

# **BriaCell Therapeutics Corp.**



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✓ **Leading Technology**: Novel cancer immunotherapy

 Right Timing: Initiating a Ph I/IIa clinical trial to validate the impressive safety and efficacy data of the two preliminary Ph I clinical trials

Unique Approach: Companion diagnostic co-development

- ✓ **Significant Market Potential**: A multi-billion dollar target market.
- Solid Management: Experts in immunotherapy, drug discovery, drug development, diagnostics, & corporate governance
- Poised to Unlock Value: Significantly undervalued. Several short- and long-term milestones. Potential partnerships.

# **Management and Board**



#### Management

#### William V. Williams, MD, President & CEO

- VP, Exploratory Development, Incyte Corporation
- VP, Experimental Medicine, GlaxoSmithKline
- Head, Rheumatology Research, University of Pennsylvania
- Facilitated entry of over 20 compounds into the clinic including ruxolitinib (Jakafi), baricitinib, & epacadostat. NDAs including Jakafi, Boniva, Bexxar
- Author of over 120 peer-reviewed publications & over 20 patents

#### Gadi Levin, CA, MBA, CFO

- CFO of Labstyle Innovations Ltd
- VP of Finance for two Israeli investment houses in the fields of private equity, hedge funds and real estate
- Financial Consultant, various firms
- Accountant, Arthur Andersen

#### Markus Lacher, PhD, Senior Director, R&D

- Founder, T cell Therapeutics, Inc., an immune-oncology company
- Sr. Clinical Scientist, Cesca Therapeutics, Inc., a clinical-stage autologous cell therapy company where he played a lead role in the bone marrow transplantation program
- Former scientist at Scientist at BioTime, Inc. and OncoCyte Corporation.
- Editorial advisory board; Recent Patents on Anti-Cancer Drug Discovery.

#### Farrah Dean, MSc, MBA, Manager, Corp. Development

- Investor relations, CytRx Corporation, & CCG Investor Relations
- Senior Associate Equity Analyst, Oppenheimer & Co., Rodman & Renshaw, & ThinkEquity LLC

#### Board

#### Saeid Babaei, PhD, MBA, Chairman

- Entrepreneur. 20 yrs of biotech leadership roles
- CEO, AbCelex: Develop. 1<sup>st</sup> in class Ab-based product for Animal Health and Human Diagnostics, funded by a top-tier agri-tech VC
- VP, Bus. Develop @ Lorus Therapeutics: out-licensing a Ph III immuno-oncology program
- Dir. of Corp. Development, Northern Therapeutics: Led strategic partnership to United Therapeutics (NASDAQ: UTHR)

### Rahoul Sharan, CA, Director

- Chairman, Potash Ridge. 30 yrs of finance & accounting experience
- Director of the Board, Ansell Capital Corp, Parallel Resources,
- & Galaxy Capital Corporation
- Partner, S&P Group Led financings in excess of \$100M
- Public Accountant, Coopers & Lybrand

#### Martin Schmieg, CPA, Director

- 35 yrs of biotech, med-tech, and pharma experience
- CFO: Sirna Therapeutics, Inc., & Isolagen, Inc.
- CEO, Freedom-2, Inc. (now PharmaCyte, Inc.)
- Advisor, Caladrius Biosciences, Inc., Beckman Coulter Genomics, Calimmune, Inc., Cryoport, Inc., Vetbiologics, a division of U.S. Stem Cell, Inc., Sapientia Pharmaceuticals, Inc., & Rokk3r Labs, LLC

#### Charles Wiseman, MD, Co-Founder & Director

- Oncologist 45 years experience, pioneered chemotherapies
- Director, Immunotherapy Lab, St. Vincent Medical Center
- Chief, Breast Cancer Basic Research Lab, Univ. of Texas MD Anderson Hospital & Tumour Institute; Assist. Prof., Dept of Molecular Carcinogenesis & Virology, MD Anderson; Acting Chief, Div. of Oncology, White Memorial Medical Center, Los Angeles

