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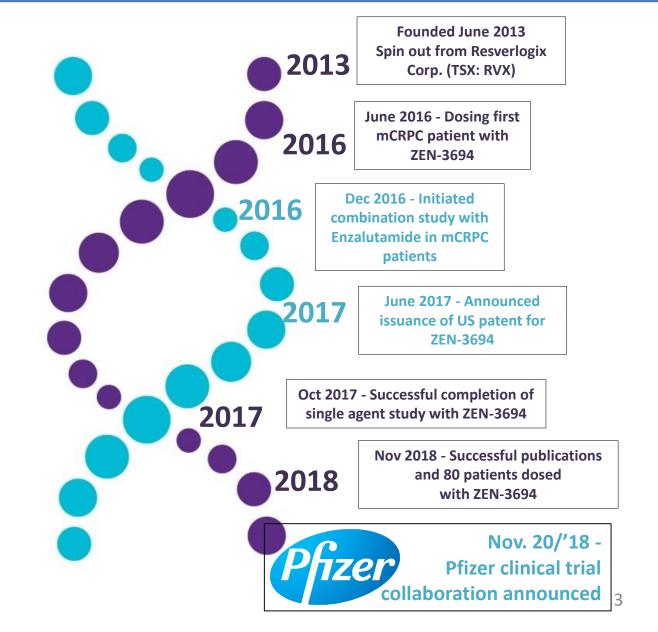
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## **Corporate Profile and Milestones Leading to Pfizer Collaboration**



Cash Raised 2014-2018	~US\$50MM @ US\$1.00 & US\$2.00 per unit based on pre-clinical results
Enterprise	US\$325MM
Value est.	(US\$2.50/Share) est.
Shares	129.6MM
Outstanding	142.0MM fully diluted
Cash Burn Current	US\$2MM per quarter



## **Advancing Development Pipeline**

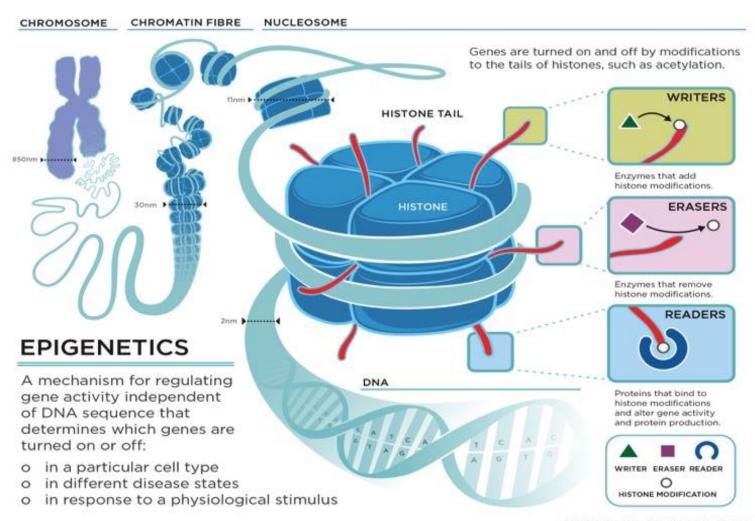


• Significant development progress with our lead product, **ZEN-3694**, a bromodomain and extra terminal domain inhibitor (**BETi**), **currently in clinical development** for combination treatment of solid tumors, including **prostate** and **breast cancer** 

Indication	2019	2020
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Pfizer Collaboration: Triple Negative Breast Cancer (TNBC)	Phase 1b/2: Combination with Page 15/2:	ARPi in TNBC (N~50)

## **Epigenetics - The Mechanism Behind Our Approach**





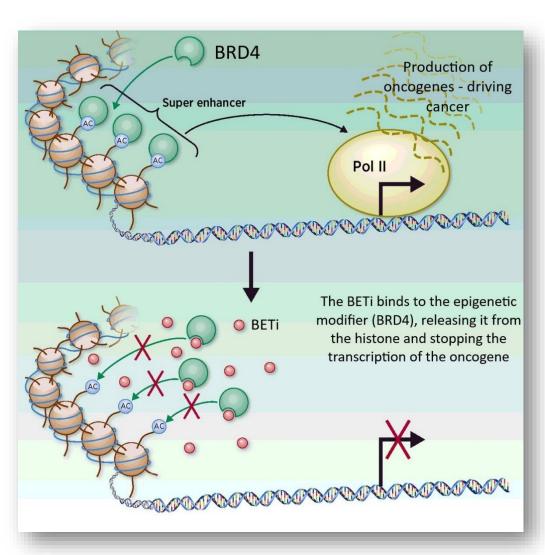
- The epigenetic code refers to modifications to chromatin components that regulate its activity
- Turning genes on or off is regulated by these modifications
- BET (Bromodomain and Extraterminal Domain) proteins recognize these modifications and turn genes on/off

