FluidIQ

HOPE Ventilator Project

May 2020 - current

Executive Program Member

The goal of this project is the development and deployment of a novel ventilator. Provide insights on funding opportunities relevant to the company's efforts to develop devices and fund its operations. Identify knowledge leaders and develop an outreach plan.

Digital Clinical Trials in fibrotic interstitial lung disease

April 2020 - current

Co-Organizer and Senior Project Manager

The goal of this project is to evaluate the effectiveness and validity of e-Health visits in fibrotic interstitial lung disease. Expanding clinical trial opportunities for those patients that may have difficulty participating due to travel restrictions or fearful of putting themselves and loved ones at risk during the COVID-19 pandemic. To evaluate if this methodology of decentralized clinical trials improves the research experience for patients and their care team.

ARMEE Ventilator Project

Interstate Disaster Medical Collaborative

March 2020 - May 2020

Volunteer Project Member

The overall goal of the project is to provide insights on research and funding opportunities relevant to the Interstate Disaster Medical Collaborative (IDMC) to further its development of a scalable, portable 3D printed ventilator. The ARMEE™ ventilation device (ARMEEVent.com) which stands for "Automatic Respiration Management Exclusively for Emergencies" is based on technology developed in the 1960s by Harry Diamond Laboratories for the U.S. Army. Experts believe the simply-designed ventilator, which requires no electricity and has no moving parts, represents an economical, rapidly deployable ventilation tool that can be utilized in almost any kind of emergency, disaster response or in under-served countries.

Magnolia Therapeutics

August 2018

Consultant Advisor

Provide insights on funding opportunities and identify potential sources of biologic specimens relevant to the company's efforts to develop products in fibrotic lung disease and other rare diseases. Develop an idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis educational program and patient forum for the company's staff.

The Fibrosis-Cancer Connection: A Comparative Workshop January 2015 – 2016

Senior Project Management

Co-Organizer

The goal of this scientific workshop is to facilitate the advancement of research efforts in the fibrosis-cancer connection; leading to improvement of patients' lives who suffer from pulmonary fibrosis (PF) and cancer, PF patients who are at risk for cancer as well as cancer survivors who have or are at risk of developing PF.

FDA Patient Focused Drug Development

September 2014

Senior Project Manager

Organizer

Assist the Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation and its representatives and patient advocates in preparation of testimony to the FDA in support of approval of therapeutic products under review.

IPF Guidance for Industry

September 2014

Senior Project Manager

Organizer

Facilitate development of IPF Guidance for Industry, act as liaison between FDA, PFF, NIH, patient and caregivers, and additional collaborators. Facilitate development of working groups and moderate and host meetings on behalf of the PFF. The goal of the guidance is to encourage the FDA and trial sponsors to engage patients and their families at all stages of trial development and to take into account what they consider acceptable risk in clinical trials. Each section of the guidance will include extensive published or in-press peer-reviewed articles and focus on specific areas aimed at overcoming the challenges in trial design and implementation.

Webinar: EXPLORE IPF Survey February 2015 - March 2015

Presenter

This webinar shared findings from EXPLORE IPF, a survey sponsored by Boehringer Ingelheim and led by a multidisciplinary Advisory Committee of thought leaders and advocates dedicated to addressing the unmet needs of the idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis (IPF) community. The EXPLORE IPF survey shines a light on the emotional and physical toll of IPF and offers recommendations on the education and support services available to people with IPF and their caregivers.

Mile High Pulmonary Fibrosis Support Group

Fun Run/Walk and Community Health Fair

Lutheran Medical Center Foundation

February 2015 – September 2015

Organizer and Steering Committee Member

Fibrosis Across Species Workshop: A Workshop on Comparative Pathobiology of Fibrosing Lung Disorders

January 2013 – 2019 (publication)

Senior Project Manager

The Fibrosis Across Species effort included a workshop on comparative pathobiology of fibrosing lung disorders to gather physicians and veterinary experts, pathologists, community advocates, and representatives of private foundations, industry, biotechnology, and federal scientific organizations. The workshop was designed to advance knowledge in the area of lung fibrosis in humans and domestic animals and in particular, in breeds of terrier dogs such as the West Highland White Terrier and in thoroughbred horses.

