

Day 2 Agenda

Session 5: Ongoing initiatives and partnership opportunities

MODERATOR: Carolyn Shore, The Pew Charitable Trusts

- Francesca Chiara, Wellcome Trust, CARB-X
- Jane Knisely, National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases
- David Pardoe, Medical Research Council Technology (presentation not included)
- Rob Stavenger, GlaxoSmithKline, Innovative Medicines Initiative Translocation project (presentation not included)
- Jonathan Thomas, OMEGA project (presentation not included)

Session 6: Information-sharing platform on compound penetration and efflux

MODERATOR: Pooja Kothari, The Pew Charitable Trusts

- Brad Sherborne, Merck
- Barry Bunin, Collaborative Drug Discovery
- Philip Gribbon, Fraunhofer IME, Innovative Medicines Initiative Translocation project

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The Wellcome Trust: An Overview of our Funding

Francesca Chiara PhD
Drug-Resistant Infections Team

7th Feb 2017

Who we are

We are an independent global charitable foundation, dedicated to improving health.

We remain true to the vision and values of our founder, Sir Henry Wellcome, a medical entrepreneur, collector and philanthropist.

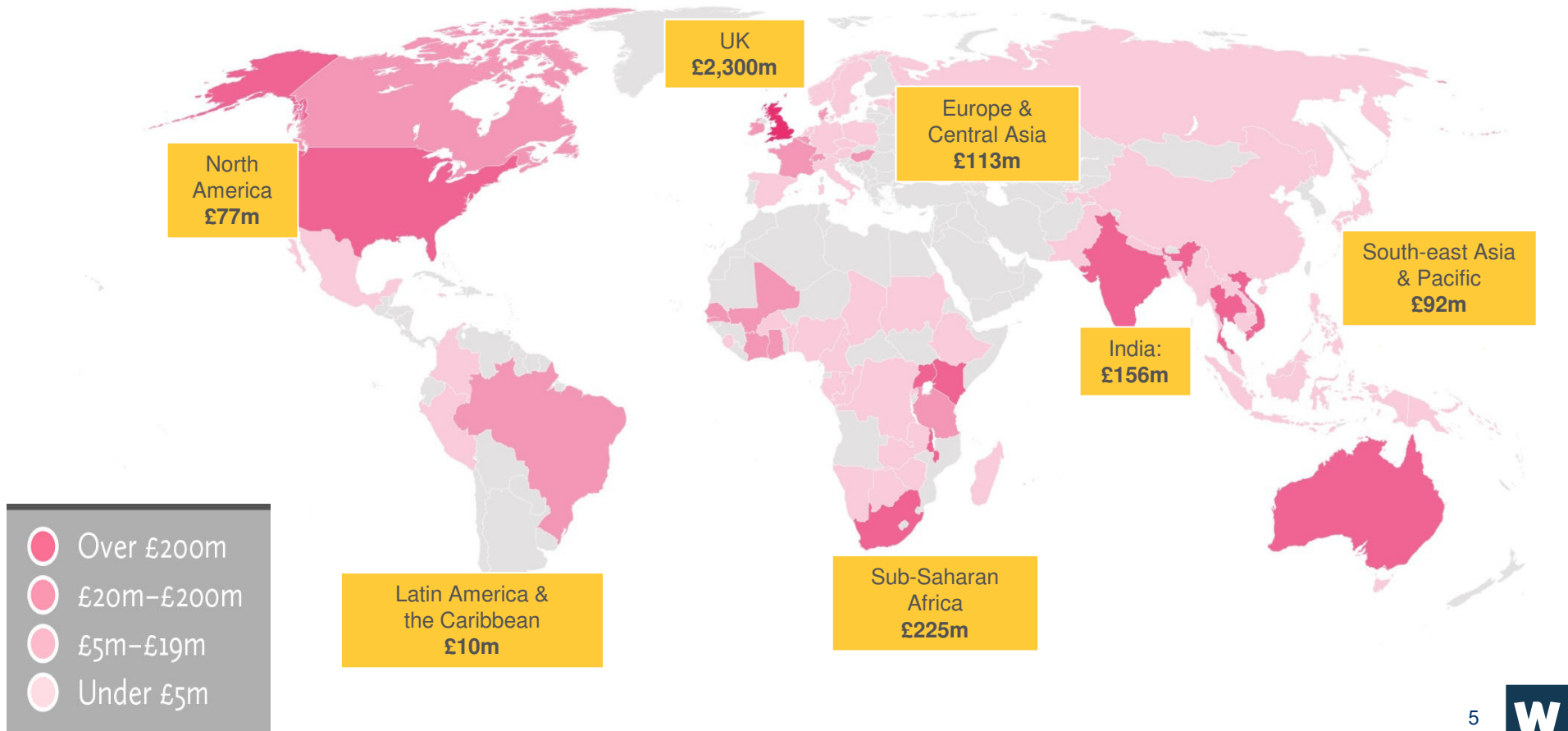
Our Philosophy: Good health makes life better. We want to improve health for everyone by helping great ideas to thrive.

