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Dr. Purdom's graduate work focused on genetic regulation of factors important for bone remodeling. Her particular interest is in the role of mutations, horizontal gene transfer and natural selection in microbial populations. In addition to speaking for AiG, she is currently developing models of the roles of microorganisms such as bacteria and viruses before and after the Fall of man as described in Genesis.

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