



Zymeworks Appoints David Tucker as Vice President of Operations

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VANCOUVER, British Columbia, Canada – Zymeworks Inc., a privately held computational biotechnology company, today announced the appointment of Mr. David Tucker to the position of Vice President, Operations.

“Dave is a seasoned professional with a proven track record in managing complex multi-disciplinary projects,” says Dr. Ali Tehrani, President and CEO of Zymeworks. “Dave’s addition to our management team will bring enhanced research and operational efficiencies as we continue to grow and expand our capabilities in the upcoming year.”

David Tucker brings over twenty years of experience in technology development. Prior to joining Zymeworks, Mr. Tucker was Director of Product Development at PMC-Sierra where he managed major projects utilizing over 100 employees. Previously, Dave was Director of Silicon Development at Datum Telegraphic, a Canadian start-up acquired by PMC-Sierra in 2000, and was Senior Manager of Design at Epson R&D. Dave holds a Bachelor's degree in Electrical Engineering from the University of Alberta.

About Zymeworks Inc.

Zymeworks is a computational biotechnology company researching and developing next-generation protein therapeutics. Zymeworks leverages proprietary insight into structure-function relationships generated by the ZymeCAD™ platform to optimize the efficacy and potency of protein therapeutics. Zymeworks is focused on developing a biotherapeutics pipeline through strategic collaborations and internal research programs. More information on Zymeworks can be found at <http://www.zymeworks.com>.

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