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## **BET Inhibitors Target Resistance Mechanisms**

#### **Sensitizing the Tumor to Existing Therapy**





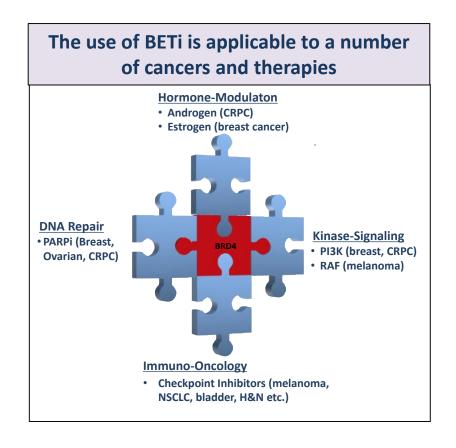
- Many of the escape resistance mechanisms to standard of care treatments involve BRD4
- BETi blocks BRD4 binding, resulting in inhibition of tumor oncogenes by disruption of super-enhancers
- Resistance to several standard of care treatments does not impede sensitivity to BETi, allowing for valuable combination therapy

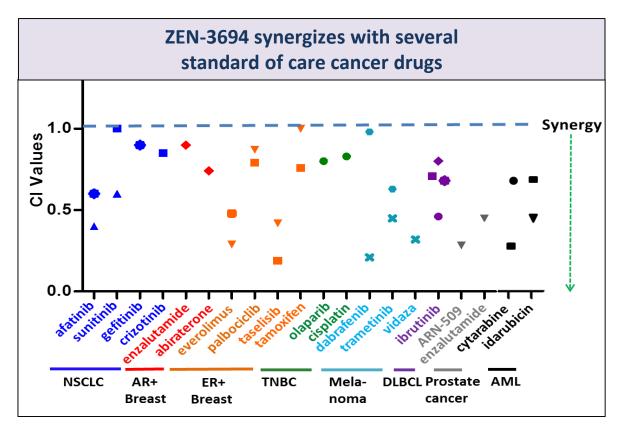
Adopted from Clinical Cancer Research 2017, 23(7), 1647-55.

### **Combination Therapy: The Potential of BET Inhibition and ZEN-3694**



 BET inhibitors have the ability to work synergistically with other therapies overcoming resistance and enhancing the response to the combination, resulting in broader and extended use of existing therapies





## Zenith's BETi program is Clinically Differentiated



#### **Other Clinical BETi**



- Conservative, suboptimal clinical strategy
- Poor PK/PD characterization
- Off target tox, CYP liabilities
- Thrombocytopenia DLT, require 1-2 weeks off

#### Zenith's BETi (ZEN-3694)

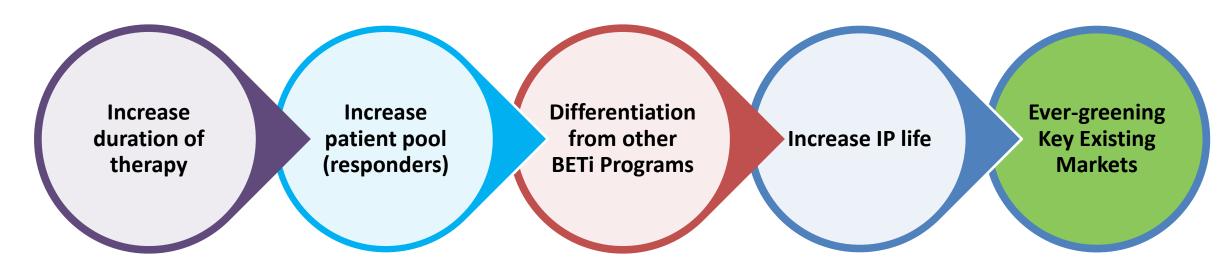
- Focused clinical strategy, leader in combination approach
- Good clinical exposure with target modulation, no CYP liabilities
- Safety profile allows continuous dosing, no thrombocytopenia
- On target tox profile