Patient Participation Program for Pulmonary Fibrosis: Assessing the Effects of Supplemental Oxygen Patient Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI) Research Grant July 2013 – 2018 (publications)

Steering Committee Member

The overall objective of the project is to enhance understanding of supplemental oxygen, its utility in and adoption by PF patient; by examining how PF patients perceive it and by determining how those perceptions and several things important to patients (such as symptoms, quality of life, activity levels) change from before to after supplemental oxygen is prescribed. To conduct this research, we will identify patients with PF who are willing to participate in research. Enroll patients with PF into the study and perform interviews and/or a one-year study of supplemental oxygen.

PFF Summit 2015

January 2014 - 2015

Senior Project Manager

Organizing Committee Member

Facilitate educational content development, organizing committee meetings, logistics and facility support, CME provider and A/V production management. The PFF Summit 2015 is a unique venue that brings together patients, caregivers, health care professionals, governmental agencies and industry representatives dedicated to finding a treatment and a cure for PF.

EXPLORE IPF Survey: Insights into the Lives of People with IPF and their Caregivers

November 2013 - October 2014

Advisory Committee Member

The EXPLORE IPF survey investigated the needs, experiences and feelings of patients living with Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis (IPF) and their caregivers. It was led by a multidisciplinary Advisory Committee that includes IPF thought leaders and advocates dedicated to addressing the unmet needs of the IPF community. The survey was conducted among 100 patients with IPF and 100 caregivers, all self-reported.

American Thoracic Society (ATS) Breathing Better Advocacy Alliance

September 2012 - Current

Steering Committee Member

American Thoracic Society Fibrosis Across Organs Symposium July 2010 – 2019 (publication)

Organizing Committee Member

8-11 March 2012

Denver, Colorado

The meeting's objectives were to set the scientific priorities for future investigations in single organ and cross-organ fibrotic disease, assess the currently available experimental models and their relevance to human health and disease and to identify potential promising therapies for pathologic tissue fibrosis, including idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis (IPF), also referred to as simply pulmonary fibrosis (PF) or lung fibrosis and fibrosis that occurs in the heart, liver, kidney and skin.

Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation Medical Advisory Board

March 2011 - December 2014

Senior Project Manager

Consult on organization and structure of medical advisory board, facilitate executive committee meetings and working groups of the Board.

Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation Support Group Expansion

March 2011 - December 2014

Senior Project Management

Expand and enhance the PFF patient support group and leadership network.

Electronic Sponsorship Application Process – Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation September 2014 – December 2014

Senior Project Management

Lead the development of an electronic application process for educational sponsorship requests to the Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation.

Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation Patient and Caregiver Survey

July 2014 – December 2014

PFF Medical Affairs Project Team Member

Global PF Awareness Month 2014

October 2013 - December 2014

Organizing Committee Member

September was designated Global Pulmonary Fibrosis Awareness Month. Campaign to bring awareness to Pulmonary Fibrosis were held world-wide.

Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation Patient Communication Center

2012 - 2014

Director and Senior Project Manager

Pulmonary Fibrosis Patient Ambassador Program July 2014

Senior Project Manager

The purpose of the PFF Ambassador program is to engage with the larger community and cover all aspects of disease education. PFF Ambassadors will share their journey in order to inform and enhance disease awareness with the general public.

Pulmonary Fibrosis Patient Education Series

February 2013 – November 2013

Senior Project Manager and Editor

Pulmonary Fibrosis Patient Education Webinar and Video Series: What is Pulmonary Fibrosis

PFF Summit from Bench to Bedside 2013

January 2012 – December 2013

Senior Project Manager

Organizing Committee Member

Moderator: Patient and Caregiver Session

The PFF Summit 2013 is a unique venue that brings together a multi-faceted group of physicians, researchers, allied health professionals, industry representatives, patients, and caregivers. The Summit creates a spirit of collaboration in an environment in which the most up-to-date medical information is disseminated with a primary goal of improving the care, management and quality of life for patients and their families. More than 50 world-renowned experts will participate in a variety of activities, which include lectures, facilitated panel discussions, poster presentations, and a "Meet the Experts" session

Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation Patient Care Center Network and Patient Registry 2012 - 2014

Director

Senior Project Manager

Working with stakeholders in the PF community to establish the PFF Care Center Network, where those in the PF community can find expert clinicians skilled in the disease and support.