# Introduction



### Clinical-Stage, Public, Immunotherapy Company:

- BriaVax<sup>™</sup>: whole-cell cancer vaccine. Phase I/IIa
- BriaDx<sup>™</sup> : companion Dx for BriaVax<sup>™</sup>

### Team:

• Experts in immunotherapy, oncology product development, management of clinical trials, companion diagnostic product development, and corporate finance

### **R&D**:

- Research Lab in Berkeley, CA
- Manufacturing at UC Davis GMP facility (Sacramento, CA)
- Leveraging programs by outsourcing of special procedures/projects

### Plans:

- Near-term strategic partnerships and collaborations
- Combination therapies (e.g., BriaVax<sup>™</sup> + Immune Checkpoint Inhibitors)



### Significantly lower enterprise value vs peers

Company	Therapeutic Area	Trial Stage (Breast Cancer)	Development stage	EV (In Mil \$US)	BriaCell Discount
Taplmmune Inc. (OTCQB: TPIV)	Immuno-oncology (breast cancer)	Ph I/II	Ph I/II	25.4	47%
Del Mar Pharmaceuticals Inc. (DMPI)	Immuno-oncology		Ph II	30.7	56%
Regen BioPharma Inc. (RGBP)	Immuno-oncology (breast cancer)	Ph I	Ph I/II	11.9	-13%
VBI Vaccines Inc (VBIV)	Vaccines & immuno-oncology		Ph I	118.2	89%
Immunovaccine Inc (IMV.TO)	Vaccine (Cancer/Infectious Diseases)		Ph II	54.7	75%
Cascadian Therapeutics, Inc. (CASC)	Immuno-oncology (breast cancer)	Ph II	Ph II	43.4	69%
Immune Design Corp. (IMDZ)	Vaccines (breast cancer)	Ph I	Ph II	29.8	55%
Loxo Oncology, Inc. (LOXO)	Immuno-oncology (breast cancer)	Ph II	Ph II	553.1	98%
Celldex Therapeutics, Inc. (CLDX)	Immuno-oncology (breast cancer)	Ph II	Ph II	177.5	92%
Ziopharm Oncology, Inc. (ZIOP)	Immuno-oncology (breast cancer)	Ph II	Ph II	660.9	98%
Xencor, Inc. (XNCR)	Vaccines & immuno-oncology		Ph II	951.7	99%
Inovio (INO)	Vaccines (breast cancer)	Ph I	Ph II	423.2	97%
Average				256.7	95%
BriaCell (TSX: BCT.V; OTCQB: BCTXF)	Immuno-oncology (Breast Cancer)		Ph I/IIa	13.5	

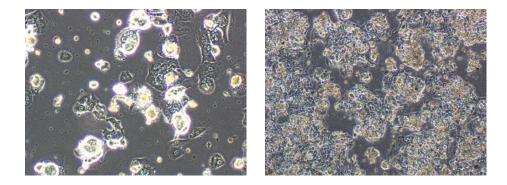


Ticker:	TSX: BCT.V			
Other Listing:	OTCQB:BCTXF			
Shares Outstanding (in millions)	99.99			
Market Cap (in Million CAD\$):	20.00			
Cash (in Million CAD\$) as of Oct 31, 2016	2.21			
Number of stock options issued (in millions)	5.65			
Warrants (in millions)	~20 (exercise price between \$.25 and \$.35)			

# **Cancer Immunotherapy**



BriaVax<sup>™</sup> (SV-BR-1-GM)



- Breast cancer cell line
- Allogeneic whole-cell vaccine secreting GM-CSF ("GVAX").
- Scalable production grows as cancer cell line in RPMI 1640 + 10% FBS + GlutaMAX<sup>™</sup>.
- Irradiation prior to injection to prevent replication.
- Used in combination with cyclophosphamide, and post-treatment interferon-α.
- Expected Result: Boosting the patient's overall immune response to the tumor cells.