## Our Synergistic Approach – Making Great Drugs Work Better & Longer



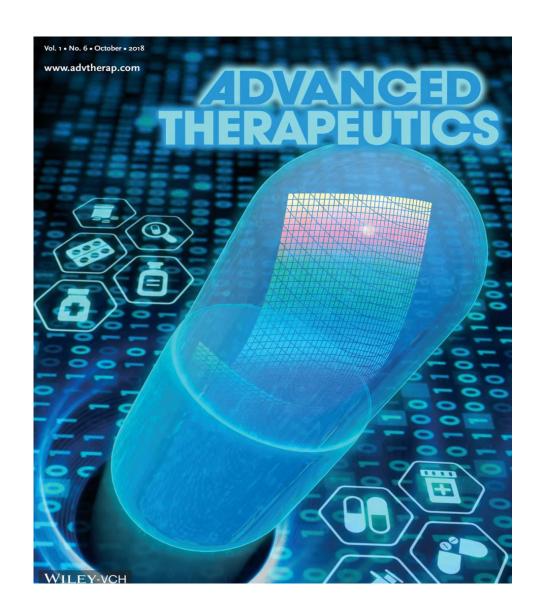
• Combination Therapy with ZEN-3694 represents a multi-\$Bln addressable market

Current markets include: AR antagonists, PD-1/Pd-L1Mabs, CDK 4/6 inh., PARP inhibitors



## **Recent Zenith Publication Covers**







## Validation of Artificial Intelligence Program with Zenith's Clinical Data



#### **FULL PAPER**

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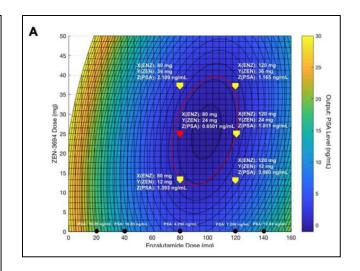
Modulating BET Bromodomain Inhibitor ZEN-3694 and Enzalutamide Combination Dosing in a Metastatic Prostate Cancer Patient Using CURATE.AI, an Artificial Intelligence Platform

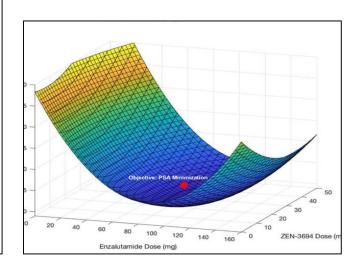
Allan J. Pantuck,\* Dong-Keun Lee, Theodore Kee, Peter Wang, Sanjay Lakhotia, Michael H. Silverman, Colleen Mathis, Alexandra Drakaki, Arie S. Belldegrun, Chih-Ming Ho,\* and Dean Ho\*

Combination chemotherapy is a cornerstone of cancer treatment. Optimizing its effectiveness requires dose- and time-dependent regulation of drug synergy. In this report, CURATE.AI, an artificial intelligence platform, is used to prospectively guide the dosing of a bromodomain inhibitor (ZEN-3694) and enzalutamide administered in combination to a patient with metastatic castration-resistant prostate cancer to reduce serum prostate-specific antigen (PSA) levels. CURATE.AI successfully identifies substantial ZEN-3694 and enzalutamide dose adjustments, increasing both treatment efficacy and tolerance. CURATE.AI analysis also confirms that the patient's durable response is mediated by ZEN-3694 inclusion in the regimen. Due to CURATE.AI-enhanced efficacy and safety, the patient was able to continue with the combination regimen, resulting in a durable response and no disease progression based on CURATE.AI-sustained control over PSA levels and reduced lesion size.

