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Partnering and Outsourcing, Experiences from a Small Company Perspective

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Outline

- Array Biopharma, background and history
- Collaborations
 - An integral part of our business model (past, present and future)
 - Various alliance structures utilized
 - Some case studies and discussion
- Outsourcing
 - Array is driving towards commercializing in 2018
 - Flexible business model
 - Strategic partnerships
 - Finding the right CRO's

Array BioPharma History at a Glance

- Small molecule drug discovery & development company
 - Boulder, Colorado, USA
 - Founded 1998
 - NASDAQ: ARRY
 - ~210 Employees
- Fully integrated discovery & development platform
- 23 INDs generated¹
 - 70% Targeting Protein Kinases
 - ~16 compounds currently in clinical trials
- Binimetinib (MEK inhibitor) and Encorafenib (Raf inhibitor) - NDAs
- Partnerships with major pharma and emerging biotech
- Array assets have formed the basis of two new companies to date
 - VentiRx (Now part of Celgene) (2007): TLR8 agonist: VTX-378²
 - Loxo Oncology (2013): panTrk: LOXO-101 (Larotrectinib)³
 - Array received an equity stake in both companies^{2,3}

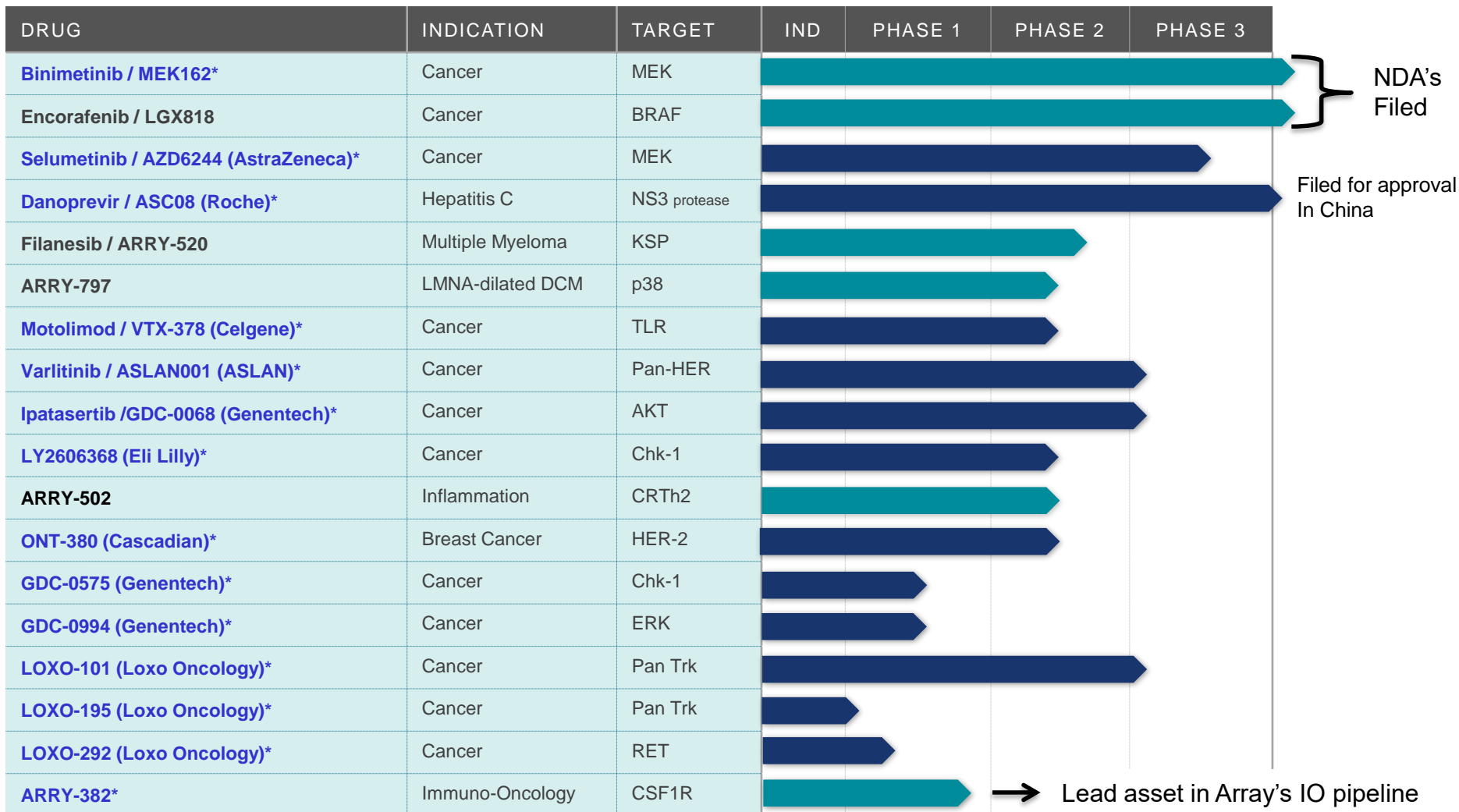
1. <http://www.arraybiopharma.com/discovery-collaborations/array-discovery-capabilities/>

