



Company Overview

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Mission Statement



*Developing treatments for patients that
need them the most*

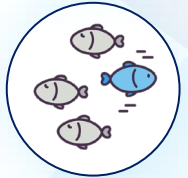


Corporate Overview

Salarius's mission is to develop treatments for patients who need them most



Drugs that regulate gene expression (“epigenetics”) have shown clinical efficacy plus immuno-oncology potential



Lead candidate, seclidemstat is a novel, oral, reversible LSD1 inhibitor that regulates gene expression and is currently in Phase 1/2 Ewing and Ewing-related sarcoma and Phase 1/2 solid tumor clinical trials



Seclidemstat FDA designations for Ewing sarcoma:

(1) Rare Pediatric Disease Designation, (2) Orphan Drug Designation, and (3) Fast Track Approval



Non-Dilutive funding in addition to low monthly burn rate

- Original \$18.7M¹ award from Cancer Prevention Research Institute of Texas (CPRIT) with \$4.8M remaining
- Financial support from the National Pediatric Cancer Foundation



Market expansion in targeted cancers with LSD1 sensitive mutations and immunotherapy (checkpoint inhibitor combos) and hematologic cancers




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Recent and Anticipated Milestones

	Development Milestones	Timing
✓	Rare Pediatric Disease, Orphan Status Designation, and Fast Track Designation	2017-2019
✓	Phase 1 Ewing data (pediatric subcommittee Oncologic Drug Advisory Committee)	1H 2020
✓	CPRIT Distribution	2H 2020
✓	Additional Phase 1 Ewing data - RP2D Established (<i>Press release 02/17/21</i>)	1Q2021
✓	Initiate Ewing sarcoma and Ewing-related sarcoma expansion (<i>Press release 02/24/21</i>)	1Q 2021
	Initiate potential immunotherapy combo trial	1H2021
	Initiate potential hematologic trial	1H2021
	Phase 1 Ewing early safety and efficacy data readouts	1H 2021
	Phase 1 AST early safety and efficacy data readouts	1H 2021
	Potential early readouts from the Ewing and Ewing-related sarcoma Expansion Phase	2H 2021
	Full data readouts from completed Ewing and Ewing-related sarcoma Expansion Phase	2022
	Early readouts from immunotherapy combo and hematologic trials	2022



Development Pipeline

	Indication	Preclinical	Phase 1	Phase 2 ¹	Status
Seclidemstat	Ewing and Ewing-related Sarcomas	Dose Expansion at RP2D			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Phase 1/Phase 2 enrolling up to 80 patients Recommended Phase 2 Dose (PR2D) established
	Advanced Solid Tumors	Dose Escalation and Expansion ²			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Phase 1/Phase 2 enrolling up to 50 patients
	Immunotherapy	In vitro and In vivo studies ongoing			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identifying combinations and indications for clinical trials
	Hematologic cancers	In vitro and In vivo studies ongoing			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identifying combinations and indication for clinical trials

1. Expanded Phase 2 in Ewing sarcoma could potentially be a registration study with improvements in response or duration of response compared to the existing standard of care and FDA's agreement

2. Open to all non-Ewing sarcoma solid tumor patients except for primary CNS tumors, potential to enrich for patients with sensitive mutations and prostate cancer that can be monitored with prostate specific antigen