#### 1. Introduction

Conventional chemotherapy simultaneously addresses multiple aberrant disease pathways to potentially improve treatment outcomes. Drug doses are typically determined using dose escalation to reach a maximum tolerated dose (MTD) or via dose expansion to identify suitable regimen administration guidelines.[1,2] These combinations are subsequently administered at fixed doses. While the administration of combination therapy using these approaches has served as a clinical standard for clinical care, the patient's response to therapy evolves during the course of treatment due to the time-dependent, dosedependent, and patient-specific nature of drug synergy and resulting efficacy and

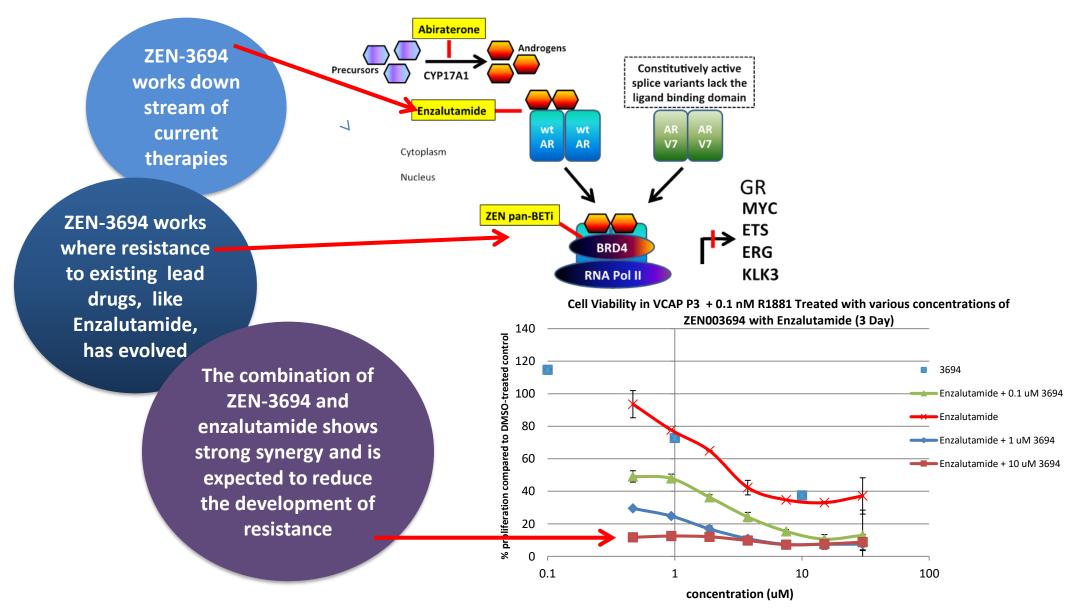




## **Prostate Cancer Program Review**

#### **ZEN-3694** Potential in Patients Developing mCRPC Resistance to Enzalutamide





## **Prostate Cancer Program Review**

## **Principal Investigators**



Name	Institution	Comments
Eric Small, MD Chief, Dept. of Medicine Rahul Aggarwal, MD Developmental Therapeutics Specialist, Genitourinary Oncologist	University of California, San Francisco (UCSF)	Developed abiraterone - #2 CRPC drug, owned by J&J.
Howard Scher, MD  Chief, Genitourinary Oncology  Wassim Abida, MD, PhD  Medical Oncologist	Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center (MSKCC)	Developed enzalutamide - #1 CRPC drug, now owned by Pfizer. Developing ARN-509 for J&J
Joshi Alumkal, MD Associate Professor	Oregon Health Sciences University (OHSU)	Expert in epigenetics in prostate cancer research
Allan Pantuck, MD Professor, Dept. of Urology	University of California Los Angeles (UCLA)	Involved in enzalutamide and provenge development
Elizabeth Heath, MD Professor, Dept. Hematology/Oncology	Karmanos (Wayne State)	Genitourinary oncology specialist
Michael Schweizer, MD  Oncologist	University of Washington Fred Hutchinson Cancer Center	Experience with AR antagonists
<b>David M. Nanus, MD</b> Chief, Division of Hematology and Medical Oncology	Weill Cornell Medicine	Genitourinary oncology specialist

## **Prostate Cancer Program Review**

#### Phase 2 Ongoing; Phase 1b Completed



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#### **Study Summary**

- Dose escalation completed, expansion cohorts enrolling
- Robust target modulation at well tolerated doses, prolonged dosing without dose interruption/reduction is tolerated
- Clinical activity in patients progressing on abiraterone/enzalutamide
- Significant response in primary abiraterone progressors (rPFS and PSA)
- 100 patients dosed to date, fully accrued