2. Array BioPharma Inc., 2008 10-K report

3. Array BioPharma Inc., 2014 10-K report

Robust Development Pipeline¹

- Collaboration, partnering and licensing deals have been instrumental*



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 Collaboration



What has Array brought to the table?

- Extensive expertise prosecuting kinase targets
- Novel and high quality lead chemical matter
- High quality protein crystallography
 - Several “original” structures
 - Experienced computational chemists
- Historically superior productivity and candidate quality^{1,2}
 - Program cost efficiency ~35% better than industry average
 - Program time efficiency >15% better than industry standard
 - Attrition metric ~40 % better than industry standard

1. Paul et al. Nature Rev. Drug Dis. (2010) 9, 203-214.

2. Independent audit by external consulting company

Some collaboration strategies Array has utilized historically

- Partnering clinical stage asset – with co-development rights
 - MEK inhibitor (MEK162/binimetinib) with Novartis^{1,2}
- Partnering clinical stage asset with additional research collaboration on the target
 - Glucokinase activator ARRY-403 with Amgen³
- Multi-target research deal with partner having option to develop resulting assets
 - Genentech⁴
 - Celgene⁵
- Partnering pre-clinical asset with additional research collaboration on further targets
 - Loxo oncology (formation of new company)⁶

1. Array BioPharma Inc. 10-K Report 2011; 2. Array BioPharma Inc. 10-K Report 2017;
3. Array BioPharma Inc. and Amgen Inc. Press Release, Dec. 14th, 2009; 4. Array BioPharma Inc. press release: Jan. 5th 2004;
5. Array BioPharma Inc. and Celgene Corp. Press release, Sept. 24th 2007; 6. Array BioPharma Inc., 2014 10-K report

Aspects of a rewarding research collaboration

- Multiple year
- Partner engages in active and collaborative research on the targets
- Timely generation of IND's - adding value for the partner
- Partner exercises some options / develops assets
 - Milestone payments - adding value for Array
- Repeat business (adding targets / time to collaboration)
- Array FTE's funded - adding value for Array
- Array brings IP and/or expertise to the collaboration
- Expands the knowledge base of the organization
 - Enhances potential for extending or new collaborations

Case study 1- Genentech (Roche) collaboration - Model 1

- Collaboration began in 2003. Multiple extensions.
 - Research funded through January 2013¹.
- Initially two oncology targets – option to add targets²
- Two compounds moved to the clinic
 - GDC-0994; Erk inhibitor (Phase 1)³
 - DGC-0068 / Ipatasertib; Akt inhibitor (Phase 3, several Phase 2)¹
- Array has received research funding, upfront and milestone payments (\$26.5 million)¹
 - Array is eligible to receive further milestone and royalty payments¹
- Additional licensing agreement for Chk-1 inhibitor (GDC-0575)¹
 - 2011; Array received upfront payment (\$28 million) and is eligible to receive milestone and royalty payments¹

1. Array BioPharma Inc. 2016-2017 10-K report; 2. Array BioPharma Inc. press release: Jan. 5th 2004;
3. <http://www.arraybiopharma.com/product-pipeline/other-compounds/gdc-0994/>

Case study 1 (Model 1) – key learnings

Checks all the boxes

- ✓ Multiple year
- ✓ Partner engages in active and collaborative research on the targets
- ✓ Timely generation of IND's - adding value for the partner
- ✓ Partner exercises some options / develops assets
 - ✓ Milestone payments - adding value for Array
- ✓ Alliance extensions (adding targets / time to collaboration)
- ✓ Array FTE's funded - adding value for Array
- ✓ Array brings IP and/or expertise to the collaboration
- ✓ Expands the knowledge base of the organization
 - ✓ Enhances potential for extending or new collaborations

