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Thursday, April 30, 2015

6th Annual Academic & Industry Intersection Conference

Innovative Investment Models

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9:00 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Morehouse School of Medicine
Louis W. Sullivan National Center
for Primary Care Auditorium
720 Westview Drive SW
Atlanta, GA 30310

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and Georgia Tech faculty, staff, and students \$20

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Keynote Speaker **Pablo Legorreta, Royalty Pharma, Founder & CEO**



Royalty Pharma recently bought drug rights on Vertex Pharmaceuticals' cystic fibrosis treatments from the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation in a deal believed to be the largest financial return ever made by any charitable organization working to find cures for medical disease. The proceeds will lead to further CF research.

What is the purpose? The Atlanta Clinical & Translational Science Institute (ACTSI), led by Emory University with partners Morehouse School of Medicine and Georgia Institute of Technology, and Georgia Bio, the state's life sciences industry association, organizes this conference annually to provide critical information on how academia and industry can work together to translate science into discovery and engage communities in clinical research efforts and outcomes. The event provides a collaborative environment for university investigators and industry executives using a program filled with subject-matter experts describing current models and innovative trends shaping the future of translational science.

What will be discussed? The 6th Annual Academic & Industry Intersection Conference will profile successful public-private-partnerships as well as examine how to navigate the commercialization process, followed by an expert panel featuring stories of successful academic/industry partnerships and first-hand stories of commercializing new technologies and startup creation. The conference will close with a fast-paced **Shark Tank** featuring faculty, student, and industry innovators presenting their technologies to investors and successful bioscience entrepreneurs and executives.

Interested in Sponsoring the Conference?

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