# **Target Population**

- 2<sup>nd</sup> line use for <u>late stage</u> breast cancer.
- Potential use for <u>early stage</u> cancers sharing antigen(s) of vaccine cells.
- Potential use for non-breast cancers sharing antigen(s) of vaccine cells.
- Maintenance therapy for duration of disease



### First Phase I:

- Used unmodified cell line + GM-CSF + cyclophosphamide
- N = 14 late stage, treatment-refractory breast cancer patients
- No significant adverse events, well tolerated
- Median Overall Survival = 12.1 months

### Second Phase I:

- Used GM-CSF-engineered cell line + cyclophosphamide + interferon-α
- N = 4 late stage, treatment-refractory (3 breast cancer, and 1 ovarian cancer) patients
- No significant adverse events, well tolerated
- Median Overall Survival = 35 months
- One robust responder with >90% regression during treatment, subsequent relapse (upon halting treatment) responded to re-treatment

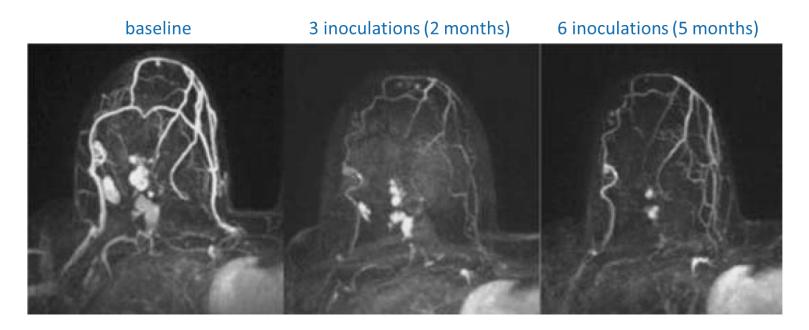
# **Clinical Data to-date**



### Second Phase I (using BriaVax<sup>™</sup>)

### 1 out of 4 Subjects responded with substantial tumor regression

### Initial BriaVax<sup>™</sup> Series:



Source: Wiseman and Kharazi, Breast J. 2006 Sep-Oct;12(5):475-80

# **Clinical Data to-date**

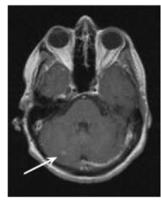


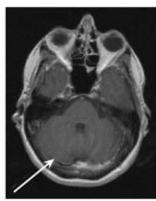
### BriaVax<sup>™</sup> series after relapse:

