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He has done fundamental work on animal genomics of relevance to many varied populations of living beings.

Background reading and the abstract for this lecture can be found on the CEHD website below:

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