Model 1 – additional learnings

- An effective collaboration model
 - Resource from both parties was applied
 - Good collaboration at the scientific level
 - Joint Research Committee to give feedback to team and help guide progress
 - Flexible agreement allowed for expansion and additional targets
 - Fruitful research collaboration helped enable subsequent licensing deal
- The needs of a collaborator can change over time
 - All good things will come to an end
 - Helpful to have a smooth winding down of research activities
 - 120 day “sun-set” clause¹
- Reliance on a few larger collaborations
 - Takes time to replace

Case study 2 – Celgene collaboration

- Model 2

- Collaboration began in 2007¹
- Initial upfront payment to Array of \$40 million¹
 - Potential for milestone and royalty payments¹
- Array to work on 4 targets (oncology and inflammation)¹
- Array to progress through Phase 1 or 2a in the clinic¹
 - Milestone payment at IND acceptance²
- Partner had ability to exercise an option on up to 2 programs¹
- Amended in June 2009 (additional \$4.5 million payment)³
- Partner waived rights to one program (September 2009)³
- Partner named remaining 3 targets (April 2010)³
 - CSF1R (oncology), TYK2 (inflammation) and PDGFR (fibrosis)³

1. Array BioPharma Inc. and Celgene Corp. Press release, Sept. 24th 2007

2. Array BioPharma Inc., press release, Nov. 30th 2010; Array BioPharma Inc. 2011 10-K report.

3. Array BioPharma Inc., 2010 10-K report

Case study 2

- ARRY-382 (CSF1R inhibitor) – IND Nov. 2010¹
 - \$10 million milestone payment to Array¹
- Additional agreement, July 2013²
 - Inflammation target²
 - \$11 million upfront payment to Array²
- Two programs moved to clinical stage, two to preclinical candidate stage
- Partner did not exercise its option to develop any of the assets³
- Array retained rights to the programs³

1. Array BioPharma Inc., 2011 10-K report

2. Array BioPharma Inc., 2014 10-K report; Array BioPharma Inc., press release, July 29th, 2013

3. Array BioPharma Inc., 2013 10-K report; Array BioPharma Inc., 2016 10-K report

Case study 2 (Model 2) – key learnings

Most boxes checked

- ✓ Multiple year
- Partner engages in active and collaborative research on the targets
- ✓ Timely generation of IND's - adding value for the partner
- Partner exercises some options / develops assets
 - ✓ Milestone payments - adding value for Array
- ✓ Alliance extensions (adding targets / time to collaboration)
- ✓ Array FTE's funded - adding value for Array
- ✓ Array brings IP and/or expertise to the collaboration
- ✓ Expands the knowledge base of the organization
 - ✓ Enhances potential for extending or new collaborations

Model 2 – additional learnings

- Looking at the big picture – can be viewed positively
- Array got to retain all the assets and IP
 - Research funded for >5 years
 - Valuable assets created
 - ARRY-382 (CSF1R inhibitor) – currently in active development
 - Other assets available for development or partnering
- Partner got a look at multiple targets – two at a clinical stage
 - Probably a reasonable value from their perspective
 - Reasonable investment for research on >4 targets over >5 years including two taken to an early clinical stage
 - Were able to make informed decisions on the targets

Considerations

- An upfront payment seems good at first
 - As time progresses and money is spent, *perception* may change
- Companies visions change with time
 - Don't assume that what the collaborator says today will be the same a few years later
- Active research investment by the collaborator probably gives a better sense of commitment to a target than passive investment
 - But which model is preferred may be a matter of opinion
- It is disappointing to deliver a high quality candidate and for the partner to not take it forward
- Array retained rights to programs not progressed by partner
 - Ultimately still a “win” for Array

Other learnings

- Array was empowered to drive the program forward
 - Face to face / Joint Research Committee meetings quarterly
- Good when things go well and no unexpected issues
 - Can get on with research without disturbance
- But collaborators changing view of a target and where to take a drug candidate clinically (translational) can be missed
 - Clinical trial design considerations
- Array appreciated closer involvement with the partner as the collaboration progressed
- Ultimately decisions on whether to exercise an option made by a large corporation take into account a variety of considerations
 - Business, scientific
 - Have to accept it and move on
 - What is seen as valuable to a small corporation may not be for a large one

Comparing the two models

- Which is preferred may be a matter of risk tolerance
- Model 1 (i.e. Genentech collaboration)
 - ~10 years of steady research funding
 - Some compounds were moved into the clinic
 - A steady flow of modest milestone payments
 - Royalty payments may be realized
 - Not game changing for Array, but low risk and steady
- Model 2 (i.e. Celgene collaboration)
 - >5 years of research funding
 - Clinical and preclinical candidates produced
 - Lack of certainty whether the partner would exercise its options
 - Array ended up with the rights to all the assets being returned
 - But decision whether to sell or develop assets has to be made
 - Decided to develop CSF1R inhibitor – lead Immuno-oncology asset
 - Higher risk (but potentially game changing for Array)

What are potential partners looking for now?

