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Aparna joined Pfizer in 2002. She has previously led technical efforts in the development of immunoassays, cell-based bioassays, and SPR analyses. She has served as the Analytical Lead for a variety of biological products ranging from mAbs to cell-based therapies, and has been the cross-functional PharmSci Team Lead (PSTL) for several mAb and therapeutic vaccine projects. She currently serves on the Biologics Leadership Group of the IQ industry consortium.