Global PF Patient Education Day 2013 Symposia January 2013 – October 2013

Senior Project Manager

Organizing Committee Member

Presenter

Patient education symposia for patients, caregivers, and health care professionals affected by pulmonary fibrosis. This live educational event was held on September 7, 2013 in Barcelona, Spain and was broadcast via webcast in multiple languages world-wide. Pulmonary fibrosis experts from Hospital de La Princesa, Madrid, Spain, Hospital Universitario de Bellvitge, Barcelona, Spain, Hospital Vall d'Hebron, Barcelona, Spain, European Organization for Rare Diseases, Barcelona, Spain, Hospital Clinic de Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain, Asociación de Familiares y Enfermos de FPI y FPF (Fibrosis Pulmonar Familiar), Spain, and the Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation provided up to date educational information to attendees.

Global Pulmonary Fibrosis Awareness Day 2013 January 2013 – October 2013

Organizing Committee Member

Organizing and partnering with the global PF community to raise awareness about pulmonary fibrosis.

Pulmonary Fibrosis Patient Support Day, Nottingham, England July 2013

Senior Project Manager

Organizing Committee Member

Presenter

The Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation and the British Association for Lung Research (BALR) sponsored a special "Pulmonary Fibrosis Patient Support Day" following the BALR Summer Meeting 2013 in Nottingham, England. The patient education event focused on living with pulmonary fibrosis and included reviews of clinical trials, treatment options, disease management, and an update on the NICE guidelines.

Support Group Leader Workshop, Modena, Italy 2012 September 2012

Senior Project Manager

Organizing Committee Member Presenter

Support Group Leader Workshop at the University of Modena and Reggio Emilia, Modena, Italy 29 September 2013

To facilitate the expansion and creation of PF support groups globally the PFF hosted a Support Group Leader Workshop in conjunction with the International Colloquium of Lung and Airway Fibrosis (ICLAF) on 29 September 2012 in Modena, Italy.

Global Pulmonary Fibrosis Awareness Symposia Modena, Italy September 22, 2012

September 2012

Senior Project Manager

Organizing Committee Member

Presenter

Living Better with Pulmonary Fibrosis

Patient education symposia for patients, caregivers, and health care professionals affected by pulmonary fibrosis. This live educational event was held on 22 September 2010 at the Aula Magna Faculty of Law, Via San Geminiano 3, Modena, Italy, was broadcast via webcast in multiple languages world-wide.

IPF Summit 2011 - From Bench to Bedside

September 2010 – December 2011

Organizing Committee Member

Moderator: Patient and Caregiver Session

The IPF Summit 2011 was a two- day continuing medical education program for physicians, researchers, registered nurses, and allied health professionals. A separate two-day program for patients, family members, and caregivers was also held to address the growing educational needs of the pulmonary fibrosis (PF) community.

Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis Leadership Summit on Appropriate Endpoints for Phase III Trials July 2011

Senior Project Manager

Organizing Committee Member

11-12 July 2011

Bethesda, MD

Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation Research Program

2011 - 2014

Senior Project Manager

Familial Pulmonary Fibrosis Genetic Counseling Program

2007 - 2011

Program Founder and Director

The Program provided telephonic Genetic Counseling from Certified Genetic Counselors to patients and family members with fibrotic lung diseases.

Interstitial Lung Disease Database and Bio-repository

1992 - 2011

ILD Database and Repository Manager and Director, National Jewish Health

The ILD database and biospecimen repository began collecting specimens in 1982. The Repository underwent a complete revision under Dolly's direction implementing a bar code system that assisted in linking the repository with the ILD database and registry. This system was the model for the Institutional biospecimen repository at National Jewish as well as other large repositories, including NIH projects tasked with collection and storage of biospecimens and connected data.

Genetics of Pulmonary Fibrosis Advisory Committee Meeting

Senior Project Management & Organizer

7-8 June 2010 Red Rocks, Colorado

Project Manager and Organizing Committee Member

Fibrogen: FG3019 Safety and Tolerability Study of FG-3019 in Patients With Idiopathic Pulmonary

Fibrosis 2003 - 2007

Advisory Committee

Study Protocol Member

National Jewish Health Research Database & Bio-repository Organizing Committee

2010 - 2011

Planning Committee Member

Establish an Institutional coded / anonymized biospecimen repository that serves researchers with access to biologic specimens and associated clinical data relevant to their research interests. Assisting researchers apply for grants and also learn more about their areas of interest and publish important information in peer reviewed journals.

