

# Speakers' Book

Developing Countries Vaccine Manufacturers Network  
18th Annual General Meeting

25 - 28th September 2017, Seoul, S. Korea.

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Day 1, 25 <sup>th</sup> Sept 2017	9:00 - 12:30	PATH /UNICEF/WHO workshop on Innovative Solutions for Vaccine Supply and Distribution
<p><b>Chair:</b> <b>Ms. Debra Kristensen</b></p> 	<p>Director, Vaccine and Pharmaceutical Technologies, PATH</p>	<p>Debra Kristensen oversees PATH's work in vaccine and pharmaceutical formulation, delivery and packaging, and supply systems and equipment. She is responsible for portfolios of projects centered on advancing product and system innovations that reduce costs, ease logistics, improve safety, expand coverage, and maximize public health impact in low-resource settings.</p>
<p><b>Co-chair:</b> <b>Ms. Helen Kim</b></p> 	<p>Team Leader, Vaccine Development &amp; Regulatory Affairs, LG Chem, Ltd</p>	<p>Ms. Hyung-Shin (Helen) Kim is a specialist in Development and Regulatory Affairs of vaccines. She is Team Leader of Vaccine Development and Regulatory Affairs in Life Science R&amp;D of LG Chem and has 18 years of professional experience in development, clinical trials and regulatory affairs of biopharmaceutical products, especially vaccines.</p>
<p><b>Mr. Darin Zehrung</b></p> 	<p>Portfolio Leader, Vaccine and Pharmaceutical Delivery Technologies, PATH</p>	<p>Darin Zehrung is a global health professional with more than 20 years of technical, business, and research experience with innovations and interventions to address public health challenges in low-resource settings. He is the Portfolio Leader of PATH's Vaccine and Pharmaceutical Delivery Technologies team, overseeing work in delivery and packaging technologies for vaccines and essential medicines.</p>
<p><b>Ms. Ulrike Kreysa</b></p> 	<p>Vice President Healthcare, GS1</p>	<p>Ulrike Kreysa is responsible for the Healthcare sector at GS1 and leads the development and implementation of GS1 standards in the healthcare industry to improve patient safety. She manages the global GS1 user group, formed by the stakeholders in the healthcare supply chain and works regularly with regulatory bodies to drive global harmonization.</p>

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<p><b>Ms. Anna-Lea Kahn</b></p> 	<p>Technical Officer,        EPI/IVB, WHO</p>	<p>Ms. Anna-Lea Kahn works in the Expanded Program on Immunization at the World Health Organization, focusing on logistics and innovation since 2014. Previously, she spent ten years in the research and policy team of the Polio Eradication Initiative. She earned her MSc from the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine.</p>
<p><b>Dr. Andrew Meek</b></p> 	<p>Scientist,        HIS/EMP/RHT/PQT,        WHO</p>	<p>1987 : PhD in Molecular Virology (ANU)        1989-2005: Therapeutic Goods Administration [regulation of vaccines and other biologics] included WHO collaborative centre activities.        2005-2006 (WHO Iran): project manager - strengthening NRA's vaccine regulation.        2007- to date: WHO, Prequalification Team (PQT) with focus on quality and programmatic suitability aspects of vaccines.</p>
<p><b>Mr. Ian Lewis</b></p> 	<p>Contract Specialist,        Vaccine Centre,        UNICEF Supply        Division</p>	<p>Mr. Lewis is working at UNICEF Supply Division in the Polio Unit within the Vaccine Centre. Main responsibilities are the supply management of IPV and OPV vaccines.</p>

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<p><b>Chair:</b> <b>Mr. Michael Payne</b></p> 	<p>Principal Consultant, Merck Millipore</p>	<p>Mr. Payne is Principal Technical Consultant at Merck Millipore. He previously worked as BPS Validation Support Manager, Asia, and managed Millipore's global technical training department for 10 years. He is responsible for filtration and separations regulatory and troubleshooting support in Asia. He holds a bachelor's degree in Chemical Engineering (Bioprocessing) from the UNSW, Sydney.</p>
<p><b>Co-Chair:</b> <b>Dr. Guenter Jagschies</b></p> 	<p>Senior Director Strategic Customer Relations, GE Healthcare Life Sciences</p>	<p>Günter Jagschies is Senior Director Strategic Customer Relations with GE Healthcare Life Sciences. Günter is working globally with industrial R&amp;D collaborations and as an advisor for the GE Healthcare BioProcess R&amp;D and Business team. He is the editor of a textbook "Biopharmaceutical Processing" and holds a PhD in Biochemistry from the University of Münster, Germany.</p>
<p><b>Dr. Sudeep Kothari</b></p> 	<p>Former IVI Senior Scientist</p>	<p>Dr. Kothari is former Senior Research Scientist at IVI leading the transfer of vaccine production processes developed at IVI to vaccine manufacturers in developing countries. Before joining IVI he had worked for Biological E and Panacea Biotech. He holds a BSc degree in Sciences, a MSc. in Applied Microbiology and a PhD. in Chemical Engineering.</p>
<p><b>Mr. Michael Rush</b></p> 	<p>Executive Director, Temptime Corporation</p>	<p>Michael Rush is the Executive Director of Global Health Policy for Temptime Corporation, responsible for developing policies for improving patient health. Prior to joining Temptime, Mike worked 13 years for Merck Vaccines; in vaccine public sector access, funding and policies. He holds a BA in Industrial Psychology and an MBA in International Business Administration.</p>

