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For over two decades, Dr. Ribas has been at the forefront of understanding melanoma biology, investigating how the disease interacts with the immune system and translating his research into new treatments.

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