National Institutes of Health: Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis Research Network (IPFnet)

2005 - 2011

Advisory Committee

Performance Committee Member

Clinical Research Coordinator Network Chair

National Jewish Health: Pulmonary Fibrosis Patient Education Day

2008

Project Manager and Organizer

21 November 2008

Denver, Colorado

Actelion: A Double Blind, Randomized, placebo Controlled, Multi-center Study to Assess the Efficacy, Safety and Tolerability of Bosentan in patients with Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis.

2006 - 2008

Advisory Committee Member

InterMune: Safety and Efficacy of Subcutaneous gamma 1b in IPF

2000 - 2004

Advisory Committee

Chairman, Study Coordinator Advisory Committee

Biogen: Interferon Beta-1A in the Treatment of IPF

1998 - 2002

Advisory & Protocol Committee Member

Expert Consultant: Broncho-alveolar Lavage (BAL) Protocol Guidance

Clinical Trial Participation and Coordination

ACE: Anticoagulant Effectiveness in IPF

Artemis-IPF, Randomized, Placebo-Controlled Study to Evaluate Safety and Effectiveness of Ambrisentan in IPF

BUILD1: A Double Blind, Randomized, placebo Controlled, Multi-center Study to Assess the Efficacy, Safety and Tolerability of Bosentan in patients with Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis.

C97-829: Efficacy of Avonex in the Treatment of Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis

COMET: Correlating Outcomes with Biochemical Markers to Estimate Time-progression In IPF

FG3019: Safety and Tolerability Study of FG-3019 in Patients with Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis

FGCL-MC3019-002: A Phase 1 Study of the Safety, Pharmacokinetics, and Biologic Activity of Escalating Doses of FG-3019 in Subjects with Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis

GIPF001: A Randomized, Double Blind, Placebo Controlled , Phase III Study of the Safety and Efficacy of Subcutaneous Recombinant Interferon gamma 1b in Patients with IPF

GIPF002: A Phase II Randomized, Double blind, Placebo Controlled Study of the Safety, Biology and Clinical Effects of Interferon gamma Administered Subcutaneously to Patients with Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis.

GIPF004: An Open-Label Study of the Safety and Efficacy of Subcutaneous Recombinant Interferon gamma -1b in Patients with IPF

Clinical Trial Participation and Coordination

GIPF006: An Open-Label Study of the Safety and Efficacy of Subcutaneous Recombinant Interferon gamma -1b in Patients with IPF

Investigator Initiated Trial: Interferon alpha 2a Treatment Trial in LAM

National Institutes of Health, A Linkage and Association Study in Pulmonary Fibrosis

National Institutes of Health, LAM Registry

National Institutes of Health, Lung Involvement in Systemic Sclerosis: The Role of Inflammation in Pathogenesis

National Institutes of Health, Scleroderma Lung Study (SLSI), Oral Cyclophosphamide vs Oral Placebo in Systemic Sclerosis Pulmonary Alveolitis

National Institutes of Health, Specialized Center of Research in IPF

National Jewish Health, Registry and Repository, Pathobiology of Pulmonary Fibrosis

PANTHER: Evaluating the Effectiveness of Prednisone, Azathioprine, and N-acetylcysteine in Patients with IPF

Pulmonary Rehabilitation for IPF

STEP: Sildenafil Trial of Exercise Performance in IPF

Professional Presentations

March 2017 - December 2017

Bayer Healthcare, USA

87 Key opinion leader (KOL) introductory and investigational product presentations at academic institutions Nationwide, USA

January 2016 – November 2016

Promedior,

48 Clinical research presentations at site initiation visits, investigational product presentations, and KOL visits Global (EU & USA)

14, 15 January 2016

Promedior, IPF Investigator Meeting

Protocol Summary Review: A Phase 2 Trial to Evaluate the Efficacy of PRM-151 in Subjects with IPF

Fort Lauderdale, Florida

13 January 2016

Promedior, CRA-Vendor Meeting

Presenter: Disease Education-Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis

Fort Lauderdale, Florida

28 February 2015

Boerhringer Ingelheim

Webinar Presenter: EXPLORE IPF Survey - Insights into the Lives of People with IPF and their Caregivers

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4pXU16LXeCY&feature=youtu.be

