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**Introduce yourself in a brief paragraph**

Professor KS Sriprakash has several years of research experience in molecular microbiology as applied to infectious agents. His research in the field of molecular evolution and pathogenesis of group A streptococcus has brought out to light many contrasting epidemiological features of streptococcal diseases in the Australian Indigenous population. He has a substantial national and international network of collaborators based in Germany, USA, India and New Zealand. He holds appointments with University of Queensland, Griffith University and James Cook University. He has over 100 research articles in international journals. He has held many competitive national and international grants. He currently heads Bacterial Pathogenesis Laboratory at the Queensland Institute of Medical Research, Brisbane, Australia.