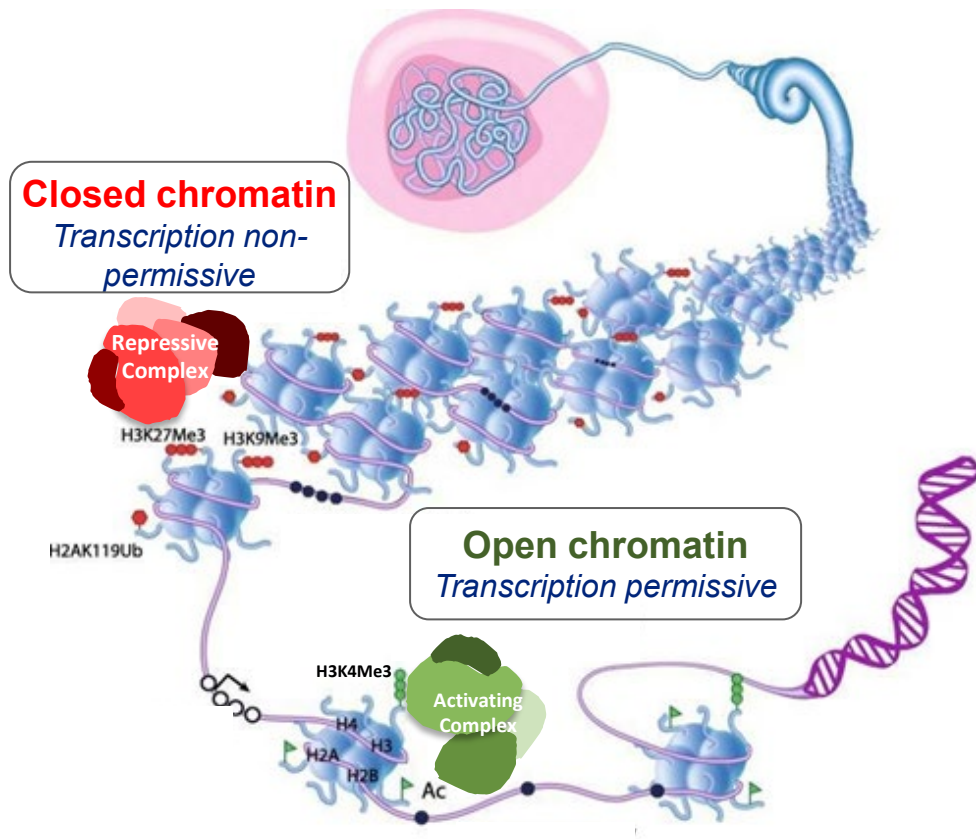
Seclidemstat

Overview

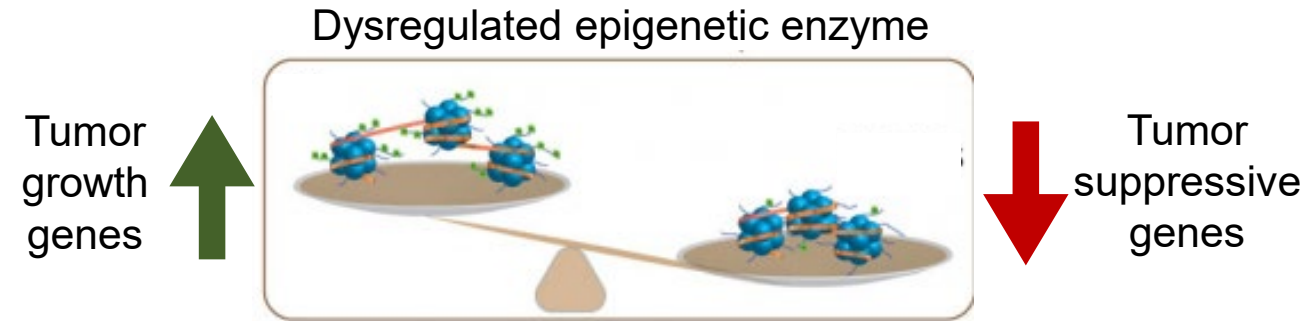


Epigenetic enzymes are attractive targets for cancer therapy

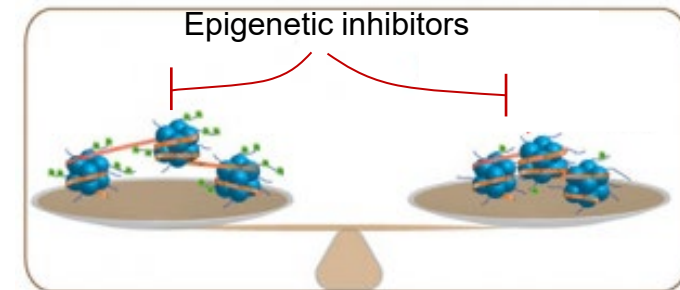
Epigenetic modifying enzymes affect gene expression by manipulating the chromatin structure



Dysregulated epigenetic enzymes can disrupt the transcriptional balance and lead to cancer development



Drugs that correct dysregulated epigenetic enzymes can help treat cancer by restoring to a balanced transcriptional state



Adapted from Holliday, H. Breast Cancer Research 2018

Adapted from Marcin et al. Biomed Intel 2018.

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Epigenetic Space Is Gaining Momentum And Epigenetic Focused Biotechs Are Increasing In Valuation

Epigenetic Space



EZH2 inhibitor (tazemetostat)

Approved in epithelioid sarcoma – monotherapy
Approved for R/R follicular lymphoma – monotherapy

Market Cap: ~\$1.1B¹



BET inhibitor (CPI-0610)

Positive Phase 2 data in combination with existing standard of care in myelofibrosis

LSD1 (CPI-482) program recently announced

Market Cap: ~\$1.7B¹

LSD1 Inhibitor Space



Reversible LSD1 inhibitor

- Single agent has shown preliminary (dose escalation) antitumor activity
- No significant hematologic toxicity to date



Reversible LSD1 inhibitor

- Single agent shows anti-tumor activity
- Initiating trial in combination with checkpoint inhibitors



Irreversible LSD1 inhibitor

- Shown success in AML in combo with 5-aza
- Hematological toxicity can be a limitation



Irreversible LSD1 inhibitor

- Showing success in myeloproliferative diseases
- Raised \$80M Series C

1. Feb 18, 2021



LSD1 - A Validated Target For Cancer Therapy

Lysine Specific Demethylase 1 (LSD1) affects gene expression through enzymatic activity and scaffolding properties (protein-protein interactions), making it an attractive target for solid tumors and hematological cancers.