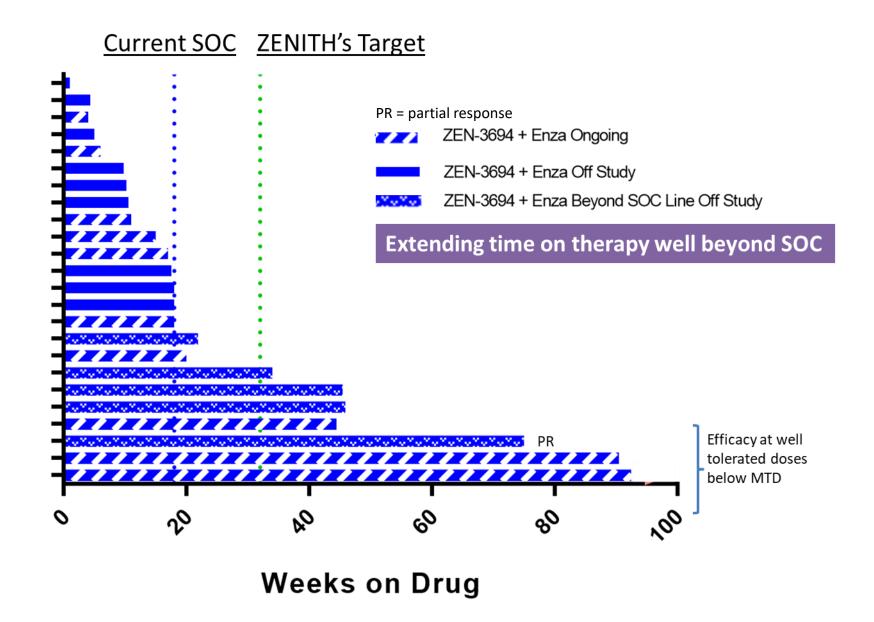
#### Clinical data to be presented at American Association for Cancer Research 2019

 Zenith will be the first to release clinical combination data with a BETi at a major scientific meeting

## **Prostate Cancer Program Review: Combination Study Update**

**Abiraterone Progressors** 

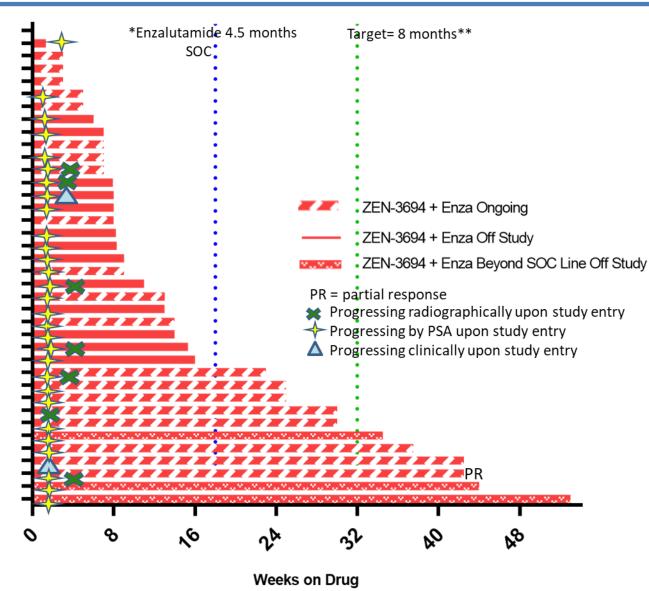




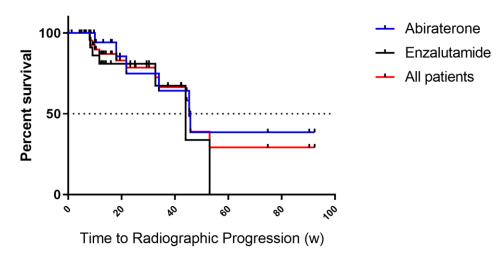
## **Prostate Cancer Program Review: Promising Data**

#### **Duration on ZEN-3694 + Enzalutamide by Patients that Progressed on Enzalutamide**





#### **Radiographic Progression**



Median time to radiographic progression = 10.2 mo., similar for prior abiraterone or enzalutamide therapy