Since 1936, our support has helped to save and improve millions of lives around the world through science, research, evidence and engagement with society.

Science, Innovations, Culture & Society



Where we work



Wellcome Investments

Response-mode funding

Discovery Science

Product Development

Social Sciences

Institutional Support

Sanger Institute

Major Overseas Programs

Research Centres

What's new?

Seizing Opportunities

To be more focused and proactive in specific areas.

We want to connect experts from different disciplines, build partnerships, and lead advocacy, policy development, communications and public engagement. We will do this by providing focused support that creates a step change over five to ten years.

Research Ecosystems in Africa and Asia: Build partnerships in low- and middle- income countries more scientists in these places can pursue world-class research.

Our Planet, Our Health: Build understanding of how global food systems and urbanisation connect to health, improving the evidence base for public policy.

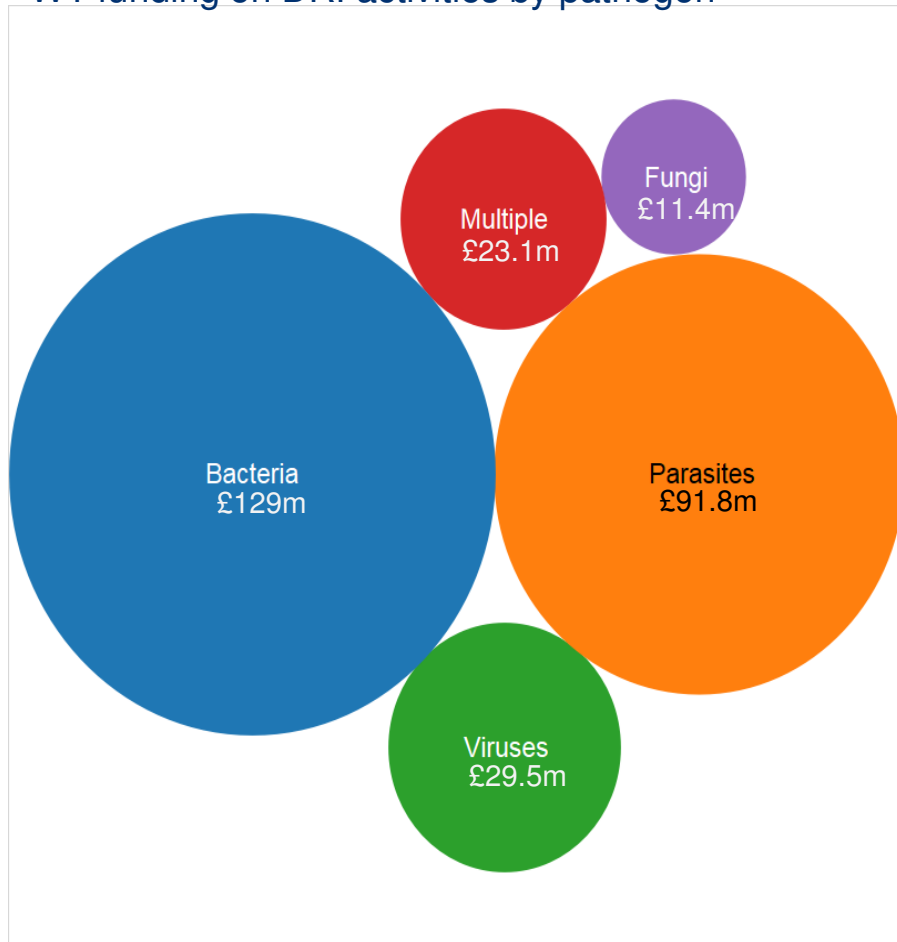
Drug-resistant infections: Explore how best to use and protect the treatments we have and to encourage the development of new ones.

