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Mr. Fink:

I sent you a brief note last week indicating a willingness to serve on the PC, but also indicating that I had not previously served on any such body. I provide a CV here, to demonstrate that I have served on many other committees, from local to international. I do have sufficient time, since I am now retired from my scientific career, to devote to doing a proper and thorough job. As I noted last time, if there is any interest, I can come in just for a visit. Thanks.

Jack Secrist

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Education

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI	Chemistry, B.S., 1968
University of Illinois, Urbana, IL	Organic Chemistry, N. J. Leonard, Ph.D., 1972
Harvard University, Cambridge, MA	Postdoctoral, E. J. Corey, 1972-1973

Professional Positions

NIH Predoctoral Fellow, University of Illinois	1969-1972
NIH Postdoctoral Fellow, Harvard University	1972-1973
Ohio State University, Columbus, OH, Asst Professor of Chemistry	1973-1979
Southern Research Institute, Birmingham, AL	
Senior Chemist	1979-1980
Head, Bio-Organic Section	1980-1984
Associate Research Director	1984-1986
Research Director, Organic Chemistry Department	1986-1990
Vice President, Organic Chemistry Research	1990-1993
Executive Vice President	1990-1997
Chief Operating Officer	1992-1997
Vice President and Scientific Director, Life Sciences	1997-1998
Vice President, Drug Development Division	2000-2003
Vice President, Drug Discovery Division	1998-2007
President and CEO	2006-2013
President and CEO Emeritus	2013- date

Experience

Dr. Sechrist is currently the President and Chief Executive Officer Emeritus of Southern Research Institute. Dr. Sechrist joined the staff of Southern Research Institute in 1979, and he has been involved with drug discovery research since that time. He has focused mainly on the development of new anticancer, antiviral and antibacterial agents, largely through support from the National Institutes of Health. He has served on many NIH study sections, including serving as the chair of one of the AIDS-related panels for several years. He has also served regularly as a chair for Army prostate and breast cancer panels. He is on the Editorial Advisory Boards of several journals, is Executive Editor of *Nucleosides, Nucleotides & Nucleic Acids* and serves as a consultant or member of the Scientific Advisory Board of several companies. During 2003-2004 Dr. Sechrist served as the President of the International Society for Nucleosides, Nucleotides & Nucleic Acids. During 2004-2006 Dr. Sechrist served as the President of the International Society for Antiviral Research and served as the immediate Past-President of the Society during 2006-2008. At SRI, Dr. Sechrist has been involved with the initiation of two startup companies derived from Institute technology. He has published over 160 papers and holds over 60 patents. He holds several appointments at the University of Alabama at Birmingham. He has been an invited lecturer at many universities, companies, and meetings around the world. The anti-cancer drug clofarabine, of which Dr. Sechrist is co-inventor with Dr. John Montgomery, was approved by the FDA at the end of 2004.

Awards

- Nominated for Alumni Awards for Distinguished Teaching several times, Ohio State University.
Finalist for the Colleges of the Arts and Sciences Distinguished Teaching Award, 1976, Ohio State University.
Recipient of the Colleges of the Arts and Sciences Distinguished Teaching Award, 1977, Ohio State University.
Sigma Xi Award, 1972, University of Illinois.
Recipient of the Montgomery Award from the International Society for Nucleosides, Nucleotides & Nucleic Acids, 2006.
AAAS Fellow, elected 2013.

Membership, Professional Society

International Society for Nucleosides, Nucleotides & Nucleic Acids,		
Co-Founder, President-Elect	2000-2002	
President	2003-2004	
Past President	2005-2006	
Board of Directors	2007-2008	
Member, Advisory Committee	2008-2010	
International Society for Antiviral Research,		
Treasurer	1994-2002	
President-Elect	2002-2004	
President	2004-2006	
Past President	2006-2008	
American Association for Cancer Research		
Member, Chemistry in Cancer Research Committee	2000-2008	
Member, AACR Exhibit Committee	2001-2004	
American Chemical Society		
<i>National Committees</i>		
Organic Subcommittee of the ACS Examinations		
Committee, Member	1975-77, 1979-81, 1983-86, 1989-91, 1992-94	
Smissman Award Nominating Committee, Medicinal		
Chemistry Division, ACS, Member	1984	
Awards Committee, Medicinal Chemistry Division,		
ACS, Member	1984-1985	
ACS Nomenclature Committee, Member	1986- date	
ACS Nomenclature Committee, Chairman	1994-1997	
<i>Local Committees</i>		
Columbus, Ohio Section – served on or chaired several committees	1974-1978	
Alabama Section – served on or chaired several committees	1981-1983	
Royal Society of Chemistry		
American Association for the Advancement of Science		