LSD1 in Normal Cells and Cancer Cells¹

Normal Cells	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• LSD1 is necessary for stem cell maintenance and cell development processes (e.g., blood cells)
Cancer Cells	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• LSD1 is over expressed• LSD1 acts incorrectly to silence or activate genes leading to disease progression• Validated target: LSD1 CRISPR deletion often detrimental to cancer cells



Seclidemstat (SP-2577) reversibly inhibits **LSD1**

- Reverses incorrect gene expression, killing or preventing the growth of cancer cells
- Inhibits both the enzymatic and scaffolding activity

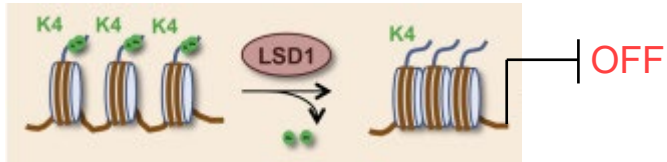


More Comprehensive Inhibition of LSD1 Positively Impacts Therapeutic Activity



Enzymatic activity – Demethylation

Impact: Moderately alter
gene expression

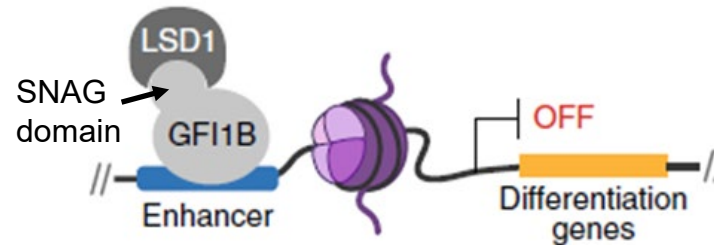


 and competitors



Partial scaffolding* inhibition of LSD1 – protein interaction

Impact: Alter gene expression in
cancers (AML, SCLC) driven by
SNAG domain proteins (e.g. GFI1B)



 and competitors



Broader scaffolding inhibition of LSD1 – protein interaction

Impact: Potential efficacy in
broader range of cancer types,
destabilize LSD1 and complexes



- ✓ Differential activity
- ✓ Reduces LSD1 expression
- ✓ Favorable Toxicology Profile

*scaffolding properties – protein to protein interactions



SPEED TO MARKET

Secclidemstat in Ewing Sarcoma
and Ewing-related Sarcomas



Ewing Sarcoma - Unmet Need Represents a Meaningful Product Opportunity

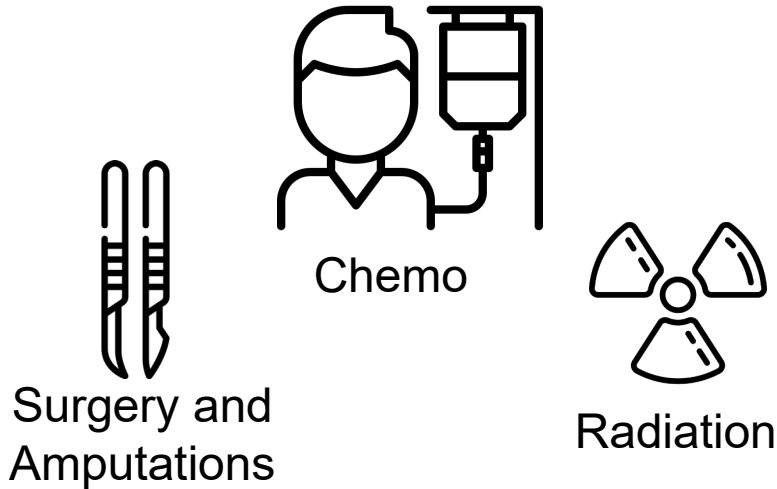
Diagnosis



~500 patients diagnosed each year
Median age of diagnosis ~15 years

- 75% localized¹
- 25% with metastasis¹

Standard of Care



- About 40% of patients are refractory or relapse²
- 70-90% 5-year mortality rate²
- No standardized 2nd line treatment

Salarius' Vision

An effective, non-toxic, oral treatment option:

- Accelerated US approval
- Rapid market uptake
- \$200M+ Global Sales³ (est.)
- Possible Priority Review Voucher of \$80M - \$150M

- ✓ Fast Track Designation
- ✓ Orphan Drug Designation
- ✓ Rare Pediatric Drug Designation

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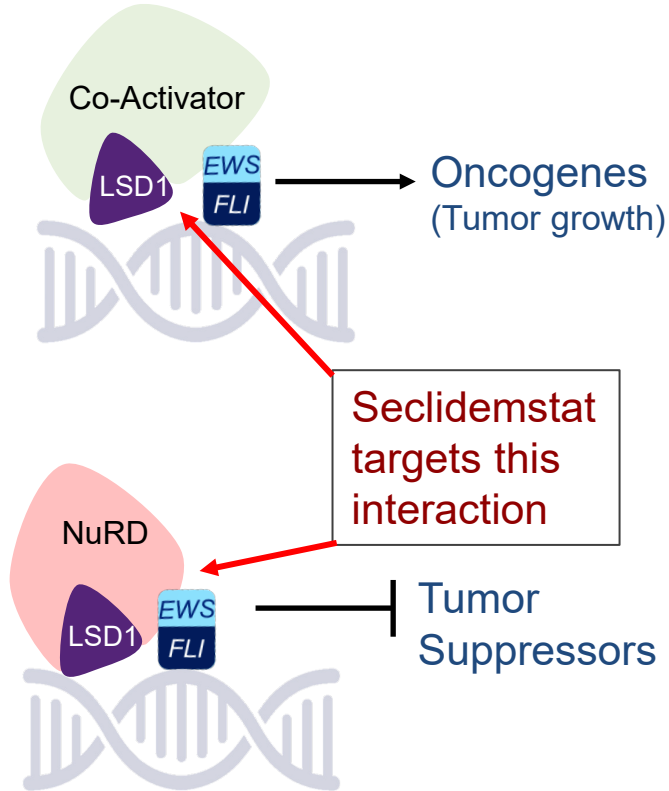
¹ Pishas, K. et al. (2016)

