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AUSBIOTECH 2011 CONFERENCE SPEAKERS' PROFILE

Dr Meera Verma
Director Site Operations
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Initially managing the company's Gene Technology Group involved in technical marketing and sales, Dr Verma was appointed General Manager of the Protein Pharmaceuticals division in 1995 before becoming Chief Operating Officer in November 2000. She was appointed to her current position when BresaGen was acquired by Hospira in late 2006.

Dr Verma led the team that registered Australia's first recombinant veterinary therapeutic product EquiGen™ Injection (equine somatotropin) in 1998. She was instrumental in BresaGen's IPO in 1999 and the funding and construction of the purpose-built GMP facility in Thebarton, in 2002 & 2003. Dr Verma led the licensing and marketing efforts for protEcol® Services from 2002 to 2006 and continues to provide support for the team.

Dr Verma was the winner of the Inaugural BioInnovation Industry Leaders Award in 2007 and the Telstra Business Women's Awards – South Australian Winner Zaffyre International Private & Corporate Sector Award.

