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The Ubiquitin Proteasome System: Roles and Targets in Cancer, Steven I. Reed, Chairperson, Room 207, Anaheim Convention Center, p. 49

Translating Antiangiogenesis Therapy to the Clinic: Emerging Concepts, Rakesh K. Jain, Chairperson, Ballroom C-D, Anaheim Convention Center, p. 49

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