² Van Mater, et al. Oncotargets (2019)

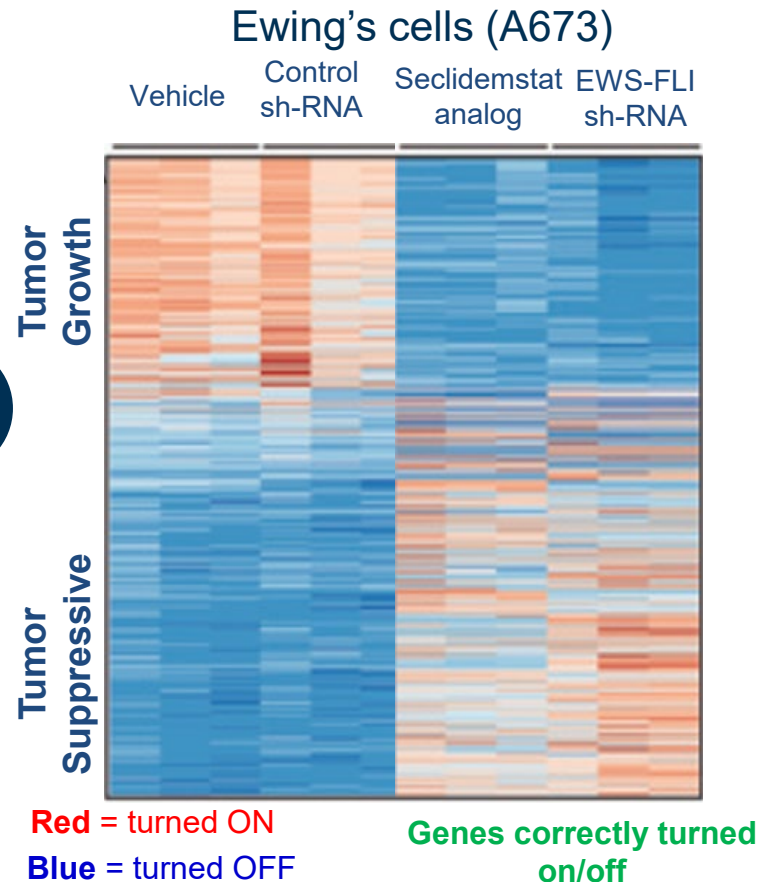
Targeting The Root Cause Of Ewing Sarcoma Via LSD1 Inhibition

Ewing sarcoma is driven by an easily diagnosed chromosomal translocation, i.e., EWS-FLI

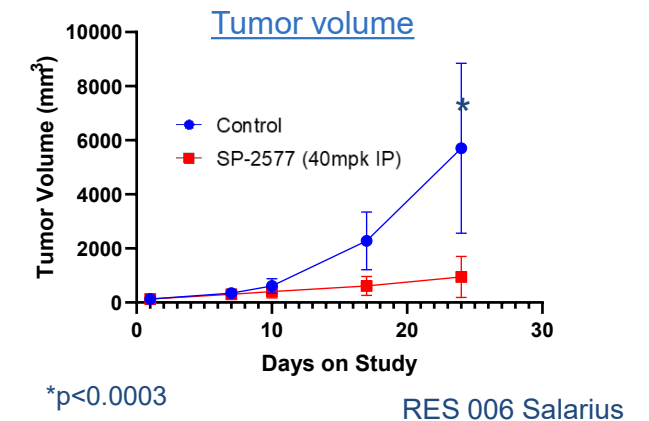
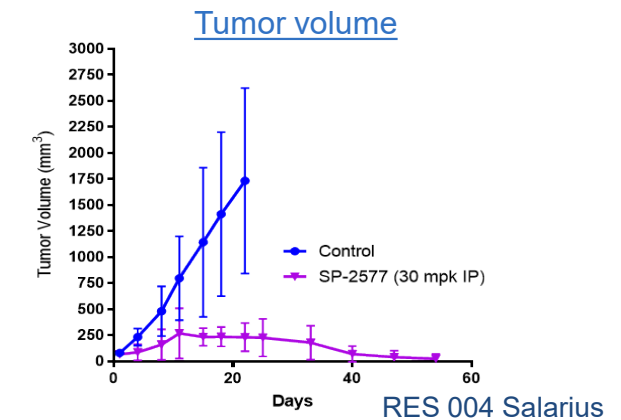
Incorrect transcription factor leads to gene dysregulation