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<p><b>Dr. Longding Liu</b></p> 	<p>Scientist, Institute  of Medical Biology</p>	<p>Dr. Liu has more than 26 years of experience in vaccinology and virology. After graduating from Peking Union Medical College as PhD in Immunology, he focused on enterovirus research and vaccine development in Institute of Medical Biology. In recent 10 years, Longding devoted himself to EV71 inactivated vaccine (Human diploid cell) research and clinical study.</p>
<p><b>Dr. Mats Lundgren</b></p> 	<p>Director, GE  Healthcare Life  Sciences</p>	<p>Dr. Mats Lundgren has more than 25 years of experience in vaccinology; as Customer Applications Director at GE, Mats helps companies to implement modern processes with the goal of achieving more efficient production and higher vaccine quality. He holds PhD in Immunology, Cell, and Molecular Biology and a post-doctoral training.</p>

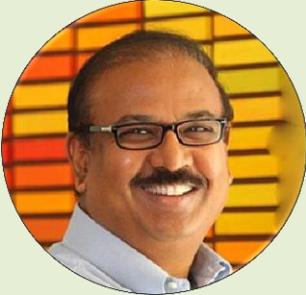
DAY 2, 26 <sup>th</sup> September 2017		
Day 2, 26 <sup>th</sup> Sept 2017	9:00 – 10:15	Opening Session
<p><b>Chair:</b> <b>Ms. Mahima Datla</b></p> 	<p>Managing Director, Biological E</p>	<p>Mahima Datla oversees strategic operations within Biological E organization and related to public policy. She has been with BE for 19 years and has served across a diverse range of functions. Mahima is also the President of DCVMMN's Executive Committee, and is currently a member of CII National Biotech committees and a GHIT fund board member.</p>
<p><b>Co-Chair:</b> <b>Dr. Mahnhoon Park</b></p> 	<p>CEO, SK Chemicals</p>	<p>Dr. Mahnhoon Park is the CEO of SK Chemicals leading the entire biopharmaceutical business of the company. Particularly, based on his virology expertise and 35 years of experiences within the industry, he built up the existing vaccine business as the most important strategic initiative of the company that covers technologies, manufacturing infrastructure and product portfolio.</p>
<p><b>Mr. Jae Yong Ahn</b></p> 	<p>Executive Vice President, Vaccines Business, SK Chemicals</p>	<p>Mr. Jae Yong Ahn is Executive Vice President, the Head of Vax Business Group at SK Chemicals, responsible for the entire vaccine business from R&amp;D, manufacturing up to marketing. He has a variety of experiences in strategic planning, HR and corporate culture, while he holds MBA from the University of Chicago, USA as educational background.</p>
<p><b>Dr. Seth Berkley</b></p> 	<p>CEO, Gavi, The Vaccine Alliance</p>	<p>M.D. and epidemiologist, Dr. Seth Berkley joined Gavi, as its CEO in 2011. Under his leadership Gavi has now reached more than half a billion children in the 73 poorest countries. In 2015 he led Gavi to raise US\$ 7.5 billion to support the immunization of 300 million children by 2020.</p>

Day 2, 26 <sup>th</sup> Sept 2017	10:45 – 12:30	Epidemic/Pandemic Forum
<p><b>Chair:</b> <b>Dr. Alexander Precioso</b></p> 	<p>Clinical Director, Instituto Butantan</p>	<p>Alexander R Precioso is Clinical Director of Instituto Butantan, São Paulo with expertise in Clinical Trials, Epidemiology, Pediatrics and vaccine research. He has been responsible for coordinating the integration between the Project Management Office, the Technology Transfer Office, and The Innovation Technology Unit at Butantan institute since 2015.</p>
<p><b>Co-Chair:</b> <b>Mr. Mahendra Suhardono</b></p> 	<p>Past DCVMN President, Indonesia</p>	<p>Mahendra has nearly 30 years of experience in biologicals products business. For the past 10 years, he holds positions of increasing responsibilities as a top management in BioFarma, a vaccine company in Indonesia. He is the past-President of DCVMN, where he served for two terms, from 2012 to 2016.</p>
<p><b>Dr. Richard Hatchett</b></p> 	<p>CEO, CEPI (Coalition for Epidemic Preparedness Innovations)</p>	<p>Dr. Hatchett has led medical countermeasure development programs at BARDA and the U.S. NIH. He has played leading roles at HHS and the White House in designing these programs as well as in planning for and responding to H5N1 avian influenza, the 2009 H1N1 influenza pandemic, Ebola, MERS, and Zika epidemics.</p>
<p><b>Dr. Sylvie Briand</b></p> 	<p>Director, WHO Health Emergencies Programme</p>	<p>Dr. Briand is Director of the Infectious Hazard Management department (IHM) in the new Health Emergencies programme at WHO headquarters in Geneva, Switzerland. IHM develops global strategies to prevent and control epidemic-prone diseases under the International Health Regulations. Prior to joining WHO, she worked for a private consulting agency developing international public health projects.</p>

