

To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing to highly recommend Dr. Alf Bernhardt for any position that requires a seasoned and highly skilled Medical Hematologist and Oncologist with extensive experience in Global Medical Affairs and Development. I have had the pleasure of working closely with Alf Bernhardt during his tenure at Takeda Pharmaceuticals, where he served as the Global Head of Pipeline and Cell Therapy in the Global Medical Affairs Oncology department.

Alf Bernhardt is a board-certified Medical Hematologist and Oncologist with over 15 years of professional experience in the Biotechnology and Pharmaceutical Industry. His expertise spans across research and development, as well as local, regional, and global medical affairs leadership. With 10 years of hands-on experience as a medical doctor and consultant in oncology, hematology, and palliative care, he has consistently demonstrated exceptional clinical acumen and patient care.

In his role at Takeda Pharmaceutical Company Limited, Alf Bernhardt led and managed the global cross-functional oncology pipeline team, driving cross-portfolio asset strategies in early pipeline focusing on immuno-oncology, colorectal cancer, and lung cancer. His strategic decision-making and collaborative approach resulted in the successful revaluation of all pipeline assets from a clinical perspective and the establishment of the Medical Science Liaison (MSL) role in early trial management.

Previously, as the Head of Medical Affairs Europe at Seattle Genetics, he built and managed the Medical Affairs Department, overseeing governance and operations. They were instrumental in hiring and onboarding key personnel, including Medical Directors and MSLs, and played a pivotal role in the successful introduction of Tukyza as the treatment of choice for HER2+ breast cancer patients with CNS metastasis in Europe.

He is known for his keen mindset for agile and lean organizations, strong planning and organizational skills, and ability to develop and maintain strong collaborative relationships with key stakeholders. His customer-focused, outside-in thinking mindset, coupled with his analytical and strategic decision-making abilities, make them an invaluable asset to any organization. Dr. Alf Bernhardt is an active member of prestigious organizations such as DGHO, ASCO, and ASH, which further underscores his commitment to staying at the forefront of medical advancements and best practices.

In conclusion, I wholeheartedly recommend him for any role that requires a highly motivated, strategic, and collaborative medical professional. His extensive experience, leadership skills, and dedication to excellence make them an outstanding candidate for any organization. Please feel free to contact me at msdlima@pulsuspharma.com if you require any further information.

Sincerely,



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