Seclidemstat corrects gene expression

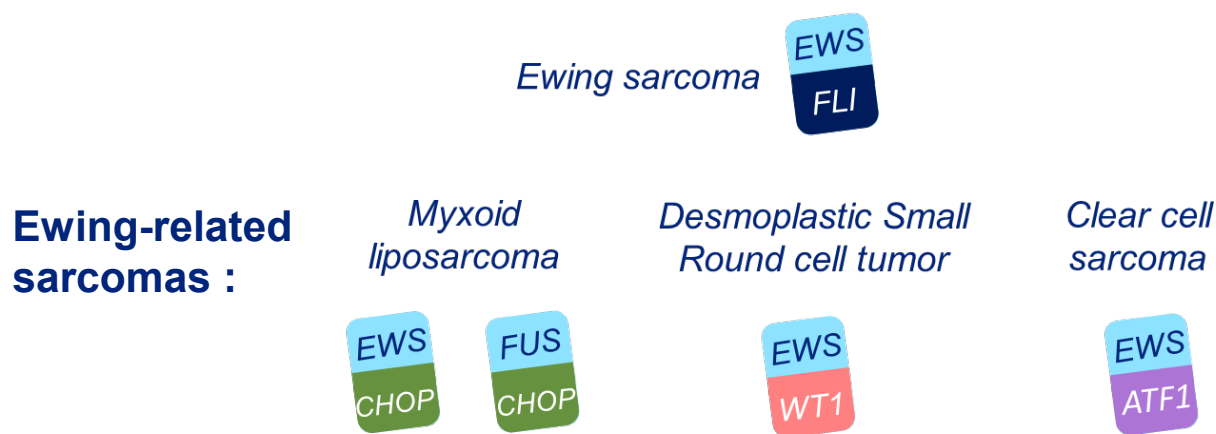


Potent anti-tumor activity in SKNMC (Ewing sarcoma cells) *in vivo* studies

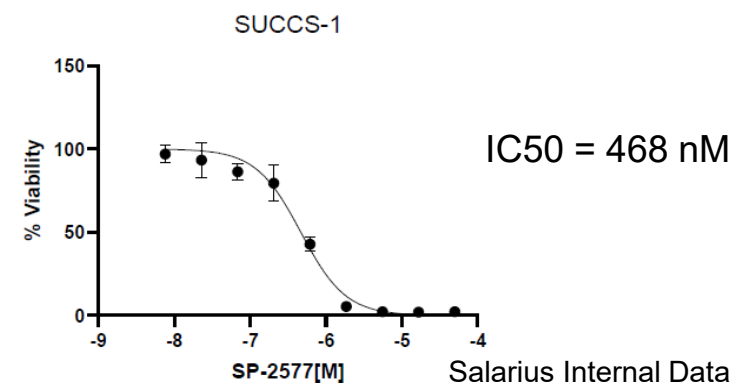


Secclidemstat's mechanism of action results in anti-proliferative activity in Ewing-related (FET-translocated) sarcomas

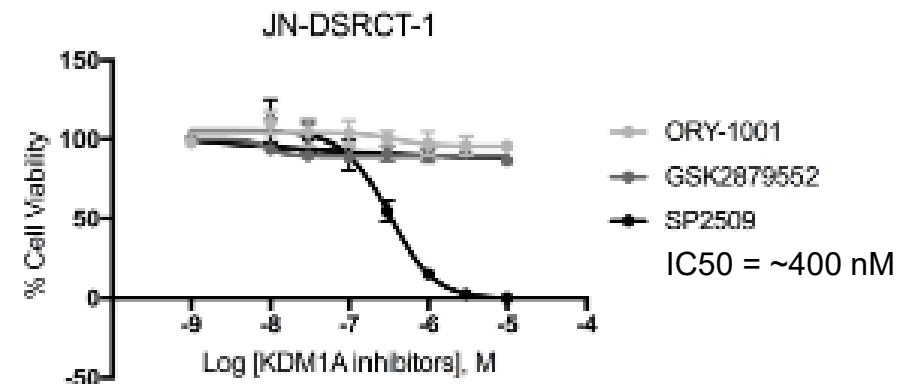
- Salarius's ongoing Ewing sarcoma trial amended to include Ewing-related sarcomas at the RP2D supported by preclinical and clinical data
 - Clinical data: FET-sarcoma patients¹ treated at doses below the RP2D have a median time to progression above a commonly used benchmark for assessing single agent activity in soft tissue sarcomas



Clear cell sarcoma



Desmoplastic Small Round Cell Tumor



Romo-Morales A et al. *Pediatr Blood Cancer*. 2019.



