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Dr. Raghu Kalluri received his B.S. in Chemistry and Genetics. He received his Ph.D. in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology from the University of Kansas Medical Center and his M.D. degree from Brown University Medical School. Dr. Kalluri conducted his fellowship training at the University of Pennsylvania Medical School and performed research in areas of tissue injury/repair and regeneration. From 1997 to 2012, Dr. Kalluri was a faculty at Harvard Medical School (HMS) and Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center (BIDMC), and from 2006 served as a tenured Professor and the Chief of the Division of Matrix Biology with appointments in Department of Biological Chemistry and Molecular Pharmacology at HMS, Harvard MIT Division of Health Sciences and Technology, Harvard Stem Cell Institute, and was a research fellow of the HMS Peabody Society. Since 2012, Dr. Kalluri has served as a Professor and Chairman of the Department of Cancer Biology at the University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center. Dr. Kalluri currently holds the Frederick F. Becker Distinguished University Chair of Cancer Research. Dr. Kalluri's research has led to seminal discoveries in the area of tissue injury/regeneration, exosomes biology, cancer biology, and cancer metastasis. He is the recipient of several mentorship, teaching and research excellence awards, and a fellow of American Society of Clinical Investigation, the American Association for the Advancement of Science, and UT Ken Shine Education Academy. Dr. Kalluri has published over 300 peer-reviewed manuscripts. Dr. Kalluri has an h-index of 126 with over 91,972 lifetime citations and Dr. Kalluri is ranked in the 0.0068% (ranked 440) of about 6.8 million scientists (covering 22 scientific fields) in the world for citation impact. Dr. Kalluri has trained 118 postdoctoral fellows, 21 graduate students, and 73 undergraduate students. Dr. Kalluri serves on science and health advisory panels in the USA and European Union, and on the editorial boards of several academic journals representing biology and medicine. Dr. Kalluri's research has resulted in several issued patents and serves as an advisor to several biotechnology and pharmaceutical companies and has founded five biotechnology companies.