Lesion 1

### baseline

#### 3 re-inoculations





### baseline

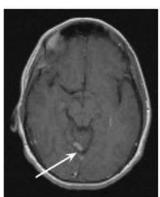


### 3 re-inoculations

Lesion 2



baseline



### 3 re-inoculations

Lesion 3



Source: Wiseman and Kharazi, Breast J. 2006 Sep-Oct;12(5):475-80

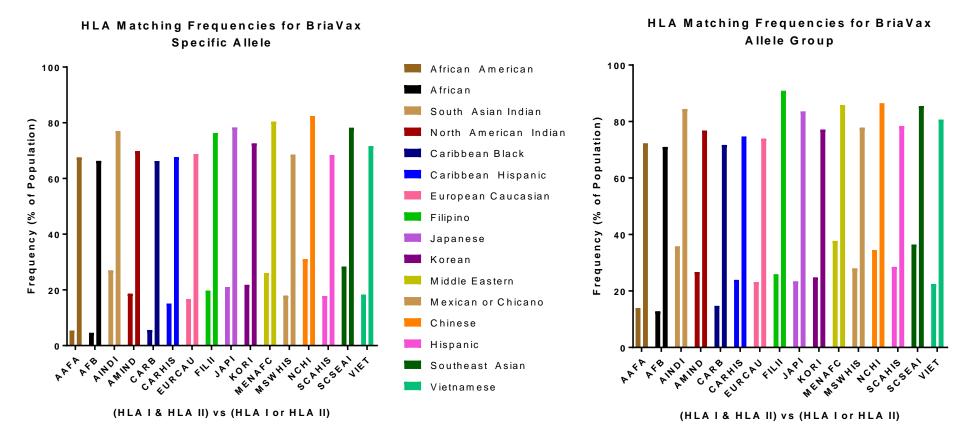


Subject ID	Tumor Type	Survival (months)	Tumor regression	HLA-A		HLA-B		HLA-DRB3	
A001	Breast	40.7	No	02:01	24:02	13:02	41:01	03:01	-
A002	Breast	33.7	Yes	02:01	11:01	18:03	44:02	02:02	-
A003	Ovarian	35.6	No	02:01	03:01	07:02	13:02	Negative	-
B001	Breast	7.0	No	11:01	-	35:01	40:01	Negative	-
BriaVax	Breast	N/A	N/A	11:01	24:02	35:08	55:01	01:01	02:02

BriaVax<sup>™</sup> and Subject A002 with tumor regressions even at metastatic sites (reported in Wiseman and Kharazi, 2006) share both MHC class I (HLA-A) and class II (HLA-DRB3) alleles.

## **Allele Frequencies for Various Ethnic Groups**





- ~ 20% of individuals will match with BriaVax<sup>™</sup> at two HLA alleles
- ~60% of individuals will match with BriaVax<sup>™</sup> at one HLA allele



# BriaVax<sup>™</sup> (SV-BR-1-GM) is a breast cancer cell line with features of immune cells

- Expresses immune-stimulatory factors including HLA class I and II components
- Overexpresses multiple tumor-associated antigens (measured at RNA level) including HER2 and PRAME (cancer/testis antigen)

# Best clinical response: HLA class I and II matches between patient and BriaVax™

■ HLA analysis of BriaVax<sup>™</sup> and peripheral blood lymphocytes from the 4 patients showed that the special responder had HLA class I (HLA-A\*11:01) and class II (HLA-DRB3\*02:02) alleles also found in BriaVax<sup>™</sup>. This double-match may explain BriaVax<sup>™</sup> 's potent anti-tumor effect in that subject.



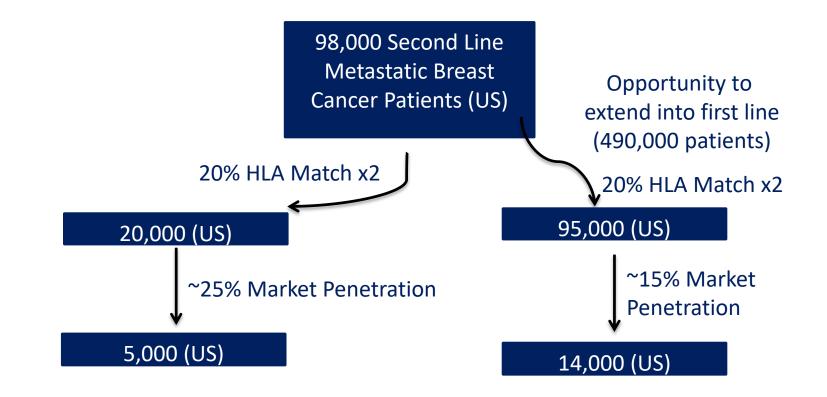
- Proposed indication for the treatment of patients with metastatic breast cancer (MBC) who have failed at least one line of therapy
- Initial approach to approval and marketing will be second line therapy in MBC
- High unmet need with potential for accelerated approval
- May be necessary to match patients at 1 or 2 HLA alleles
- Conservative assumption is use will be limited to patients who match at 2 HLA alleles
- Considerable upside (~3x higher patient population) if response rate in single HLA matched patients is similar