Expected time to radiographic progression (3-6 mo.) Attard et al. 2017

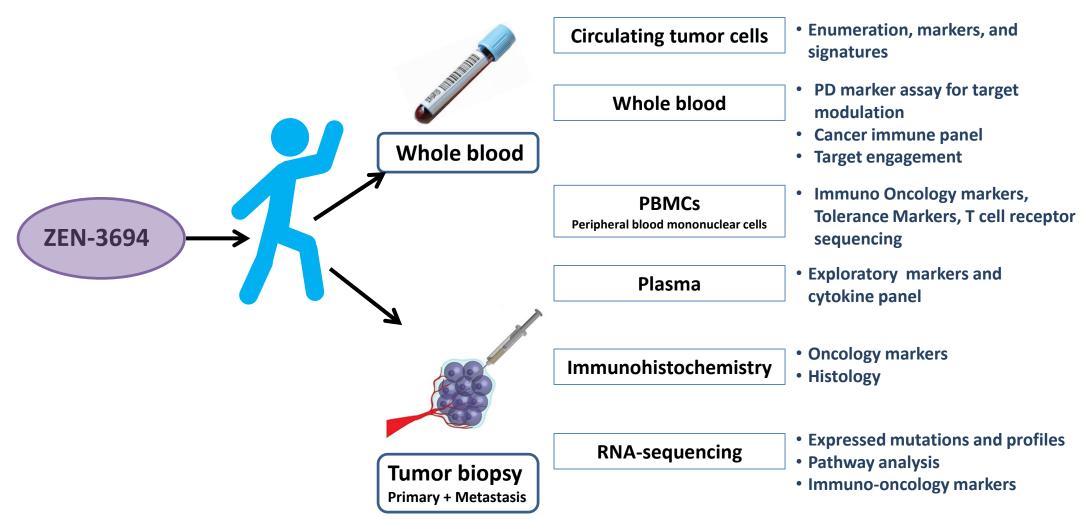
<sup>\*\*</sup> Target for ZEN-3694 +enzalutamide, 32 weeks

## **Prostate Cancer Program: Extensive Translational Medicine Plan**

**Understand Responders/Non-Responders to Design Future Trials** 



Translational program designed for molecular profiling ARi resistant patients and effect of ZEN-3694 on resistant markers, potential correlation of response to molecular signature



## **Pfizer / Zenith Clinical Trial Collaboration**





Zenith Epigenetics Announces Clinical Trial Collaboration with Pfizer November 20, 2018

Collaboration to evaluate ZEN-3694 in combination with Talazoparib in TNBC patients; Phase 1b/2 trial expected to initiate 1Q 2019

CALGARY, Alberta, Nov. 20, 2018 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Zenith Epigenetics Ltd. ("Zenith" or the "Company"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Zenith Capital Corp., announced today that it has entered into a clinical trial collaboration with Pfizer Inc. ("Pfizer"; NYSE: PFE) to evaluate the safety and efficacy of a novel anti-cancer combination of Zenith's investigational bromodomain and extra-terminal domain inhibitor ("BETi"), ZEN-3694, and Pfizer's poly ADP ribose polymerase inhibitor ("PARPi"), talazoparib, in patients with locally advanced or metastatic triple negative breast cancer ("TNBC").

"Zenith is excited to announce this partnership with Pfizer, a leader in oncology," said Don McCaffrey, Chief Executive Officer of

t have inherited BRCA gene mutations may with an initial focus on triple negative breast

Zenith Epigenetics Announces U.S. FDA Clearance of Investigational New Drug Application for ZEN-3694 in TNBC Program

March 18, 2019

Pfizer / Zenith TNBC program collaboration on target to dose first patient in April 2019

ation to test in patients that are proficient in DNA repair genes and can thus potentially

Under the terms of the agreement, Zenith Epigenetics and Pfizer will collaborate on a Phase 1b/2 TNBC clinical study. Pfizer will provide talazoparib, Zenith will provide ZEN-3694, and both parties will fund the study. Zenith Epigenetics retains all rights to ZEN-3694.