Vaccines: Explore how best to stimulate research, technology development and policy to address critical unmet needs.

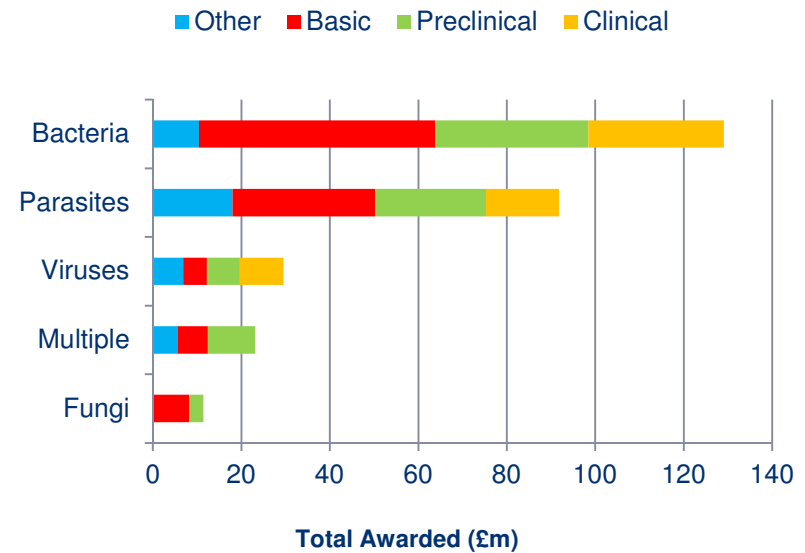
Drug-Resistant Infections at Wellcome

Drug-resistant infections: what we've funded 2005-2016

WT funding on DRI activities by pathogen



Distribution by pathogen type and stage of development



Drug-resistant infections: our new funding activities



Drug-Resistant Infection is a global health threat that undermines the progress made in the fight against infectious disease in the last century.

Our strategy will deliver a reduction in the impact of DRI

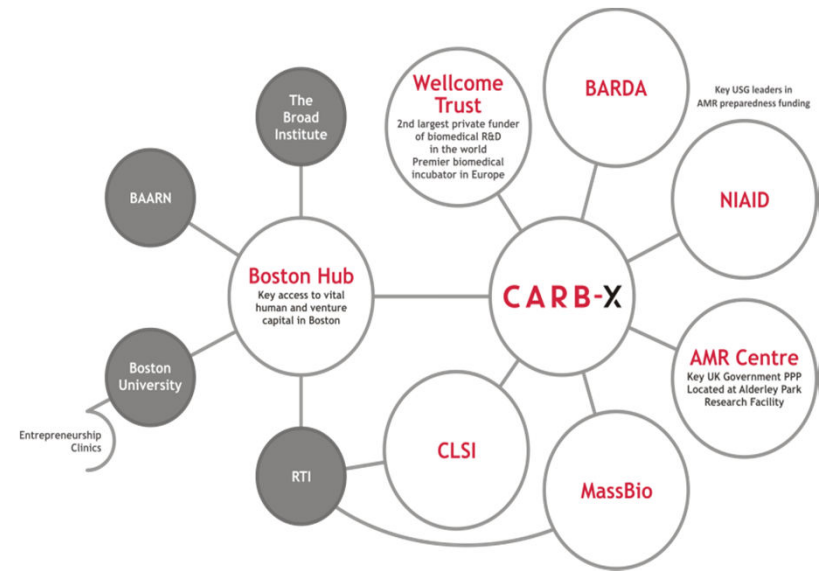
- Epidemiology of Drug-Resistant Infection
- New treatments
- Accelerating clinical assessment
- Global governance