■ License clinical stage asset

- Later stage clinical assets (Phase 2 data) are becoming increasingly difficult to find
- Early clinical or late stage preclinical assets are being licensed
 - Incyte licenses Arginase Inhibitor CB-1150 from Calithera (\$53 million)¹
 - Compound was in early Phase 1 clinical trial

■ Platform target research collaborations with options to license resulting drugs

- Blueprint receives \$45 upfront from Roche to work on up to 5 “immuno-kinase” targets²
- Roche can exercise an option on up to at least 3 programs after Phase 1 clinical data has been generated

1. Fierce Biotech Jan. 30th, 2017
2. Fierce Biotech March 15th, 2016

What kind of collaboration is Array currently looking for?

- Platform research deal
 - Based on advanced pre-clinical (or early clinical) matter
 - Potential for expansion to additional targets
- Could be based around target or technology for example:
 - Immuno-oncology
 - Array has a number of ongoing IO kinase projects
 - Brain penetration
 - Array has the technology to discover brain penetrant compounds
 - A number of kinase programs with brain penetrant lead matter
 - Potentially outside of oncology
 - For example, recent collaboration with Amgen
 - Inflammation target discovered using Array's proprietary Kinase Directed Phenotypic Screening Platform¹

1. Array BioPharma and Amgen press release: July 18th, 2017

Outsourcing

- Array is driving towards commercialization (2018)
- Since ~2014 Array has adopted a flexible resourcing model
 - Internal research group
 - Strategic outsourcing
- CMC group sold (now part of Avista)¹
 - Ongoing collaboration with Avista under agreement¹
- Increased outsourcing of synthesis and medicinal chemistry
- Pharmacology, in-vitro ADMET, in-vivo PK
 - To supplement internal resource as required
- Immuno-oncology collaboration
 - Belfer Center for Applied Cancer Science (Dana-Farber)²

1. Array BioPharma Inc., 2016 10-K report; Accuratus Lab Services press release, June 2nd, 2015.

2. Dana-Farber Cancer Institute's Belfer Center press release, Feb. 1st, 2016

Synthesis / Medicinal Chemistry Outsourcing

- Determining the best ways to utilize
 - Low vs. high cost CRO
 - FTE arrangement vs. project based
 - Intermediate synthesis
 - Analog synthesis
 - Whether to utilize other services
 - In-vitro assays
 - In-vitro ADME
 - In-vivo PK (with or without bioanalytical)
 - Chiral separation

How has Array utilized outsourcing?

- Some US (high cost CRO)
 - Mainly CMC
 - Some chiral separation
 - Some in-vivo / pharmacology / toxicology
- Mainly low cost CRO's based in Asia (China, India)
 - For intermediate synthesis / medicinal chemistry analog synthesis
 - Cost is a factor – but not the only one
 - Reliability of vendor
 - Vendors experience with the chemistry
 - Communication – very important
 - Detail and thought put into the quote
 - Honesty is appreciated

Synthesis outsourcing

- Array has experimented with various formats
 - FTE based arrangements
 - Good flexibility for analog preparation
 - Balanced against longer term financial commitment
 - Not always easy for a smaller company to sustain
 - Individual project contracts
 - Smaller budget
 - Less flexible for making changes (but can be done)
 - Flexibility of the vendor can be important
 - Can “shop” projects around
 - Not committed to just one vendor
 - Most of what is currently being done
 - Forging trusting relationships with key vendors
 - Takes considerable time and effort to manage

Synthesis and beyond

- Low cost CRO
- Concerns at the outset about reliability of data
 - Difficult chemistry
 - Biological assay
 - In-vitro ADME
 - Pharmacokinetics / bioanalytical
- Our experience is that it can be done
- FTE Arrangement with CRO based in China
 - Accomplished some very challenging synthesis
 - In-vitro ADME and rodent PK data was high quality
 - On challenging chemo-types
 - Demonstrated ability to run biological assays
- Multiple individual synthesis projects with India based CRO

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