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Filipe completed his PhD at the University of Bari in 2012 and has authored or co-authored over 200 publications. Filipe's contributions to the field of veterinary parasitology have included a number of studies on the biology, ecology, epidemiology, diagnosis and control of parasites causing diseases or transmitting pathogens to both animals and humans.

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Guo-Hua gained his PhD at the Hunan Agricultural University, China in 2015. During his relatively short career, Guo-Hua has published more than 70 high quality articles in peer-reviewed journals. His merits as an excellent early career scientist have been fully recognised, mostly in relation to his contributions to the field of veterinary parasitology through his studies of mitochondrial genomics of parasites of human and animal health significance.

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