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Second Response to the Editor and to the Reviewers

We thank the Editor and Reviewers for their careful reading of our manuscript. In response to the additional comments from the Editor, the manuscript has been revised again. Please find below a detailed point-to-point response to each of the Editor's comments.

1. Please include the email addresses of all authors on the title page.

All author email addresses have been included on the title page.

2. Please clarify where the animals were sourced from. We noted that you have mentioned The Jackson Laboratory, is this were the mice were purchased from?

LDLr-/- mice were purchased from The Jackson Laboratory. This information, including the stock number, is now provided in the manuscript.
3. Please clarify who GD is in the Authors' Contributions section, none of the authors appear to have these initials.

Inclusion of GD has been a mistake, which has been corrected.

4. We would also like to ask for you to provide more justification for the contributions of AD, as currently they do not automatically qualify for authorship. Contribution to concept and design, alone, does not usually justify authorship.

AD has made substantial contributions to conception and design, analysis and interpretation of data, and drafting/revising the manuscript. This has now been corrected.

5. Please include a statement in the Authors' contributions section to the effect that all authors have read and approved the manuscript, and ensure that this is the case.

The Author’s contributions section has been amended accordingly.

6. Please remove all supplementary files which you do not want to be published, such as the response letter, as they are no longer needed at this stage.

Supplementary files not intended for publication have been removed.

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This has been added as requested.