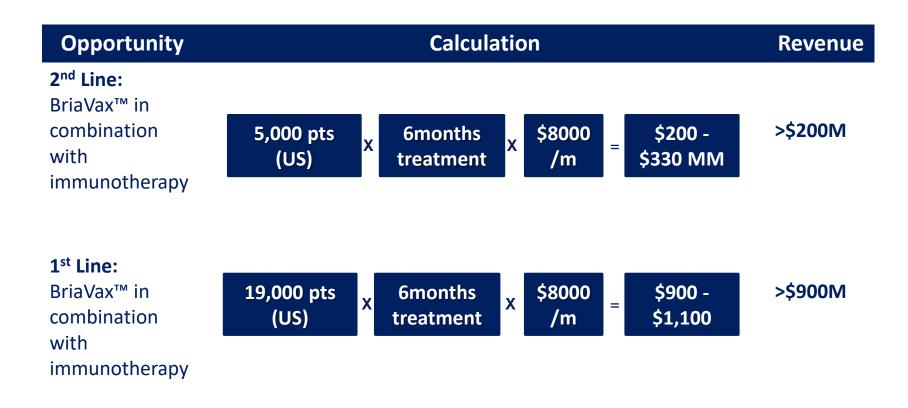
- Approximately 80% of breast cancer cases present with invasive disease
- 2.8 million (total cases) x 80% = ~2,200,000 cases of invasive breast cancer in the USA
- 2.2 million (invasive) x 22% (metastatic) = ~490,000 patients with metastatic breast cancer
- 490,000 x 20% (progress to second line) = ~98,000 patients available

*Reference: Howlader, et al, J Natl Cancer Inst. 2014 Apr 28;106(5)* 











### Indication:

- Indication 1: Treatment of patients with metastatic breast cancer matched at 2 HLA alleles after one prior therapy as monotherapy or in combination with immunotherapy
  INITIAL SECOND LINE INDICATION

### **Opportunity:**

- Opportunity for combination with immunotherapy resides in favorable mechanism of action
- Larger opportunity exists with combination with immunotherapy in 1st line
- Expansion into ex-USA markets would expand the market opportunity ~2x

### Value Proposition:

- Opportunity 1: Improved efficacy vs. current second line therapy with limited additional safety concern
- Opportunity 2: Need significant improvement in efficacy vs. current first line therapy, but very limited additional toxicity



### **Rationale:**

- Favorable initial clinical data and mechanism of action that should be synergistic with current immunotherapies
- Clear unmet need in second line (high relapse rate) and opportunity to move into first line

### **Potential Issues:**

- Current manufacturing scheme difficult to scale-up (requires cells get from production facility to patient the same day)
- Plans in place to simplify and use frozen cells for future clinical studies
- High number of therapies with other MOAs in development for this indication
- Could limit uptake as other therapies are being rolled out, even if they could be used in combination

# **Potential for Use in Other Tumors: PRAME Expression**



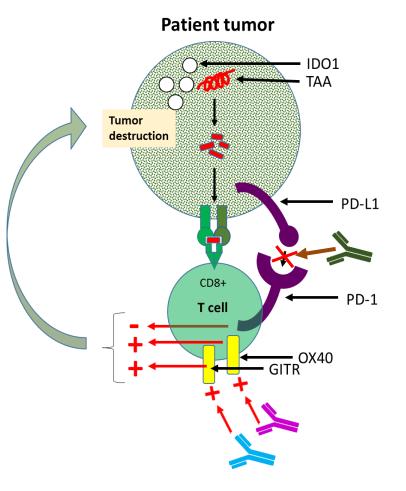
### **PRAME (cancer antigen) is expressed by BriaVax™ and in several human cancers**