<p><b>Dr. Jerome Kim</b></p> 	<p>Director General, IVI        (International        Vaccine Institute)</p>	<p>Director General International Vaccine Institute        Jerome Kim, M.D. Director-General of the International Vaccine Institute (IVI, is an international expert on the evaluation and development of vaccines. He has strong scientific experience spans basic research through advanced clinical development.</p>
<p><b>Day 2, 26<sup>th</sup> Sept 2017</b>      <b>11:45 – 12:30</b>      <b>Epidemic/Pandemic Panel Discussion</b></p>		
<p><b>Moderator:</b>  <b>Dr. Martin Friede</b></p> 	<p>Coordinator, IVR,        WHO</p>	<p>Martin Friede is the coordinator of the Initiative for Vaccine research (IVR) at the World Health Organization in Geneva, Switzerland. In this position Dr. Friede provides leadership to WHO's activities on vaccine research including development of vaccine research policies, strategies and priorities. He also leads the WHO Blueprint for R&amp;D to prevent epidemics.</p>
<p><b>Dr. Odile Leroy</b></p> 	<p>Executive Director,        EVI (European        Vaccine Initiative)</p>	<p>At EVI, Dr. Leroy is managing 16 vaccine projects on diseases of poverty and leading 7 EC/EDCTP/IMI funded projects, including the infrastructure project TRANSVAC. She has 30 years of vaccine R&amp;D experience, as scientist in Africa, Corporate Clinical Director at Sanofi Pasteur, and leading 3 European Organizations (EMVI, EDCTP, and EVI)</p>
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<p><b>Dr. Maurício Zuma Medeiros</b></p> 	<p>General Director,        BioManguinhos</p>	<p>Dr. Zuma is General Director of Bio-Manguinhos, the Institute of Technology on Immunobiologicals of Fiocruz. He has been a manager for 30 years in various areas of management, focused on results and a permanent search for management solutions for the advancement of public management. He is D.Phil. in Technology and Innovation Management by SPRU/University of Sussex – UK.</p>
<p><b>Mr. Samir Desai</b></p> 	<p>Sr. Vice President &amp;        SBU Head        Zydus Cadila        Healthcare Ltd.</p>	<p>Industry experience of close to 3 decades having handled sales, training, brand management, marketing and commercial operations. Current role includes commercial operations for vaccines &amp; biologics and small molecules across specialties &amp; geographies, Business Development, In &amp; Out licensing, portfolio planning. Extensively worked in the area of maternal health related public policy advocacy.</p>
<p><b>Dr. Richard Hatchett</b></p> 	<p>CEO, CEPI (Coalition        for Epidemic        Preparedness        Innovations)</p>	<p>Dr. Hatchett has led medical countermeasure development programs at BARDA and the U.S. NIH. He has played leading roles at HHS and the White House in designing these programs as well as in planning for and responding to H5N1 avian influenza, the 2009 H1N1 influenza pandemic, Ebola, MERS, and Zika epidemics.</p>

