



James P. Gilligan

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Seasoned, executive, scientist, entrepreneur, and business development specialist who has co-founded and helped lead multiple bio-pharma companies, including Tarsa Therapeutics, Unigene Labs, Herborium Inc., and a biotech joint venture based in China. Co-author on several of the manufacturing and formulation patents as well as journal articles on novel therapeutic peptides and their clinical utility.

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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science 1974
Bates College; Biology

Doctor of Philosophy 1974 - 1979
University of Connecticut;
Pharmacology

Research Fellow; 1975 - 1976
Cleveland Clinic Foundation
Atherosclerosis Research Department

Post-Doctoral Fellowship; 1979- 1976
Cleveland Clinic Foundation
Atherosclerosis Research Department

Master of Science in International Business 1998
Cleveland Clinic Foundation
Atherosclerosis Research Department

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Bone and Mineral Research (ASBMR)

International Osteoporosis Foundation (IOF)

Osteoarthritis Research Society International

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2018 - Present **The Bracken Group**
Managing Partner
- Feb 2018 - Jun 2020 **R-Pharm-US**
Consulting, CSO
- 2009 - 2018 **Tarsa Therapeutics**
Chief Scientific Officer & Co- Founder
- 2001 - 2010 **Unigene/Shijiazhuang Biotechnology Company**
Board of Directors/Co-Founder
- 2004 - Present **Herborium, Inc.**
Co-Founder
William Harvey Research Institute (Annexin and Combination Therapy of Glucocorticoids and Oral sCT for Treatment of Rheumatoid Arthritis)
Team Leader
- Yale University, John Hopkins Medical School BioClinica, Inc. Team Leader, Site Directed Bone Growth**
Senior VP, Medical Affairs
- 2002 - 2010 **Unigene GSK Oral PTH Program**
Team Leader
- 1999 - 2011 **Unigene Labs**
Vice President of Product Development
- 1997 - 2001 **Unigene Parke Davis Oral SCT Program**
Program Leader
- 1989 - 1995 **Unigene Parke Laboratories**
Group Leader Protein Biochemistry/Pharmacology
- 1986 - 1988 **Collaborative Research Contract with Ciba-Geigy**
Research Coordinator Protease Inhibitor Programs
- 1986 - 1988 **Unigene Laboratories, Inc., Fairfield, NJ**
Senior Research Scientist
- 1981 - 1986 **Unigene Laboratories, Inc., Fairfield, NJ**

- 1980 –
1985 **Adjunct Associate Professor Farleigh Dickenson University, East Rutherford, NJ**
- 1983 –
1987 **Roche Institute of Molecular Biology, Nutley, NJ
Post-Doctoral Fellow, Department of Physiological Chemistry and Pharmacology**
- 1977 –
1979 **NIH Fellowship**
- 1977 –
1979 **School of Pharmacy, University of Connecticut
Teaching Assistant in Pharmacology, Laboratory, and Lecture**
- 1975 –
1976 **Cleveland Clinical Foundation, Cleveland, Ohio
Special Research Fellow**
- 1974 –
1975 **School of Pharmacy, University of Connecticut
Special Research Fellow**

PUBLICATIONS

- [Author and Co-author numerous peer reviewed publications](#)
- [Inventor and Co-Inventor on over 20 patents with several patents pending](#)