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Lucinda Crabtree to Join MorphoSys as Chief Financial Officer

MorphoSys AG (FSE: MOR; NASDAQ: MOR) announced today that Lucinda Crabtree, Ph.D., will join MorphoSys as Chief Financial Officer and member of the Management Board, succeeding Sung Lee. She will start in the third quarter 2023 at the latest.

“I am pleased to welcome Lucinda to MorphoSys as our new Chief Financial Officer,” said Marc Cluzel, M.D., Ph.D., Chairman of the MorphoSys Supervisory Board. “Lucinda will bring a strong skill set to MorphoSys with her broad biotech experience in corporate roles, as an analyst and investment professional, and the impact she has made in leading finance, strategy and investor relations divisions.”

Jean-Paul Kress, M.D., Chief Executive Officer of MorphoSys, added: “Lucinda has achieved tremendous success in designing and executing financial and business transactions. Her strategic business acumen, entrepreneurial mindset and broad network will be a huge asset to MorphoSys as we drive our best-in-class late-stage oncology pipeline forward.”

“I am excited to join MorphoSys at such a pivotal and important time. The company is close to releasing Phase 3 data and preparing for the potential launch of its lead asset, pelabresib, which has the potential to be a game changer for patients with myelofibrosis,” said Lucinda Crabtree. “MorphoSys has successfully honed its focus on oncology and has a strong cash position to execute on their great opportunities.”

Lucinda Crabtree joins MorphoSys from Autolus Therapeutics, a clinical-stage biopharmaceutical company developing T cell therapies, where she most recently served as Chief Financial Officer. In her previous roles at Autolus she led Finance, Business Strategy and Planning, as well as Investor Relations and Corporate Communications functions. Prior to her time at Autolus, Lucinda worked for several years as a senior investment professional on both the buy and the sell sides, and she served as a board observer for several private healthcare companies. Firms she has worked at include Woodford Investment Management, Panmure Gordon, Goldman Sachs, J.P. Morgan and Jefferies.

Lucinda started her career as a research scientist at a U.K.-based biotech company. She holds a Bachelors of Science degree in Physiology and Pharmacology from University College London and a Ph.D. in Pharmacology from University College London.

About MorphoSys

At MorphoSys, we are driven by our mission: *More life for people with cancer*. As a global commercial-stage biopharmaceutical company, we develop and deliver innovative medicines, aspiring to redefine how cancer is treated. MorphoSys is headquartered in Planegg, Germany, and has its U.S. operations anchored in Boston, Massachusetts. To learn more, visit us at www.morphosys.com and follow us on [Twitter](#) and [LinkedIn](#).

About Pelabresib

Pelabresib (CPI-0610) is an investigational selective small molecule designed to promote anti-tumor activity by inhibiting the function of bromodomain and extra-terminal domain (BET) proteins to decrease the expression of abnormally expressed genes in cancer. Pelabresib is being investigated as a treatment for myelofibrosis and has not yet been evaluated or approved by any regulatory authorities.

About Myelofibrosis

Myelofibrosis is a type of bone marrow cancer that causes extensive scarring in the bone marrow, which disrupts the body's normal production of healthy blood cells. The result is a reduction in red blood cells, which can cause weakness and fatigue, and in platelets, which increases the risk of bleeding due to deficient clotting. Myelofibrosis often causes an enlarged spleen, significantly impacting a patient's quality of life. It is most often diagnosed in people older than 50 and can occur on its own (called primary myelofibrosis) or because of another bone marrow disorder.

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