Drug-resistant infections:

CARB-X

Accelerating global antibacterial innovation

- Leverage **\$250 million** in BARDA funds with matching funds from Wellcome and the AMR Centre
- Support the development of products that protect human health from the most serious bacterial threats, including therapeutics of all types, preventives such as vaccines, diagnostics and devices
- In the first year, the CARB-X portfolio will primarily focus on therapeutics to treat Gram-negative bacteria on the Serious or Urgent Threat List prepared by the CDC as well as any non-traditional approaches.
- We have received overwhelming interest and the first funding round will conclude in April





Thank you

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NIAID support for G- drug discovery and development

Jane Knisely, PhD
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NIAID/NIH/HHS



**G- entry/efflux workshop
February 7, 2017**



National Institute of
Allergy and
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NIAID

NIAID's Antibacterial
Resistance Program:
Current Status and
Future Directions
2014

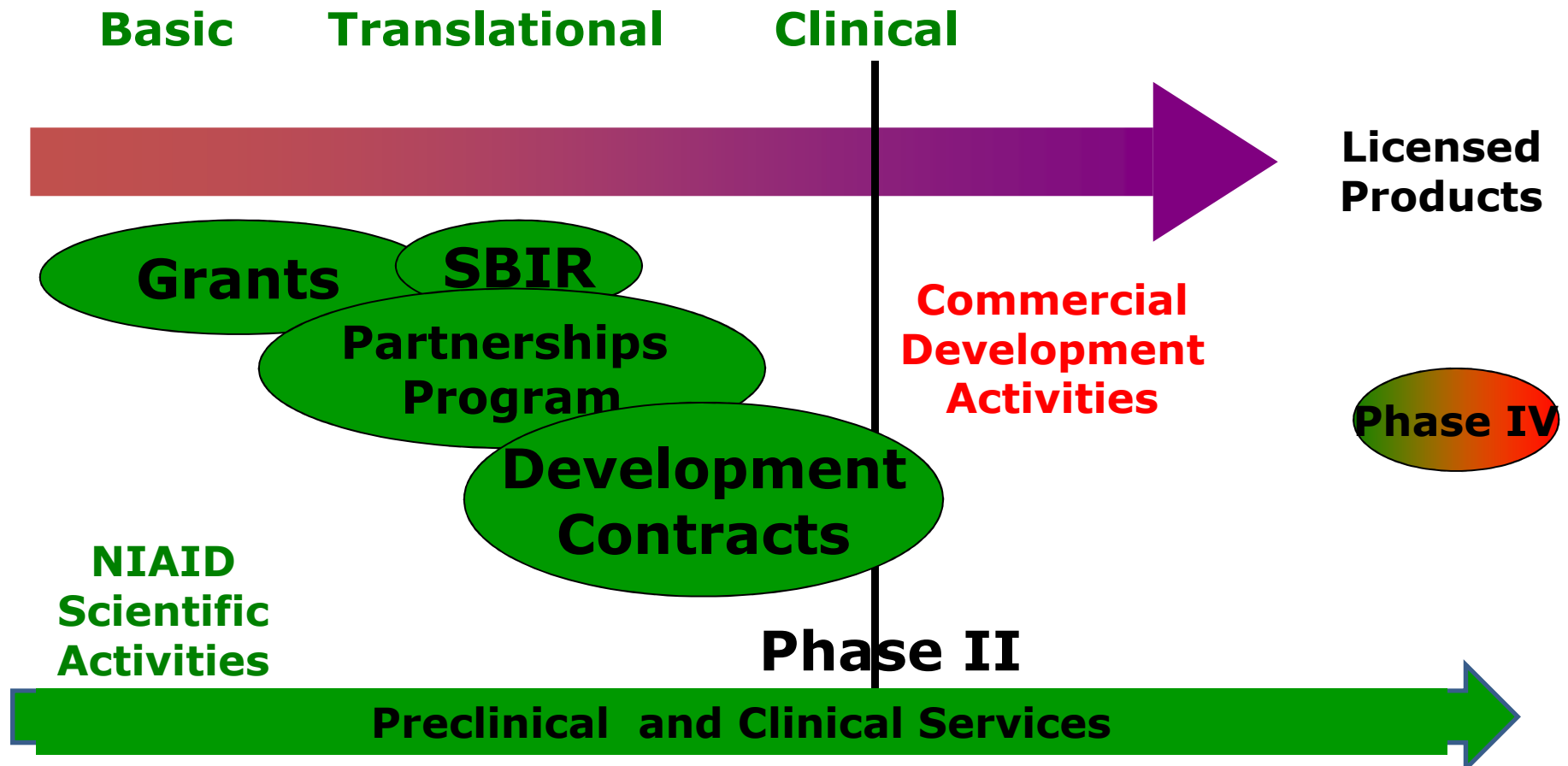


NATIONAL ACTION
PLAN FOR COMBATING
ANTIBIOTIC-RESISTANT
BACTERIA

MARCH 2015



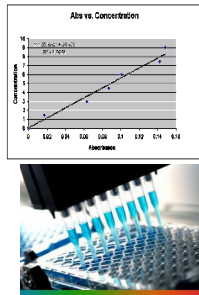
Multiple Programs to Lower Drug Development Risk



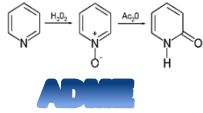
Product Development Services