Day 2, 26 <sup>th</sup> Sept 2017	14:00 – 15:30	Innovative Partnerships Forum
<p><b>Chair:</b> <b>Dr. Krishna Ella</b></p> 	<p>Chairman and Managing Director of Bharat Biotech International</p>	<p>Dr. Krishna Ella, graduated from the UW - Madison and founded Bharat Biotech in 1996. Bharat has been awarded as best innovative company by the Prime minister, ET Now, and CII. Bharat is the first company in the world to file global patents on Chikungunya and Zika vaccines.</p>
<p><b>Co-Chair: Dr. M. Friede</b></p> 	<p>Coordinator, IVR, WHO</p>	<p>Martin Friede is the coordinator of the Initiative for Vaccine research (IVR) at the World Health Organization in Geneva, Switzerland. In this position Dr. Friede provides leadership to WHO's activities on vaccine research including development of vaccine research policies, strategies and priorities. He also leads the WHO Blueprint for R&amp;D to prevent epidemics.</p>
<p><b>Dr. Bernadette ABELA-RIDDER</b></p> 	<p>Team Leader, WHO</p>	<p>Dr Bernadette Abela-Ridder is Team Leader, Neglected Zoonotic Diseases unit in the Department for the Control of Neglected Tropical Diseases (NTDs) of WHO. In this capacity, she is responsible for human-animal aspects and zoonotic NTDs. She is the WHO focal Point on rabies.</p>
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<p><b>Prof. William K. Ampofo</b></p> 	<p>Head, Noguchi Memorial Institute for Medical Research, University of Ghana</p>	<p>Professor William Kwabena Ampofo is Head, Virology Department, Noguchi Memorial Institute for Medical Research, College of Health Sciences, University of Ghana, Accra, Ghana. His work spans molecular and serological investigations, anti-viral therapy and viral disease burden. William is Chair, African Vaccine Manufacturing Initiative and Ghana Ambassador African Society for Laboratory Medicine.</p>
<p><b>Dr. Andrin Oswald</b></p> 	<p>Director, Life Sciences Partnerships, BMGF</p>	<p>Dr. Oswald, is the director of Life Sciences Partnerships at the foundation, overseeing the foundation's engagements with corporations. Before joining the foundation in 2016, he was the CEO and Division Head of Novartis Vaccines and Diagnostics from 2008 to 2015. He obtained his medical degree from University of Geneva.</p>
<p><b>Day 2, 26<sup>th</sup> Sept 2017</b>      <b>16:00-17:00</b>      <b>Innovative Partnerships Panel Discussion</b></p>		
<p><b>Moderator: Dr. Glenn Rockman</b></p> 	<p>Partner, GHIF</p>	<p>Mr. Rockman started his career at J.P. Morgan, where he spent more than 10 years working with non-profit organizations, including 3 years with the firm's impact investing unit. He led J.P. Morgan's work with the Gates Foundation to launch the Global Health Investment Fund, where he is currently a Partner.</p>
<p><b>Dr. Morena Makhoana</b></p> 	<p>CEO, BIOVAC</p>	<p>Morena is the CEO of Biovac, aiming to build vaccine manufacturing capacity in Southern Africa. Morena is a medical graduate from the University of Cape Town, South Africa. Prior to his CEO role he was Deputy CEO and Medical Affairs Director for Biovac and Litha Healthcare Group. He serves several of committees within the vaccine industry.</p>

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<p><b>Dr. Peter Khoury</b></p> 	<p>CEO, Nanotherapeutics</p>	<p>Dr. Khoury is President &amp; CEO of Nanotherapeutics. Before that, he was with the BMGF, as Senior Program Officer, Life Sciences Partnerships, Office of the President for Global Health. He spearheaded the expansion of engagements with the developing countries manufacturers' industry. Previously, he was Vice-President, Global Marketing at Baxter International, and spent 10 years at Merck&amp;Co., in positions of growing responsibilities. He holds a Ph.D. in microbiology and a MBA degree.</p>
<p><b>Mr. Alejandro Gil</b></p> 	<p>President, Sinergium Biotech</p>	<p>Alejandro Gil serves as President at Sinergium Biotech, a company that provides world class vaccines and biotechnological products. Before that, he acted as CEO of Biogenesis Bagó; a regional biotech company of animal health products and services. President at Caprove (Camara Argentina de la Industria de Productos Veterinarios). He holds a degree in Medical Veterinary.</p>

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DAY 3, 27 <sup>th</sup> Sept 2017		
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<p><b>Chair:</b> <b>Dr. Yeowon Sohn</b></p> 	<p>Former Director General, MFDS, Korea</p>	<p>Dr. Sohn served as the Director-General of Biopharmaceuticals and Herbal Medicines Evaluation Department at MFDS, Korea. She has more than 25 years of experience in regulating biological products including vaccines, blood products, recombinant therapeutic proteins, gene and cell therapy products. She holds Ph.D. in Pharmacy (Biochemistry) from Seoul National University and a postdoctorate from the University of Wisconsin.</p>
<p><b>Co-Chair:</b> <b>Dr. Nora Dellepiane</b></p> 	<p>Independent Consultant</p>	<p>With 40 years of experience in production and control of Biological Products, she spent the past twenty years at WHO, she has experience in quality assurance, quality systems and understanding of GMP. She now focuses on assisting manufacturers of Biological Products and regulators to address challenges in the regulation of novel biologicals, and provides training.</p>
<p><b>Ms. Emer Cooke</b></p> 	<p>Head of Regulation of Medicines and Other Health Technologies, WHO</p>	<p>Emer Cooke was appointed Head of Regulation of Medicines and other Health Technologies. She is from Ireland and was Head of International Affairs at the European Medicines Agency in London. She had worked at the Agency since 2002, during which time she also served as Head of International and European Cooperation and Head of Inspections.</p>
<p><b>Dr. Shyam Bhaskaran</b></p> 	<p>Program Officer, Regulatory affairs, Integrated Development Team, Global Health, BMGF</p>	<p>Dr. Bhaskaran primarily supports the Foundation's regulatory systems investments. He also manages the Global Health Regulatory Team (GHRT), facilitating collaboration and information sharing across regulatory staff at the Foundation's product development partners. He holds a PhD in Microbiology &amp; Structural Biology from the Rockefeller University, and a MBA from Cornell University.</p>

