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Dr. Christos Sotiriou earned a medical degree from the Université Libre de Bruxelles, Belgium in 1993. He did his internal medicine/oncology residency at the Jules Bordet Institute (Profs. J. Klastersky, M. Piccart), and he earned his specialty in internal medicine and medical oncology in July 1999 at the Université Libre de Bruxelles. From October 1999 till September 2001, he worked as basic research fellow, at the Division of Clinical Sciences, Microarray Facility, National Cancer Institute (Pr Edison Liu), National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, MD, USA. Dr. Sotiriou earned his doctor of philosophy degree (PhD) from the Université Libre de Bruxelles, Belgium in September 2004. In October 2005, he becomes associate professor at the Université Libre de Bruxelles. In March 2010 he took the direction of the breast cancer translational research laboratory J-C Heuson at the Jules Bordet Institute. Dr. Sotiriou's research is focusing on genomics and molecular biology in breast cancer. Dr. Sotiriou is a full member of ASCO, AACR, and ESMO. He is co-chair of the biotechnology committee of TRANSBIG and of the TransALTTO committee. He is also Advisory Council Member of the Susan G. Komen for the Cures and for the National foundation for research since 2010. He received several educational and research grants from the Swiss Foundation MEDIC, the National Foundation of Cancer Research, the Université Libre de Bruxelles, the "Fonds Jean-Claude Heuson", the Fondation Lambeau-Marteau, the Belgian Federation against Cancer, and the European Union Framework VI and VII Programs. He presently has several publications in peer review journals and several book chapters. He is also a reviewer for several high impact scientific journals.