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The Reproductive and Developmental Sciences Program (RDSP) presents:

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Dr. Soares received his undergraduate degree from California State University, Chico and his doctoral degree from the University of Hawaii. He received postdoctoral training at the University of California, Santa Cruz and Baylor College of Medicine. Dr. Soares is currently a University Distinguished Professor at the University of Kansas Medical Center, with appointments in the Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine, the Department of Pediatrics, and the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology. He also serves as Director of the Institute for Reproduction and Perinatal Research at the University of Kansas and Director of the Center for Perinatal Research at the Children's Research Institute, Children's Mercy Kansas City. Dr. Soares' research program focuses on regulatory processes associated with pregnancy, especially events controlling the development of the hemochorial placenta.