- 88% of primary melanomas and 95% of metastases express PRAME
  - (Ikeda et al., 1997).
- Also expressed in other human malignancies, including:
  - Acute and chronic leukemias,
  - Medulloblastoma
  - Non-small cell lung carcinoma,
  - Head and neck cancer
  - Renal carcinoma
  - Multiple myeloma
  - Sarcomas
    - (Boon et al., 2003; Ikeda et al., 1997; Oberthuer et al., 2004; van Baren et al., 1998; van't Veer et al., 2002).
- High PRAME expression is an independent prognostic marker of poor clinical outcome in breast cancer and neuroblastoma
  - (Oberthuer et al., 2004; van't Veer et al., 2002).
- High PRAME expression inversely correlates with recurrence-free survival (no metastases) and overall survival in breast cancer
  - (van't Veer et al., 2002).
  - From Epping et al, Cell, Vol. 122, 835–847, 2005

## **Combination BriaVax<sup>™</sup> with other Immunotherapies**



- BriaVax<sup>™</sup> should synergize well with other immunotherapies
- This includes check point inhibitors such as antibodies to PD-1, CTLA4 and IDO inhibitors which eliminate immunosuppression
- Immunostimulatory antibodies to molecules such as GITR and OX40 should enhance responses to BriaVax<sup>™</sup>



Source : BriaCell Therapeutics Corp.



# The initial Phase I/IIa study is designed to recruit 24 subjects using monotherapy with BriaVax<sup>™</sup>

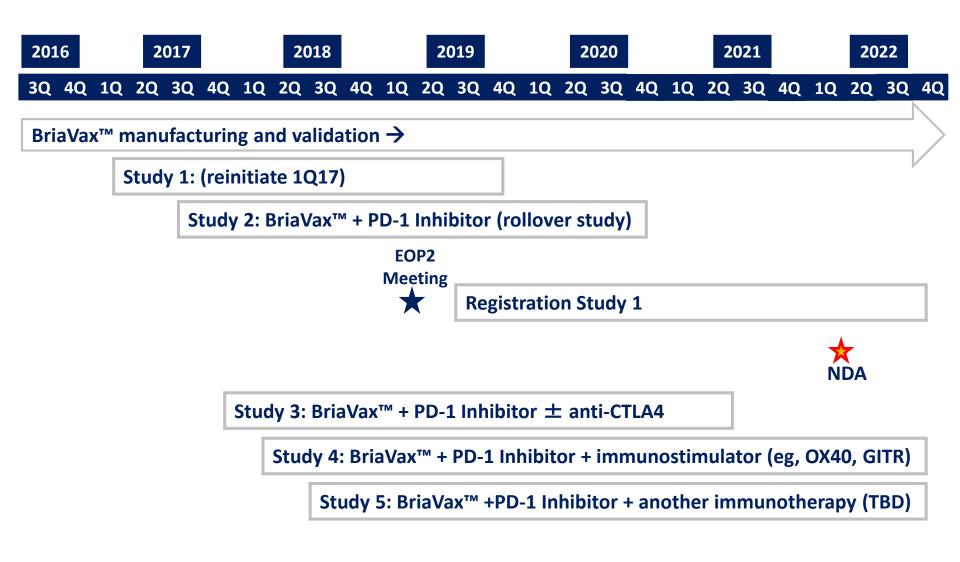
 Will add a roll-over protocol to permit treatment with a PD-1 inhibitor if no response after 3 months

## **Combination Therapy studies would all have similar designs:**

- Initial cohort of 12 patients to look for responses in ≥3/12
- If positive expand to ~60 subjects and determine response rate

# If positive response is confirmed, move on to a registration study (~300 patients)







# **Summary**

- Proprietary vaccine for 2<sup>nd</sup> line use for advanced breast cancer with potential for 1<sup>st</sup> line use.
- Initiating Phase I/IIa to further validate the impressive preliminary Phase I data:
  - Rapid response rate with little side effects
  - Second response following relapse
- Planning to co-develop companion diagnostics.
- The management consists of leading experts in drug discovery, drug development, immunotherapy, diagnostics, & corporate governance
- Potential for combination studies.



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