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Dr. Paola Mariani, is Head of the Livestock Genomics Unit at Fondazione Parco Tecnologico Padano (FPTP), Lodi, Italy. She is an established scientist in poultry genomics with special expertise in the genetics of resistance and susceptibility to diseases.

Her group has identified genomic regions affecting meat quality in pig, has established PCR-based and micro-array based diagnostic kits for the major food-borne zoonotic pathogens, and has established DNA marker-based assays for traceability of products of animal origin for human consumption.

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