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<p><b>Dr. Bartholomew Dicky Akanmori</b></p> 	<p>Regional Advisor, Regulation of Vaccines and Biologicals, Coordinator, AVAREF secretariat</p>	<p>Professor Akanmori is the Regional adviser for vaccine regulation WHO Regional Office for Africa, Congo. He is responsible for research and development, building ethics and regulatory capacity for vaccine clinical trials and advising on new vaccine candidates against major infectious diseases in the African region. He coordinates the secretariat of the African Vaccine Regulatory Forum (AVAREF).</p>
<p><b>Day 3, 27<sup>th</sup> Sept 2017</b>      <b>9:00 – 10:40</b>      <b>Procurement and Financing Forum</b></p>		
<p><b>Chair:</b> <b>Dr. Rajesh Jain</b></p> 	<p>Joint Managing Director, Panacea Biotech</p>	<p>Dr. Rajesh Jain serves as Joint Managing Director of Panacea Biotech Dr. Jain has an experience of around 21 years in the pharmaceutical industry in the areas of Marketing, R&amp;D and Business Development. In view of his vast contribution in Biotechnology sector, Dr. Jain has been nominated to several positions in various forums and advisory committees.</p>
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<p><b>Ms. Tania Cernuschi</b></p> 	<p>Team Leader, Vaccine Supply, Technologies &amp; Financing, WHO</p>	<p>Tania leads WHO IVB work on access to vaccine supply. She has fifteen year experience in design and management of development programmes enhancing access to health technologies in resource-constrained settings with Gavi, UNDESA, the Italian Government, UNICEF and NGOs. Tania is a development economist and public health specialist by training.</p>
<p><b>Ms. Suvi Rautio</b></p> 	<p>Deputy Director, Supply Programme in UNICEF Supply Division</p>	<p>Suvi Rautio is Deputy Director, Supply Programme in UNICEF Supply Division, responsible for vaccines and other health supplies. She has held several positions in UNICEF Supply Division in several countries. Before joining UNICEF, she worked in the private sector in Taiwan and Hong Kong and with the International Labour Organization in Fiji.</p>
<p><b>Ms. Melissa Malhame</b></p> 	<p>Head of Market Shaping, Gavi</p>	<p>Melissa is the Head of Market Shaping at Gavi, responsible for working with Alliance partners and industry to meet demand and minimizing the costs of vaccines to Gavi and countries. Melissa has 20 years' experience in vaccine development, business, marketing and sales. She received her MBA degree from Cornell University.</p>
<p><b>Dr. Els Torreele</b></p> 	<p>Executive Director, of Global Access Campaign, MSF</p>	<p>Dr. Torreele has a degree in bio engineering, and earned a PhD in applied biological sciences. She joined MSF in 1999. In 2009, Dr. Torreele became the director of the Access to Medicines and Innovation program at Open Society Foundations, and now she is the Executive Director Of Global MSF Access Campaign.</p>

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<p><b>Dr. Harish Iyer</b></p> 	<p>Senior Advisor, BMGF</p>	<p>Harish is Senior Advisor at BMGF managing its scientific programs on issues related to Developing Countries Manufacturers and R&amp;D; he has extensive experience in the biotechnology industry. He was previously CEO of Shanta Biotech and had previously other managing positions in Biocon. He holds a Ph.D. in Chemical Engineering from the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, NY.</p>

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<p><b>Dr. Dat Tuan Do</b></p> 	<p>General Director, Vabiotech</p>	<p>Do Tuan Dat is General Director of VABIOTECH. He manages all the business, R&amp;D activities and expansion of vaccine supply in Vietnamese market and global markets. Before that, he studied Tropical and Infectious Diseases in Vietnam. He holds a Ph.D in Virology from National Institute of Hygiene and Epidemiology, Vietnam.</p>