27 October 2014

Session Moderator: Explore IPF Survey - Understanding the Patient and Caregiver Experience

CHEST 2014: American College of Chest Physicians Meeting – Disease Theater

Austin, Texas

Professional Presentations

21 September 2014

International Colloquium on Lung and Airway Fibrosis (ICLAF)

Presenter: Roundtable Advocacy in IPF - Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation Patient Survey Results

Mont-Tremblant, Quebec, Canada

24 June 2014

University of Washington Pulmonary Fibrosis Support Group Meeting Presenter: Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation Programs and Support Services

Seattle, Washington

9 April 2014

British Lung Foundation

Presenter: Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation Programs and Services

London, United Kingdom

19 March 2014

University of Kentucky PF Patient Support Group Meeting Presenter: Advocacy and Awareness for Pulmonary Fibrosis

Louisville, Kentucky

18 February 2014

Genentech Inc.

Presenter: Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation Patient Services and Care Center Network/Registry Program

South San Francisco, California

10 February 2014

Breath Matters Support Group Meeting

Presenter: Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation Patient Services

Richmond, Virginia

7 September 2013

Global Pulmonary Fibrosis Awareness 2013

Presenter: Living with Pulmonary Fibrosis and the Role of Support Groups

Barcelona, Spain

27 August 2013

Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation Town Hall Meeting

Presenter: PFF Patient Services

Chicago, Illinois

31 July 2013

InterMune, Inc

Presenter: Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation Patient Services and Care Center Network/Registry Program

Brisbane, California

13 July 2013

British Association for Lung Research (BALR)

Pulmonary Fibrosis Patient Support Day

Presenter: Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation Programs and Services

Nottingham, United Kingdom

8 July 2013

British Lung Foundation

Presenter: Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation Programs and Services

London, United Kingdom

15 May 2013

University of Utah: Best Practices in Caring for Patients with IPF Presenter: Pulmonary Fibrosis Advocacy and Patient Services

Salt Lake City, Utah

24 April 2013

National Organization or Rare Disorders

Regional Membership Meeting

Presenter: Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation Research Grant Program

Chicago, Illinois

Professional Presentations

26 March 2013

University of Washington Pulmonary Fibrosis Support Group Meeting Presenter: Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation Programs and Support Services

Seattle, Washington

3 December 2012 Bristol-Myers Squibb

Presenter: Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation Services and Care Center Network/Registry Project

Chicago, Illinois

22 September 2012

Global Pulmonary Fibrosis Awareness 2012

Presenter: Living with Pulmonary Fibrosis and the Role of Support Groups

Modena, Italy

29 September 2012

Pulmonary Fibrosis Support Group Leader Workshop

Presenter: Creating Effective Support Groups

Modena, Italy

1-3 December 2011

IPF Summit 2011: Bench to Bedside

Moderator: Patient and Caregiver Program Sessions

1-3 December 2011 Chicago, Illinois

19 November 2011

Wheat Ridge Colorado PF Support Group Meeting Presenter: Advocacy and Awareness Update

Wheat Ridge, Colorado

14 November 2011

University of Kentucky PF Patient Support Group Meeting Presenter: Advocacy and Awareness for Pulmonary Fibrosis

Louisville, Kentucky

16 June 2011

University of Utah PF Patient Support Group Meeting

Presenter: Pulmonary Fibrosis Advocacy and Patient Services

Salt Lake City, Utah

16 April 2011

Colorado Respiratory Therapy Student Education

Presentation: Interstitial Lung Disease

Wheat Ridge, Colorado

2005 -2011

Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis Research Network

Presenter: Performance and Research Coordinator Training and Committee Reporting

Network Advisory Committee Meetings – Quarterly Meetings

29 September 2009

Wheat Ridge Colorado PF Support Group Meeting Presenter: Advocacy and Awareness Update

Wheat Ridge, Colorado

21 November 2008

Presenter & Moderator

Pulmonary Fibrosis Patient Education Day

National Jewish Health, Denver CO

17 March 2007

Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis Research Network Presenter: IPFnet Investigator Meeting – STEP Protocol

17 March 2007 Chicago, Illinois

Professional Presentations

24 October 2006

University of Utah PF Patient Support Group Meeting Presenter: Pulmonary Fibrosis Advocacy and Patient Services Salt Lake City, Utah

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