

## Lead Science and Clinical Research – Career Panel Discussion

### ABSTRACT

The evolving landscape of pharmaceutical sciences and clinical research offers opportunities for professionals aiming to impact the future of healthcare. This panel discussion brings together thought leaders and senior executives from pharmaceutical companies to share insights into career paths, industry trends, and key competencies in biostatistics, clinical data sciences, and biometrics.

Organized by Haoda Fu, Head of Exploratory Biostatistics at Amgen, the session provides attendees with an opportunity to engage with industry veterans who hold leadership roles. Panelists include Jingyuan Yang, from AbbVie; Dacheng Liu from Boehringer Ingelheim; Thomas Liu from Amgen; Xun Chen from AbbVie; and Zhishen Ye at Gilead Sciences.

Through discussion and interactive dialogue, panelists will offer guidance on career advancement, share experiences from their professional journeys, discuss current and future industry challenges, and outline strategies to build expertise in biostatistics and clinical research. This session is aimed at professionals at various career stages seeking advice, mentorship, and networking opportunities in the field of pharmaceutical science and clinical research.

**Organizer:** Haoda Fu, Head of Exploratory Biostatistics, Amgen

#### **Panel:**

- **Dacheng Liu**, Highly Distinguished Therapeutic Area and Methodology Statistician at Boehringer Ingelheim
- **Jingyuan Yang**, Executive Director, Biostatistics at AbbVie
- **Thomas Liu**, Executive Director, Global Biostatistics Therapeutics Area Head, Center for Design & Analysis at Amgen
- **Xun Chen**, VP, Data and Statistical Sciences, AbbVie
- **Lei Wang**, The Lotus Group, LLC, USA