Day 3, 27 <sup>th</sup> Sept 2017	11:00 – 12:30	Innovative Procurement and Financing Panel Discussion
<p><b>Moderator:</b> <b>Mr. Sourabh Sobti</b></p> 	<p>Senior Manager, CHAI</p>	<p>Sourabh Sobti is Senior Manager in Global Markets team at CHAI, supporting global vaccines and pharmaceutical manufacturers to ensure sustainable access of life-saving health commodities for low and middle income countries. Prior to CHAI, Sourabh worked as a Life Sciences management consultant at Accenture. Sourabh holds a Master of Science in Biochemical Engineering from University College London.</p>
<p><b>Ms. Suvi Rautio</b></p> 	<p>Deputy Director – Supply Programme, Supply Division, UNICEF</p>	<p>Suvi Rautio is UNICEF Supply Division's Deputy Director, and manages initiatives and activities to ensure life-saving products are available and affordable for UNICEF programmes and for Procurement Services partners for whom UNICEF procures.</p>
<p><b>Ms. Li Meng</b></p> 	<p>Director, CNBG</p>	<p>Ms. Li Meng is the Director of International Cooperation at CNBG. She is currently responsible for managing and executing major international cooperation projects. Her experience in vaccine prequalification, commercialization and cooperative research activities have given her insights in the global vaccine industry. She is also an experienced manager in fund raising, strategy and business development.</p>
<p><b>Mr. Oscar Vargas</b></p> 	<p>Procurement Specialist, PAHO</p>	<p>Mr. Oscar Vargas is Procurement Specialist for the Revolving Fund at PAHO/WHO (Pan American Health Organization / World Health Organization) in Washington D.C., responsible for Biological Products (Vaccines and Immunoglobulins) acquisitions. Mr. Vargas has over 20 years of experience in logistics and procurement in the private and public sectors; he is Pharmacist and holds a CIPS certification in public procurement.</p>

<p><b>Dr. Sylvie Briand</b></p> 	<p>Director, WHO Health Emergencies Programme</p>	<p>Dr. Briand is Director of the Infectious Hazard Management department (IHM) in the new Health Emergencies programme at WHO headquarters in Geneva, Switzerland. IHM develops global strategies to prevent and control epidemic-prone diseases under the International Health Regulations. Prior to joining WHO, she worked for a private consulting agency developing international public health projects.</p>
<p><b>Dr. Andrin Oswald</b></p> 	<p>Director, Life Sciences Partnerships, BMGF</p>	<p>Dr. Oswald, is the director of Life Sciences Partnerships at the foundation, overseeing the foundation's engagements with corporations. Before joining the foundation in 2016, he was the CEO and Division Head of Novartis Vaccines and Diagnostics from 2008 to 2015. He obtained his medical degree from University of Geneva.</p>
<p><b>Ms. Melissa Malhame</b></p> 	<p>Head Market Shaping, Gavi</p>	<p>Ms. Melissa is the Head of Market Shaping at Gavi, responsible for working with Alliance partners and industry to meet demand and minimizing the costs of vaccines to Gavi and countries. Melissa has 20 years' experience in vaccine development, business, marketing and sales. She received her MBA degree from Cornell University.</p>

Day 3, 27 <sup>th</sup> Sept 2017	14:00 – 15:00	Technology Transfer Forum
<p><b>Chair:</b> <b>Dr. Viliam Pavliak</b></p> 	<p>Head of Vaccine Development Science Unit, International Vaccine Institute</p>	<p>Dr. Pavliak obtained his PhD in Biochemistry from the Slovak Technical University. Prior joining IVI, he was Director at Pfizer Vaccine Research and Development, and at Wyeth Research in USA. He previously led preclinical development and evaluation of several vaccines at Nabi and Univax Biologics. He is also member of the Scientific Advisory Board of GlycoNet.</p>

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<p><b>Co-Chair:</b> <b>Mr. Samir Desai</b></p> 	<p>Sr. Vice President &amp; SBU Head Zydus Cadila Healthcare Ltd.</p>	<p>Industry experience of close to 3 decades having handled sales, training, brand management, marketing and commercial operations. Current role includes commercial operations for vaccines &amp; biologics and small molecules across specialties &amp; geographies, Business Development, In &amp; Out licensing, portfolio planning. Extensively worked in the area of maternal health related public policy advocacy.</p>
<p><b>Dr. Moon H. Nahm</b></p> 	<p>University of Alabama at Birmingham</p>	<p>Professor Moon H. Nahm is at the University of Alabama at Birmingham in USA. He received his MD, medical training and post-doctoral research training at Washington University in St. Louis, USA. He has studied pneumococcal infections and vaccines for more than 30 years. His laboratory serves as Reference Laboratories for the US NIH and WHO.</p>
<p><b>Mr. Atin Tomar</b></p> 	<p>President &amp; CEO, Cadila Pharmaceuticals Limited (CPL)</p>	<p>Atin Tomar is President &amp; CEO of CPL Biologicals. Atin brings with him comprehensive experience in Biotechnology industry in the areas of Vaccines and Biologics, globally. Atin's expertise spans from Process Development, Scale-up, Technology Transfer and Manufacturing Operations to Business Development, Licensing and Commercialization.</p>
<p><b>Mr. Abdul Muktedir</b></p> 	<p>Chairman, Managing Director, Incepta Pharmaceuticals &amp; Vaccines</p>	<p>Abdul Muktedir is the Chairman and Managing Director of Incepta Vaccine and Incepta Pharmaceuticals. He has a degree in Industrial Pharmacy from USA. Abdul Muktedir has dedicated himself in developing vaccine facility in Bangladesh for the first time with a hope to manufacture vaccines from own bulk at affordable cost.</p>