## **Pfizer / Zenith Clinical Trial Collaboration Summary**



Indication	2019	2020
Pfizer Collaboration: Triple Negative Breast Cancer (TNBC)	Phase 1b/2: Combination with P	PARPi in TNBC (N~50)

Objective	Show safety and activity of the combination in TNBC patients
Study design	<ul> <li>Phase 1b dose escalation</li> <li>Phase 2 Simon two step , open label non randomized</li> </ul>
Patient Population	<ul> <li>TNBC: non germline BRCA1/2m, advanced metastatic, &lt; 3 prior chemo therapy regimen, ER&lt;10%, PR&lt;10% and HER2-negative by IHC and/or FISH</li> </ul>
Number of patients (N)	<ul> <li>N~ 9-12 for Dose escalation</li> <li>Simon 2-stage design</li> <li>H<sub>o</sub> TNBC = 20% ORR, Target ORR = 40%, N= 17 1<sup>st</sup> stage, N= 17 for 1<sup>st</sup> stage, progress to second stage if number of responders ≥ 4, N=20 for second stage, 10% alpha, 90% power</li> </ul>
Dose	ZEN-3694 starting dose: 72mg once daily
Duration	• 6 months for dose escalation; 12 months for expansion cohorts (assuming 10 clinical sites)
Endpoints	<ul> <li>Phase 1b: Safety, PK/PD, MTD, RP2D</li> <li>Phase 2 TNBC: ORR, DOR, PFS</li> <li>Exploratory: Explore biomarkers of activity and resistance</li> </ul>

## **Pfizer / Zenith Clinical Trial Collaboration**

#### Strong Rational for BETi/PARPi Combination Therapy



SCIENCE TRANSLATIONAL MEDICINE | RESEARCH ARTICLE

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Repression of BET activity sensitizes homologous recombination-proficient cancers to PARP inhibition

**Article** 

## **Cancer Cell**

BRD4 Inhibition Is Synthetic Lethal with PARP Inhibitors through the Induction of Homologous Recombination Deficiency

**Cell Reports** 

Report

BET Bromodomain Inhibition Synergizes with PARP Inhibitor in Epithelial Ovarian Cancer

## **Pfizer / Zenith Clinical Trial Collaboration**

## **Prominent Clinical Sites and Investigators**



Institution	Investigator	Background
MSKCC	Mark Robson – Study Lead PI Ayca Gucalp - PI	Led OlympiAD trial
MD Anderson	Jennifer Litton	Led EMBRACA trial
Banner Health	Lida Mina	Investigator on Phase 1, 2 and 3 Talazoparib trials
University of Kansas	Priyanka Sharma	TNBC specialist
University of Penn	Payal Shah - PI (Susan Domchek)	Talazoparib investigator, breast cancer specialist
Sarah Cannon	Erika Hamilton	Breast cancer specialist
Jules Bordet, Belgium	Philippe Aftimos	Led Merck and BI BETi trials
UZ Leuven, Belgium	Kevin Punie	Breast cancer specialist
VHIO, Spain	Mafalda Oliveira	Investigator on Gilead and GSK ER+ BETi trials
StartMadrid, Spain	Valentina Boni	Breast cancer specialist

## **Opportunity in Immuno Oncology:**

**Strong Rationale for Checkpoint Combinations** 



## Cell Reports

BET-Bromodomain Inhibitors Engage the Host Immune System and Regulate Expression of the Immune Checkpoint Ligand PD-L1

# BET bromodomain inhibition enhances T cell persistence and function in adoptive immunotherapy models

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BET bromodomain inhibition cooperates with PD-1 blockade to facilitate antitumor response in Kras-mutant non-small cell lung cancer. Adeegbe DO, et al. Cancer Immunol Res. 2018

## **Summary**





## Zenith is focused on ZEN-3694 combinations with SOC extending and expanding the value of existing therapeutics

- ZEN-3694 can be administered safely at doses that modulate BET targets
- Prostate/XTANDI combination: Promising clinical activity of ZEN-3694 +
   Enzalutamide in ARi resistant mCRPC patients
- **Pfizer and Zenith collaboration (TNBC/PARPi):** Ph. 1b/2 of ZEN-3694 + PARPi in TNBC (non germline-BRCA1/2m) initiated
- PD-1/PD-L1 combination with ZEN-3694 has compelling pre-clinical and clinical rationale
- **ER+ Breast Cancer:** Preclinical rationale to address resistance to CDK4/6 inhibitors; significant market



Leading epigenetic company translating bromodomain biology into impactful therapies