Ewing Sarcoma and Ewing-Related Sarcomas Phase 1/2 Trial

Open-label dose escalation / dose expansion trial design

Dose escalation (completed 1Q2021)

- Seclidemstat has a manageable safety profile
- RP2D established

Dose expansion amended to reach more sarcoma patients (initiating 1Q2021)

- **Arm 1:** Up to 30 Ewing sarcoma patients treated in combination with Topotecan/Cyclophosphamide
- **Arm 2:** Up to 30 Ewing-related sarcoma patients treated with single agent seclidemstat

Primary objective: Safety, Tolerability

Secondary objectives: Anti-tumor assessment

Exploratory: Hemoglobin F, cfDNA, CTCs

CURRENTLY ENROLLING AT 8 CLINICAL SITES



- ✓ Drug exposure at RP2D is above concentration that showed activity in preclinical models
- ✓ Signs of anti-tumor activity in patients at or below the RP2D



Phase 1a Ewing Safety Data And Preliminary Drug Activity Observed In Patient's Target Lesions As Assessed By Investigator

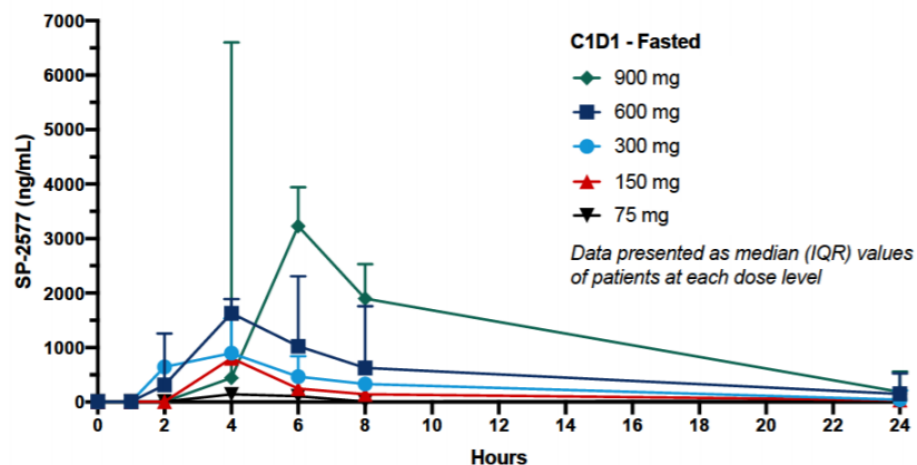
Early dose escalation results

Patients enrolled¹: 21 patients

- No treatment related deaths or study discontinuations due to treatment-related adverse events
- Dose-limiting toxicities have not prevented dose escalation

Pharmacokinetics:

- At dose levels 900 mg BID and above cohorts achieving drug levels of preclinical efficacious concentrations
- 5-8 hour half-life supports BID dosing



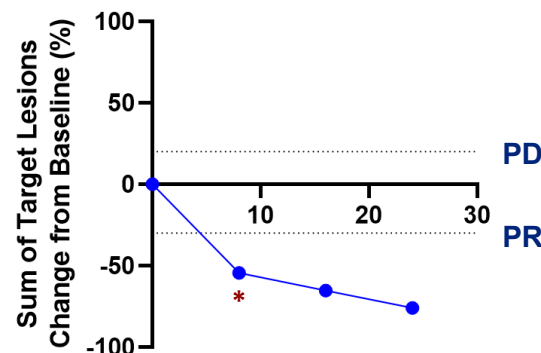
Preliminary drug activity in target lesions of refractory Ewing's patient

- Feb 2016: 30 year-old male diagnosed and treated with standard VDC/IE chemotherapy
- July 2017: Presented with bone lesion and treated with standard I/T chemotherapy
- Feb 2019: External beam radiation treatment
- Sep 2019: Enrolled in SP-2577 study at 600 mg BID dose cohort.

Prospectively defined target lesions decreased 76% in size after 6 months of treatment

- Partial Response (PR) of target lesions
- At cycle 2 non-target lesions increased resulting in overall assessment of Progressive Disease (PD) per RECIST 1.1.
- Patient continued treatment for additional 4 cycles (total of 6 cycles) due to response in target lesions and clinical benefit as determined by Investigator.

Decrease in Target Lesion Size



* PD in non-target lesions at 8 weeks, patient continued therapy

¹ As of May 1, 2020



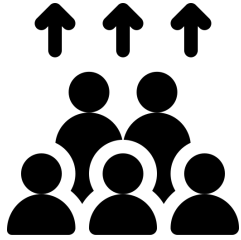
MARKET EXPANSION

Secclidemstat in Advanced Solid Tumors

Select Tumor Mutations

Immunotherapy

LSD1 Overexpression Increases With Disease Progression And Correlates With Poor Patient Prognosis – Secclidemstat Reduces LSD1 Activity

