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Paul Armstrong is a Distinguished University Professor at the University of Alberta. He serves in a broad range of consultative, editorial, and research leadership roles and is the recipient of numerous awards for scholarly and societal contributions. He publishes extensively, frequently lectures in national and international academic forums, and plays an active leadership role in the conduct of a number of ongoing cardiovascular clinical trials and data safety monitoring boards. He serves as an associate editor for the *Journal of the American College of Cardiology* and *Circulation: Heart Failure*, a guest editor for the *American Heart Journal*, *Circulation* and *JACC Heart Failure*, and is a member of several editorial boards including those of the *American Heart Journal*, the *European Heart Journal*, *JAMA Cardiology* and *Circulation*. Dr. Armstrong's commitment to the education, training, and mentoring of healthcare professionals, research trainees, and faculty spans over 40 years and is a key signature of his career. He is internationally recognized for his expertise in acute coronary disease and heart failure and has a particular interest in novel approaches to the design of clinical trials and their interpretation. Dr. Armstrong is the founding Director of the Canadian VIGOUR Centre (Virtual Coordinating Centre for Global Collaborative Cardiovascular Research), a University of Alberta Research Centre devoted to enhancing cardiovascular health for current and future generations through the conduct of innovative clinical investigations. He was the founding President of the Canadian Academy of Health Sciences (CAHS) and is a Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada as well as an Officer in the Order of Canada.
