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### **Design of Protein Inhibitors and the Role of NMR**

Cellular PDZ proteins are becoming common targets for viruses. This makes PDZ domains potential proteins against which to design specific inhibitors. The presentation will centre around the techniques used to obtain quantitative and structural information as part of the early process for the design of inhibitors against protein interactions mediated by the PDZ domains. The NMR and isothermal titration calorimetry methods are used in combination to obtain the thermodynamics of weak binding and the structure of protein-ligand complexes.