Professional Activities

Executive Editor, <i>Nucleosides, Nucleotides & Nucleic Acids</i> ,		
(formerly <i>Nucleosides & Nucleotides</i>)	1982- date	
NIH Bio-organic and Natural Products Study Section, Ad Hoc Member	1983	
NIH Medicinal Chemistry Study Section, Ad Hoc Member	1986	
NIH Experimental Therapeutics Study Section, AIDS & Related		
Research Group, Ad Hoc Member	1986-1990	
NIH AIDS and Related Research Study Section, Member	1990-1994	
NIH AIDS and Related Research Study Section, Chairman	1990-1992	
NIH Review Panels, Frequent Ad Hoc Member	1992-2006	
U.S. Army Breast Cancer Panel, Member	1996, 1997	
U.S. Army Breast Cancer Panel, Chairman	2000, 2001, 2006, 2008, 2009	
U.S. Army Prostate Cancer Panel, Chairman	1998, 1999, 2001	
U.S. Army Prostate Cancer Panel, Member	2000	
Editorial Advisory Board, <i>Journal of Medicinal Chemistry</i>	1990-1995	
Editorial Advisory Board, <i>Antiviral Research</i>	1992- date	
Editorial Advisory Board, <i>Antiviral Chemistry and Chemotherapy</i>	1995- date	
Editorial Advisory Board, <i>Current Opinions in Oncologic, Endocrine, and Metabolic Drugs</i>	1998-2002	
Editorial Advisory Board, <i>Future Virology</i>	2005- date	
Board of Alabama Coalition for Mathematics	1992-1998	
Member, Scientific Advisory Board, ViraChem, Inc.	1990-1994	
Member, Scientific Advisory Board, Teknagen, Inc.	1995-2000	

Member, Scientific Advisory Board, PNP Therapeutics, Inc.	2001- date
Member, Auburn University Research Advisory Board	2009- date
Consultant, Gensia Pharmaceuticals, Inc.	1992-1996
Consultant, BioCryst Pharmaceutical Co.	1997-2006
Consultant, Ash Stephens, Inc.	2014- date
Member, Board of Directors, Southern Biosystems, Inc.	1992-1997
Member, Board of Directors, Brookwood Pharmaceuticals, Inc.	2005-2007
Adjunct Scientist, University of Alabama at Birmingham Comprehensive Cancer Center	
Adjunct Scientist, University of Alabama at Birmingham Center for AIDS Research	
Adjunct Professor, University of Alabama at Birmingham Department of Chemistry	