Day 3, 27 <sup>th</sup> Sept 2017	14:00 – 15:00	WHO PQ Session
<p><b>Chair:</b> <b>Ms. Emer Cooke</b></p> 	<p>Head of Regulation of Medicines and Other Health Technologies, WHO</p>	<p>Emer Cooke was appointed Head of Regulation of Medicines and other Health Technologies. She is from Ireland and was Head of International Affairs at the European Medicines Agency in London. She had worked at the Agency since 2002, during which time she also served as Head of International and European Cooperation and Head of Inspections.</p>
<p><b>Co-Chair:</b> <b>Dr. Nora Dellepiane</b></p> 	<p>Independent Consultant</p>	<p>With 40 years of experience in production and control of Biological Products, she spent the past twenty years at WHO, she has experience in quality assurance, quality systems and understanding of GMP. She now focuses on assisting manufacturers of Biological Products and regulators to address challenges in the regulation of novel biologicals, and provides training.</p>
<p><b>Ms. Carmen Rodriguez</b></p> 	<p>Group Lead, Vaccines PQ HIS/EMP/RHT/PQ WHO</p>	<p>Ms. Rodriguez is the Group leader of Vaccines PQ. She is a pharmacist with specialization in Microbiology. Ms. Rodriguez has twenty-six years of experience in the area of regulation of biologicals, and several publications in the area of quality control of vaccines. She is responsible for the Assessment of vaccines for prequalification.</p>
<p><b>Dr. Andrew Meek</b></p> 	<p>Scientist, HIS/EMP/RHT/PQT, WHO</p>	<p>1987 : PhD in Molecular Virology (ANU) 1989-2005: Therapeutic Goods Administration [regulation of vaccines and other biologics] included WHO collaborative centre activities. 2005-2006 (WHO Iran): project manager - strengthening NRA's vaccine regulation. 2007- to date: WHO, Prequalification Team (PQT) with focus on quality and programmatic suitability aspects of vaccines.</p>

Day 3, 27 <sup>th</sup> Sept 2017	15:00 – 16:00	Innovative Vaccines Session
<p><b>Chair: Dr. Hun Kim</b></p> 	<p>Vice President, Head of Bio R&amp;BD, SK Chemicals</p>	<p>Dr. Hun Kim is head of Vaccine Research &amp; Business Development at SK Chemicals. Dr. Kim's role at the company is to oversee its vaccine portfolios from both the business and R&amp;D perspective. Under his oversight as Head of R&amp;D, the company successfully developed and received approval for cell-culture based influenza vaccine products, SKYCellflu.</p>
<p><b>Co-Chair: Mr. Sai Prasad</b></p> 	<p>President, Bharat Biotech International</p>	<p>Sai is President at Bharat Biotech, responsible for product development and commercialization of vaccines and biologics. In his previous role as Vice President for Business Development and Strategy, he handled operational and strategic activities. Before that he was the Director of Molecular Otolaryngology Research Laboratories at the University of Iowa. He holds a biochemistry degree from Wisconsin University and a M.B.A from the Iowa University.</p>
<p><b>Mr. Patrick Tippoo</b></p> 	<p>Head of Science &amp; Innovation, The Biovac Institute</p>	<p>Patrick Tippoo heads the Product Development and Business Development at The Biovac Institute. He has been with Biovac since its inception in 2003. Patrick's responsibilities include strategic alliances and local &amp; international partnering opportunities with respect to product development and inbound and outbound technology transfer projects.</p>
<p><b>Dr. Suresh Jadhav</b></p> 	<p>Executive Director, Serum Institute of India</p>	<p>Dr. Jadhav is the Executive Director of Serum Institute of India, and was DCVMN's President from 2003 to 2008. He was member on GAVI Board &amp; PPC. He is currently member on European Vaccine Initiative, FastVac and HIP. He is active in several collaborative studies and has published more than 95 technical papers in national &amp; international journals.</p>

<p><b>Dr. Yeong-Ok Baek</b></p> 	<p>CEO, EuBiologics</p>	<p>Dr Yeong-ok Baek has more than 30 years of experience in biotechnology industry starting his career at CJ Corporation. He founded EuBiologics Co., Ltd in 2010 and is currently the CEO. He graduated from Seoul National University in Veterinary Medicine and has a Ph.D. in Life Science from Korea University.</p>
<p><b>Dr. Min-Shi Lee</b></p> 	<p>Investigator and Project Leader, National Institute of Infectious Diseases and Vaccinology (NIIDV), Taiwan</p>	<p>Dr. Min-Shi Lee is an investigator working on development of enterovirus and pandemic influenza vaccines in National Institute of Infectious Diseases and Vaccinology, NHRI, Taiwan. Before joining NHRI, Dr. Lee worked on development of intranasal influenza and parainfluenza vaccines in MedImmune Vaccines. Dr. Lee holds a PhD degree from University of Oxford.</p>

