

# Frank Gibson



## Summary

Frank is a highly accomplished pharmaceutical industry executive and consultant with extensive leadership expertise. Frank is an expert in API process optimization and chemistry, sterile drug product development of solutions, suspensions liposomes and ocular formulations.

He has had numerous roles overseeing CMC operations leading multidisciplinary teams. Frank partners with pharmaceutical company leadership to help their companies deliver GMP quality APIs and drug products on time and on budget to accelerate products towards successful clinical and market outcomes.

## Experience

### Principal Pharma Consultant 2019-Present

- Lead API development consultant for 8 companies
- Lead drug product consultant for 4 companies
- Scientific, regulatory and business strategy mentorship of small and medium companies to maximize success
- R+D, process design and scale up of APIs and drug products, oral and injectable
- GMP manufacturing of APIs and drug products
- Managing numerous CDMOs and CROs, domestic and overseas to ensure on time and GMP quality production

### VP Of Chemical Operations, Apinovo Pharma 2021-2022

- Lead all API R+D and manufacturing activities
- Lead internal nitrosamine reduction program

### Director of New Product Development and AR+D, Quva Pharmaceuticals 2018-2019

- Design and manufacture of novel 503B products, and portfolio of 505B2 products
- Lead AR+D labs for critical QC of all products

### Director of Product Development, Sungen Pharma 2014-2017

- Design, develop and scale key oncology liposomal products

### Director of Product Development, Cornerstone Pharma 2007-2013

- Design and develop processes for novel oncology products, and paclitaxel 505B2 product
- Lead AR+D activities
- Managed all CDMO and CRO activities, delivery of GMP quality APIs and drug product

### Senior Research Scientist, Bristol-Myers Squibb 1994-2006

- Design, development, scale up and execution of manufacturing processes for numerous APIs for oral and IV drug products, oncology and CNS indications.

## Philosophy

Support my pharma industry partners achieve their business goals quickly and efficiently by applying my many years of industry experience to save them time and resources during the drug development journey

## Achievements



Numerous peer reviewed publications and patents



Delivered many GMP quality API and drug product batches for clinical and commercial use



Presidents Award, Bristol-Myers Squibb, 1998 for API process Innovation

## Strengths

- Business communication
- Project management
- API and drug product process development
- Strategic planning
- Vendor management
- Cost reduction
- GMP manufacturing
- IP development
- Professional mentoring
- Public speaking

## Education

### Ph.D. Organic Chemistry

1992

Rutgers University

### Post-Doctoral Fellow

1992-1994

University of California, Berkeley