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BIO

Dr. Michael Triplett is Chief Executive Officer of Lattice Biotech, an early stage biopharmaceutical company commercializing novel anti-infective therapeutics based on technology invented at Nationwide Children's Hospital (Columbus, OH). Dr. Triplett is responsible for corporate strategy, operational execution, and generating a positive investment return for Lattice's shareholders.

Prior to Lattice, Dr. Triplett was CEO of Kinnear Pharmaceuticals. Kinnear was founded in 2015 as a successor to N8 Medical, which split into two entities, a medical device company which retained the N8 Medical name and Kinnear Pharmaceuticals. Dr. Triplett oversaw the business transformation as Chief Executive Officer of N8 Medical, Inc. Prior to joining N8 Medical, Inc., as its Chief Operating Officer in 2012, Dr. Triplett served as Director, Business Development, Medical Devices and Diagnostics within Battelle's Health & Life Sciences Global Business where he led drug delivery new business development, technology commercialization, and innovation agendas.

Dr. Triplett began his career at Procter & Gamble as a Product Development Engineer. He was responsible for developing new raw material components for healthcare products distributed globally, R&D partner relationship management, and strategic sourcing support. After completing his graduate work in nanoparticle engineering, Dr. Triplett joined Ventaira Pharmaceuticals, a Battelle Memorial Institute inhalation drug delivery venture, where he led formulation R&D and later was promoted to lead pharmaceutical development.

Dr. Triplett serves on numerous civic committees, with particular focus on Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) and technology commercialization, including: Ohio Project Lead the Way Executive Council, STEM advisor to New Albany – Plain Local Schools, co-chair of BioOhio's Advocacy Committee, member of The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center's Technology Review Board, member of Nationwide Children's Hospital Technology Development Fund Committee and board member of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation Central Ohio Chapter. Previously, Dr. Triplett served on The Ohio State University's NSF sponsored Nanoscale Science and Engineering Center for Affordable Nanoengineering of Polymeric Biomedical Devices industrial advisory board, as an executive mentor in the Fisher College of Business Technology Entrepreneurship and Commercialization program, on TechColumbus' pre-seed investment committee, and as technical reviewer of lab directed R&D at Livermore National Laboratory.

EDUCATION

B.S., Chemical Engineering, The Ohio State University, 1997
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