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**Biotechnology Workforce Development
and
Community Colleges in California**

A dialog between biotechnology executives, community college leaders, and state policy makers

Friday, February 11, 2005

10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

J. David Gladstone Institutes at the University of California, San Francisco at Mission Bay

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The goal of this program, developed by the Biotechnology Institute in collaboration with sponsor Gilead Sciences, is to develop an awareness among employers that today's community colleges are producing graduates with the hands-on skills needed for jobs in manufacturing and R & D, and to alert community colleges to the current and future needs of companies. By focusing on best practices and the hiring needs of companies, this program will foster dialog, partnerships, and action among the biotechnology industry, community colleges, and state policy makers.

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The Biotechnology Institute's mission is to engage, excite and educate the public, particularly young people, about biotechnology and its immense potential for solving human health, food, and environmental problems.

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Program

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Meeting location: Robert W. Mahley Auditorium, Gladstone Institute, Mission Bay

9:00 AM Registration and Networking, Coffee, Juice and Bagels.

9:45 AM Seating in the auditorium begins.

10:00 AM Introduction by Matthew M. Gardner, President, BayBio. Discussion of how the meeting will proceed by moderator (Dave Jensen, CEO, CareerTrax).

10:10 AM Speaker Presentations

- Paige Lloyd, Staffing Associate and College Recruitment Manager, Genentech, presents her experience with community college graduates for manufacturing jobs.
- Dr. Nick Kapp, Professor of Biology, Skyline College speaks about his program which was developed in cooperation with industry employers such as Genentech.
- Dr. Jacinto Villanueva, Staff Scientist and Manager, Epitomics. Dr. Villanueva will talk about the Epitomics experience in using community college grads for R&D jobs.
- Dr. Edith Leonhardt, Director of Biomanufacturing for City College, Co-Director NCBC, will present how the City College of San Francisco biotechnology program has evolved and what graduates of this program offer to local biotechnology employers.
- Dr. Frank Stephenson, Senior Technical Manager, Applied Biosystems, will discuss his views on the future of new technologies and their importance to industry employers.
- Dr. V. Celeste Carter, Director, Foothill College Biotechnology Program will discuss how these hot technologies of the future are addressed in current and future Community College programs.

11:15 AM – General questions and comments from the audience for speakers.

11:45 AM – Breakout Sessions with Q&A and general discussion of key discussion topics.

12:30 PM – Lunch

1:15 PM Group Reports, wrap-up, and closing comments by Paul Hanle, President of The Biotechnology Institute.

2:00 PM – Official end of program

2:30 PM – Start of BayBio Workforce Committee Meeting, Conference Rooms A/B