

Adichunchanagiri Institute for Molecular Medicine

(Affiliated to the University of Mysore)

Collaboration Agreement between Liveon Biolabs Private Limited and Adichunchanagiri Institute for Molecular Medicine

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This document sets out the terms and conditions for collaboration between Dr. Vadiraj S Gopinath PhD, Senior vice president, representing Liveon Biolabs Pvt Ltd (LBPL), Tumakuru to assist in development of research programs with Dr Shobith Rangappa, PhD, Director, representing the Adichunchanagiri Institute for Molecular Medicine (AIMM).

Objective

The overall objective is to facilitate development of high quality scientific programs at LBPL and AIMM, with focus on areas of high importance to the health of the Indian population. The areas selected for initial consideration are development of novel therapeutics for treatment of Leishmania donovani infections and oncology related areas. Dr. Vadiraj S Gopinath and his team will provide scientific guidance, expertise, and resources necessary for the above projects and will share in the development of intellectual property arising from these joint efforts. In addition, they will make available training opportunities for Institute's staff at LBPL, such that there will be effective transfer of technology adequate to ensure the success of these projects.

Prof. K. N. Thimmaiah and Prof. K.S. Rangappa, as members of the Scientific Advisory Board (SAB), will assess project progress, and the scope of research projects under the collaboration. They will be available for consultation, data interpretation and data validation, where necessary, and participate in the development of new technologies and methodologies as needed to drive future project development and clinical applications.

Evaluation of Progress

Dr. Shobith Rangappa and Dr. Vadiraj S Gopinath will jointly assist in annual review of projects, determine project goals, create proactive systems for success of project and for the initiation of new projects.

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Scientific Collaborations

Dr. Shobith Rangappa and Dr. Vadiraj S Gopinath will participate in efforts to obtain extramural funding for the initial projects, particularly in areas of US Federal funding designed to foster collaborative scientific projects between investigators in India and the US, as well as training programs to facilitate the career development of young investigators interested in faculty level appointments at the AIMM. Both LBPL and AIMM will utilize the facilities and equipments at both facilities under the collaboration. AIMM will also outsource all in-vivo studies and preclinical studies to LBPL as part of this collaboration.

Scientific Training

LBPL and AIMM will support the Scientific Staff working on this project mutually for any specific training needs.

Special Provision

Both LBPL and AIMM will support the short-visits (as and when required) of Prof. K. N. Thimmaiah for discussion about the future plans of the Liveon Biolabs and Research Center at the AIMM, India.

Sri Sri Sri Nirmalanandanatha Swamiji, Honorable seer of Adichunchanagiri Mutt.

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