Therapeutics

In Vitro Assessment of Antimicrobial Activity



Interventional Agent



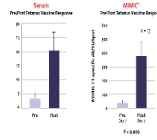
Biopharmaceutical Products



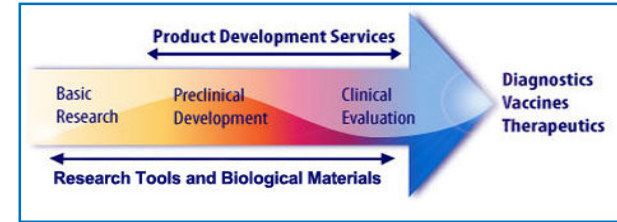
Chemistry, Manufacturing, and Controls (CMC) Documentation for IND

Vaccines

Testing



Manufacturing



Clinical

- Phase I Units
- Vaccine Testing and Evaluation Units (VTEUs)

Animal Models



Reagents
Genomics
Bioinformatics



NIAID AR Funding Opportunities

- RFA-AI-16-081:Partnerships for the Development of Tools to Advance Therapeutic Discovery for Select Antimicrobial-Resistant Gram-Negative Bacteria (R01)
 - milestone-driven projects
 - novel predictive assays, models and/or research tools based on penetration and efflux of small molecules to facilitate therapeutic discovery for select Gram-
 - Multi-disciplinary teams, academic/industry collaborations encouraged
- Complete list of recent funding opportunities and council-cleared concepts at NIAID's Drug Resistance website
- For updates on Funding Opportunities, subscribe to NIAID Funding News

Upcoming Workshops

- March 1: **FDA** -- Current State and Further Development of Animal Models of Serious Infections Caused by Acinetobacter and Pseudomonas
- April 18-19: Single Cell Technologies for Infectious Disease
- June 14-15: Standardization and Use of PKPD Models for Development of Therapeutics against Bacterial Pathogens

