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Dr Simpson holds a BSc Honours degree and a PhD in Molecular Biology from the University of Liverpool in the UK. His first postdoctoral research position was at the Breakthrough Breast Cancer Research Centre at the Institute of Cancer Research, London UK. He moved to Australia in 2005 and helped Professor Lakhani establish the Molecular Breast Pathology group and the Brisbane Breast Bank (<https://clinical-research.centre.uq.edu.au/research/cancer/molecular-breast-pathology/brisbane-breast-bank>).

He is a member of the International Cancer Genome Consortium (Breast Cancer group) and is a Fellow of the Faculty of Science in the Royal College of Pathologists of Australasia. Peter has a long-standing interest in understanding the molecular factors that cause breast cancer development and progression, especially in the context of invasive lobular breast cancer.

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