U. S. and World Patents

1. Barrio, J. R.; Dammann, L. G.; Leonard, N. J.; **Secrist, J. A. III.** Fluorescent Derivatives of Cytosine-Containing Compounds. *U. S. Patent* 3,893,998 (1975).
2. Barrio, J. R.; Leonard, N. J.; **Secrist, J. A. III.**; Weber, G. Fluorescent Derivatives of Adenine-Containing Compounds. *U. S. Patent* 3,960,840 (1976).
3. **Secrist, J. A. III.** New 5'-Deoxy-5'-Substituted Adenosine Compounds are Inhibitors of *S*-Adenosylmethionine Decarboxylase Useful as Antiviral, Antiparasitic and Anticancer Agents. *U. S. Patent* 4,794,174 (1988).
4. Ealick, S. E.; Erion, M. D.; Guida, W. C.; Montgomery, J. A.; Niwas, S.; **Secrist, J. A. III.** 2-Amino-7-(pyridinylmethyl)-3H,5H-pyrrolo[3,2-d]pyrimidin-4-ones – Derivatives as Purine Nucleoside Phosphorylase and T-cell Inhibitors and for Potentiator of Antiviral or Antitumor Nucleoside(s). *U. S. Patent* 4,985,433 (1991).
5. Ealick, S. E.; Erion, M. D.; Guida, W. C.; Montgomery, J. A.; Niwas, S.; **Secrist, J. A. III.** New 2-Amino-7-cyclohex(en)yl-3H,5H-pyrrolo (3,2-d)-pyrimidine-4-one(s) Used to Suppress T-cell Function Selectively Without Diminishing Humoral Immunity, for Treating Auto-immune Diseases and AIDS. *U. S. Patent* 4,985,434 (1991).
6. Ealick, S. E.; Erion, M. D.; Guida, W. C.; Montgomery, J. A.; Niwas, S.; **Secrist, J. A. III.** New 2-Amino-7-(acyclomethyl)-3H,5H-pyrrolo[3,2-d]pyrimidin-4-one(s) are Purine Phosphorylase Inhibitors Which Selectively Suppress T-cell Function, for Treating Auto-immune Diseases, etc. *U. S. Patent* 5,008,265 (1991).
7. Ealick, S. E.; Erion, M. D.; Guida, W. C.; Montgomery, J. A.; Niwas, S.; **Secrist, J. A. III.** New 2-Amino-7-(heterocyclomethyl)-3H,5H-pyrrolo[3,2-d]pyrimidin-4-one(s) are Purine Nucleoside Phosphorylase Inhibitors Which Selectively Suppress T-cell function, for Treating Auto-immune Diseases. *U. S. Patent* 5,008,270 (1991).
8. Montgomery, J. A.; **Secrist, J. A. III.** New 2-Halo-9-(arabinofuranosyl)adenine Nucleoside Derivatives Having Anticancer Activity Used to Treat For Example Chronic Lymphocyte Leukemia. *World Patent* 9,014,352 (1990). *U. S. Patent* 5,034,518 (1991).
9. Montgomery, J. A.; **Secrist, J. A. III.** New 2'-Deoxy-4'-thio ribonucleoside(s) Useful as Antiviral and Anticancer Agents. *World Patent* 9,104,033 (1991).
10. Ealick, S. E.; Erion, M. D.; Guida, W. C.; Montgomery, J. A.; Niwas, S.; **Secrist, J. A. III.** 7-Substituted-3H,5H-Pyrrolo[3,2-d]pyrimidine-4-one Derivatives are Inhibitors of Purine Nucleoside Phosphorylase and are Used in Anticancer and Antiviral Treatment. *World Patent* 9,106,548 (1991).

11. Krauth, C. A.; Montgomery, J. A.; **Secrist, J. A. III.** New Substituted 1-(Benzylloxy)-adenosine Derivatives – Are Used for Treating Vaccinia Virus Infections. *U. S. Patent* 5,102,873 (1992).
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17. Ealick, S. E.; Erion, M. D.; Montgomery, J. A.; **Secrist, J. A. III.** Deazaguanine Derivatives Preparation – Used for Inhibiting Purine Nucleoside Phosphorylase in Treatment of Auto-Immune Disorders, Transplant Rejection, Psoriasis and Gout. *World Patent* 9,010,631 (1990). *U. S. Patent* 5,565,463 (1996).
18. Montgomery, J. A.; **Secrist, J. A. III.** New 2'-Deoxy-4'-thio Ribonucleoside Compounds – Are Useful as Antiviral and Anticancer Agents. *U. S. Patent* 5,591,722 (1997).
19. Montgomery, J. A.; **Secrist, J. A. III.** New 2'-Fluoro-2-substituted Adenine Arabinoside(s) – Are Anticancer Agents Which Inhibit Ribonucleotide Reductase and DNA Polymerase. *World Patent* 9,220,347 (1992). *U. S. Patent* 5,661,136 (1997).
20. Jacobson, K. A.; Jeong, H. K.; Johnson, C. R.; **Secrist, J. A. III**; Siddiqi, S. M.; Tiwari, K. N. New Substituted Adenine Derivatives – Are A₃ Adenosine Receptor Agonists, Useful for Treating e.g. Inflammatory Disorders, Cardiac Disorders, Neurological Disorders. *U. S. Patent* 5,688,774 (1997).
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2. **Sechrist, J. A. III**; Barrio, J. R.; Leonard, N. J. Fluorescent Modifications of Adenine Containing Coenzymes Representative of Enzyme Studies. *FASEB Meeting*, Atlantic City, 1972. *Fed. Proc.*, 31, 494 (1972).
3. **Sechrist, J. A. III**; Wu, S.-R. Generation of Reactivity of an Unstabilized Carbohydrate Phosphorane. *174th ACS National Meeting*, Chicago, IL, August 28-September 2, 1977. *Abstr. Pap. Am. Chem. Soc.*, 174, 4 (1977).
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