b> |

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