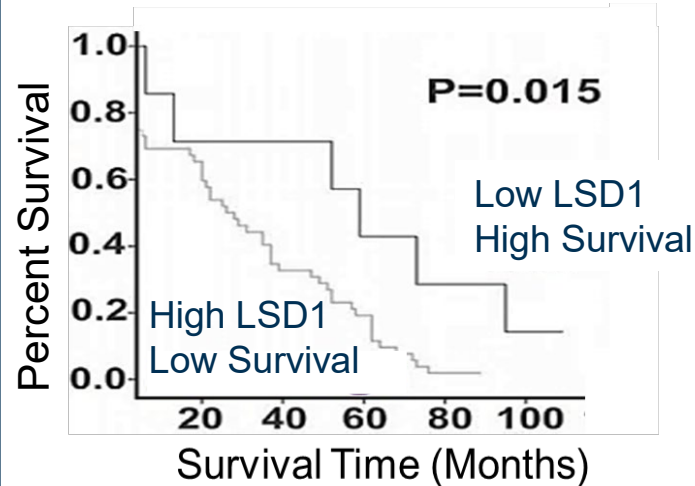


Increased LSD1 expression correlates with solid tumor progression

- High LSD1 expression in ~30% of primary prostate tumors, but >90% of advanced castration resistant prostate cancer¹
- LSD1 expression associated with shorter survival in Triple Negative Breast cancer

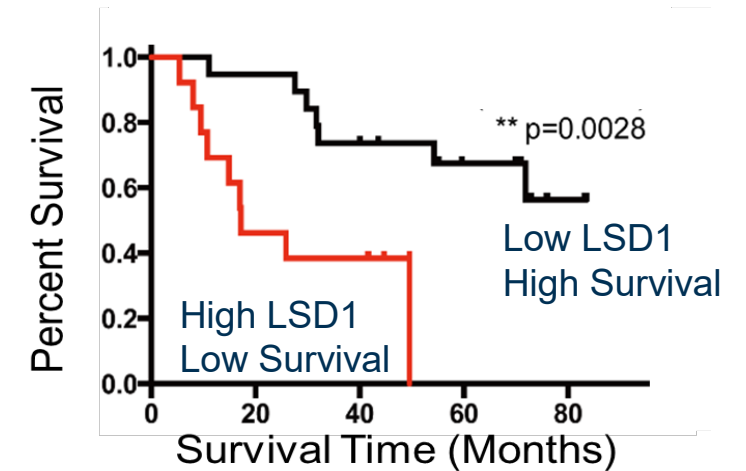
¹ Sehrawat, A. et. al., 2018

Castration Resistant Prostate Cancer



Kashyap, V., et al. (2013).

Triple Negative Breast Cancer (TNBC)



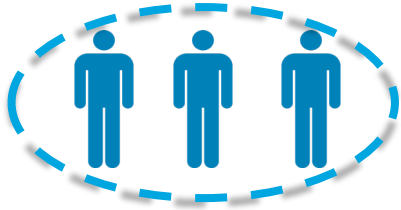
Nagasawa, S. et al (2015)

Ongoing Phase 1 Advanced Solid Tumor Study sites: Honor Health, Phoenix AZ and Sarcoma Oncology Center, Santa Monica CA



Seclidemstat Expansion Strategy Built Upon Patient Targeting, Increasing Immuno-oncology Response & Hematological Cancers

Patient Targeting



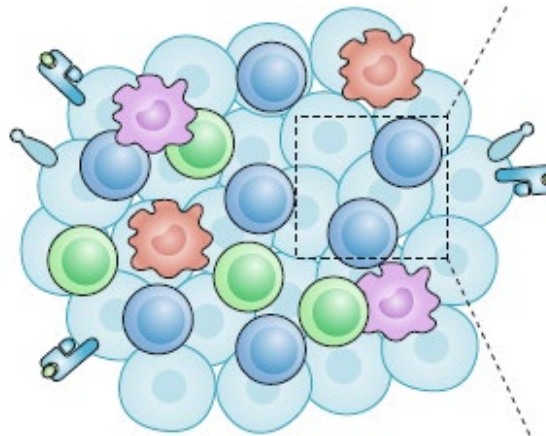
Potential enrollment to target patients with an increased chance of response to seclidemstat



Represents patient with potential sensitizing mutations identified by Salius

Increase Response to Checkpoint Inhibitors

LSD1 inhibition can turn **cold** tumors to **hot** tumors

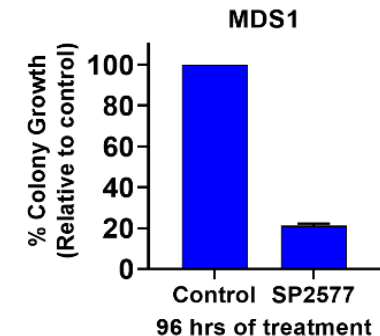
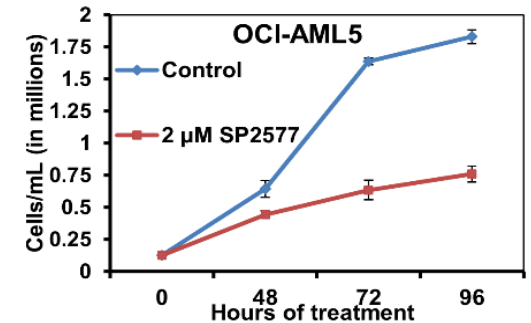


May help increase patient response to IO therapies

Topper, M.J., et al. *Nature Reviews* (2019)

Hematologic Cancers

Seclidemstat (SP-2577) inhibits Acute Myeloid Leukemia (AML) and Myelodysplastic Syndrome (MDS) cell growth



Combination of Possibilities Presents Significant Market Opportunity for Secclidemstat

SPEED TO MARKET

**Ewing and Ewing
related sarcomas**
500 to 2000 patients
diagnosed/year



Potential for accelerated approval,
priority review

\$80M-\$150M

Possible Pediatric Priority
Review Voucher (est.)

