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Research interests: prosthetic dentistry, reconstructive dentistry, dental biomaterials, translational research, clinical trials.