Day 3, 27 <sup>th</sup> Sept 2017	15:00 – 16:00	Polio Vaccines Session
<p><b>Chair:</b> <b>Dr. Akira Homma</b></p> 	<p>Senior Advisor, Bio-Manguinhos/ Fiocruz</p>	<p>Dr. Homma serves as Senior Scientific and Technological Advisor to Bio-Manguinhos. He graduated in Veterinary Medicine, and received a D.Sci at School of Medicine of São Paulo University and post-graduate in Virology from Baylor College of Medicine in Houston. He published more than 60 papers in the biological area and occupied several executive and advisory positions.</p>
<p><b>Co-Chair:</b> <b>Ms. Anna-Lea Kahn</b></p> 	<p>Technical Officer, EPI/IVB, WHO</p>	<p>Ms. Anna-Lea Kahn works in the Expanded Program on Immunization at the World Health Organization, focusing on logistics and innovation since 2014. Previously, she spent ten years in the research and policy team of the Polio Eradication Initiative. She earned her MSc from the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine.</p>
<p><b>Ms. Simona Zipursky</b></p> 	<p>WHO Advisor</p>	<p>Simona Zipursky is the Advisor to the Director, Polio Eradication at WHO, where she coordinates the Global Polio Eradication Initiative (GPEI's) Strategy Committee. Prior to joining Polio, Simona worked for the immunization department at WHO, where she coordinated the work to introduce IPV and the globally synchronized withdrawal of bOPV.</p>
<p><b>Mr. Ian Lewis</b></p> 	<p>Contract Specialist, Vaccine Centre, UNICEF Supply Division</p>	<p>Mr. Lewis is working at UNICEF Supply Division in the Polio Unit within the Vaccine Centre. Main responsibilities are the supply management of IPV and OPV vaccines.</p>

<p><b>Mr. Yuntao Zhang</b></p> 	<p>Associate President, TiantanBio</p>	<p>Dr.Zhang is the Associate President of CNBG, overseeing R&amp;D and international cooperation. He previously was deputy GM of National Vaccine and Serum Institute. He spent over 20 years in research field, successfully led the clinical development of EV71, played major roles in developing a series of vaccines, diagnostic reagents and antibodies.</p>
<p><b>Ms. Li Meng</b></p> 	<p>Director International Cooperation, CNBG</p>	<p>Li Meng is the Director of International Cooperation at CNBG. She is currently responsible for managing and executing major international cooperation projects. Her experience in vaccine prequalification, commercialization and cooperative research activities have given her insights in the global vaccine industry. She is also an experienced manager in fund raising, strategy and business development.</p>
<p><b>Dr. Mas Rahman Roestan</b></p> 	<p>Marketing Director, Bio Farma</p>	<p>Dr. Roestan, Marketing Director of Bio Farma Indonesia, occupied various positions including Corporate Secretary, Team leader of Integrated Management System for ISO 9001, ISO 14001 &amp; OHSAS 18001, Senior Manager of Production Plan and Inventory Control. Major successes include the development and establishment of Innovation System and Enterprise Risk Management in the Company.</p>

Day 3, 27 <sup>th</sup> Sept 2017	16:30-17:30	Plenary Closing Session
<p><b>Chair:</b> <b>Ms. Mahima Datla</b></p> 	<p>Managing Director, Biological E</p>	<p>Mahima Datla oversees strategic operations within Biological E organization and related to public policy. She has been with BE for 19 years and has served across a diverse range of functions. Mahima is also the President of DCVMN's Executive Committee, and is currently a member of CII National Biotech committees and a GHIT fund board member.</p>
<p><b>Co-Chair:</b> <b>Dr. Vicente V. Bencomo</b></p> 	<p>Dr V. Verez Bencomo General Director Finlay Vaccine Institute</p>	<p>Professor Verez was the Leader of the group developing the first Haemophilus influenza type-b vaccine made from a fully synthetic antigen for human use, named QuimiHib, introduced in several countries and presently prequalified by the WHO. He is a chemical engineer and holds a master in technology of Moscow Institute of Fine Chemical Technology, and a Docteur d'Etat, Université d'Orleans, France.</p>
<p><b>Dr. Martin Friede</b></p> 	<p>Coordinator, IVR, WHO</p>	<p>Martin Friede is the coordinator of the Initiative for Vaccine research (IVR) at the World Health Organization in Geneva, Switzerland. In this position Dr. Friede provides leadership to WHO's activities on vaccine research including development of vaccine research policies, strategies and priorities. He also leads the WHO Blueprint for R&amp;D to prevent epidemics.</p>