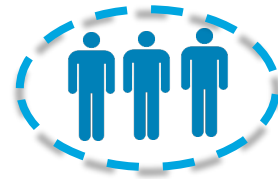
\$400M+

Global Sales per year (est.)¹

EXPANDING INTO LARGER MARKETS

POTENTIAL TO IDENTIFY **SELECT PATIENT**

Ongoing work to identify genetic backgrounds
that may increase patient response to LSD1 inhibition



Market Potential in Solid Tumors ^{2,3,4,5,6}

\$1B+

POTENTIAL TO ENTER INTO **IMMUNOTHERAPY**

Sensitizing resistant cancers
to checkpoint Inhibitors

\$1B+ Market Potential⁷

POTENTIAL TO ENTER INTO **HEMATOLOGIC CANCERS**

Hematologic cancers with
clinical evidence for LSD1i

\$1B+ Market Potential⁸



Salarius Investment Opportunity: Clinical Stage Biotech With Several Value-driving Inflection Points Occurring In 2021



Lead compound, seclidemstat, is in the growing epigenetic therapy space

- Clinical data suggests seclidemstat has a manageable safety profile and has demonstrated anti-tumor activity in patients with advanced disease



Extensive non-dilutive funding coupled with low quarterly burn rate

- Original \$18.7M¹ Award from CPRIT
- Received financial support from NPCF



Recipient of FDA designations that facilitates rapid product development

- Orphan Drug Designation
- Rare Pediatric Disease Designation
- Fast Track Designation

Salarius anticipates several value-inflection announcements in the upcoming months:



Safety, pharmacokinetic, and early efficacy data from our two ongoing clinical trials to be presented at an upcoming scientific conference







Announcement of additional seclidemstat clinical trials in attractive indications





Thank you!

LSD1 Competitive Landscape Highlights Seclidemstat's Differentiation

In clinic ¹	Company	Drug Name	Binding Mechanism	Indications and Phase
	 Salarius PHARMACEUTICALS	SP-2577 (Seclidemstat)	Reversible	Ewing sarcoma (Ph1/2), Advanced Solid Tumors (Ph1/2)
	 ORYZON	ORY-1001 (RG6016)	Irreversible	AML combo (Ph2b), SCLC combo (Ph2a)
	 Celgene (BMS)	CC-90011	Reversible	Non-Hodgkin's lymphoma and AST (Ph1), SCLC combo (Ph1b), IO combo (Ph 2), Prostate (Ph1), AML (Ph1/2)
	 IMAGO	IMG-7289	Irreversible	Myelofibrosis (Ph2b), essential thrombocythemia (Ph2a), Polycythemia vera (Phase 2a)

¹Clinicaltrials.gov

Seclidemstat's differentiated binding mechanism (reversibility) and binding location shows potential **increased therapeutic activity and safety***

Preclinic ²	Company	Drug Name	Binding Mechanism	Indications and Phase
	 BEACTICA™	BEA-17	Reversible	Glioblastoma, IO
	 RASNA THERAPEUTICS	RASP-201	Reversible	AML
	 Hanmi	HM9XXX series	Reversible	AML and SCLC
	 Constellation PHARMACEUTICALS	CPI-482	Irreversible	Myeloproliferative neoplasms

²Not an exhaustive list of companies in preclinical stage

Preclinical research is shifting to develop reversible LSD1 inhibitors

Appendix A: Additional Sources

- Combination of Possibilities Presents Significant Market Opportunity for Seclidemstat

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² Cancer of the Ovary – Cancer Stat Facts, The National Cancer Institute: Surveillance, Epidemiology and End Results Program

<https://seer.cancer.gov/statfacts/html/ovary.html>.

³ GlobalData: Prostate Cancer: Global Drug Forecast and Market Analysis to 2028

⁴ GlobalData and Epidemiology Market Size Database, TNBC

⁵ GlobalData: Opportunity Analyzer: Ovarian Cancer - Opportunity Analysis and Forecast to 2025

⁶ Morel, D., et al. Ann of Oncology 2017

⁷ <https://www.forbes.com/sites/greatspeculations/2019/03/12/how-much-can-mercks-share-price-grow-if-keytruda-gets-10-share-of-oncology-drug-market/#77edba677e18>

⁸ Hematological Malignancies. Apr 2020. Brand Essence Market Research.



Appendix B: US Intellectual Property Portfolio

- Composition of matter: #8,987,335
- Composition of matter: #9,266,838
- Methods of Use: #9,642,857
- Methods of Use: #9,555,024