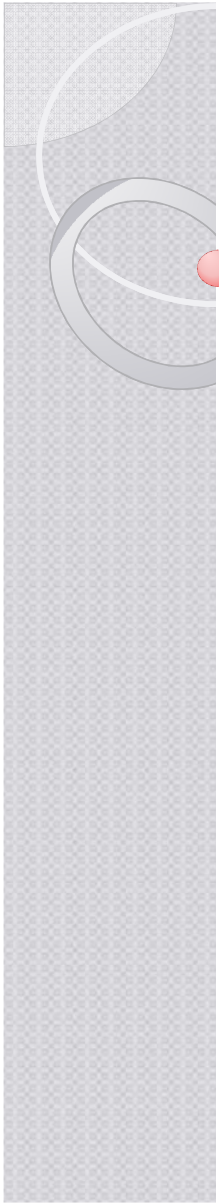
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**Session 6: Information-sharing
platform on compound
penetration and efflux**



Future, Past and Present

Imperative, Focus and Actions for data sharing

Brad Sherborne, Merck



Imperative

- NIAID RFA AI-16-081
 - 15x centers breaking the mold for G- drug design starting 2018
 - New assays + Old or New compounds
- Efforts we've talked about today
- **So what do we want meeting three years from now?**
 - NOT
 - 15+ slide presentations
 - Dozens of Publications (with SI)
 - Emailed data tables



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 - **Coordinated, multi-project, multi-site efforts**
 - **Meta analyses**
 - **Sense of persistence ...**

Desiderata

- Emerging Design Principles
 - Could be just “Avoid ...”
- Robust data
 - Comparable analyses of compounds in
 - Comparable assays
- Integrated data & methods (& materials)
 - Strains, conditions
 - Chemical transport modifiers

>1000 training compounds for machine learning models

2245 compounds for the Lipinski / Rule of Five analysis

~20 representatives
from each class of antibiotic

3+ Assays per strain / species
representing WT, efflux compromised

>20,000 new results
Multi-site, multi-center activity

Lessons from Industry

- Experience right now
 - Orphaned data, presentations, project databases

Effort

It won't just happen

- Data entry
 - Method registration completeness
 - Development vs. Production
 - Ease, integration, value add

Alignment

Reduce barriers, excuses

- Publication
 - Rich reporting
 - Detail mining
 - No db entry, not usable, not actionable
 - Automated prediction model updates

Encouragement

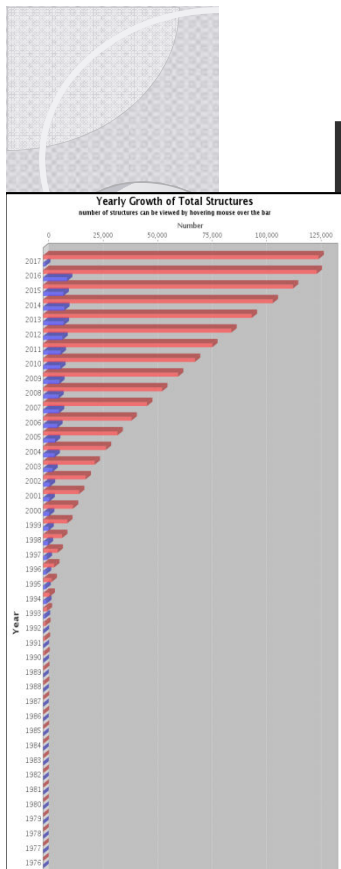
Data entry = More success

- Integrate browsing, analyses

Platform

Next step = Insights

Protein Data Bank (PDB) platform



- 1971 Searchable repository for protein structures
- 1989 Guidelines for data deposition at publication
 - NIGMS funding dependent on open sharing of structural data
- Instrumental in Science Development
 - Insight into Biology
 - Enabled whole fields such as Simulation

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Citations by the year 2000

Ensure

- Take up
- Use
- Sustain

Action

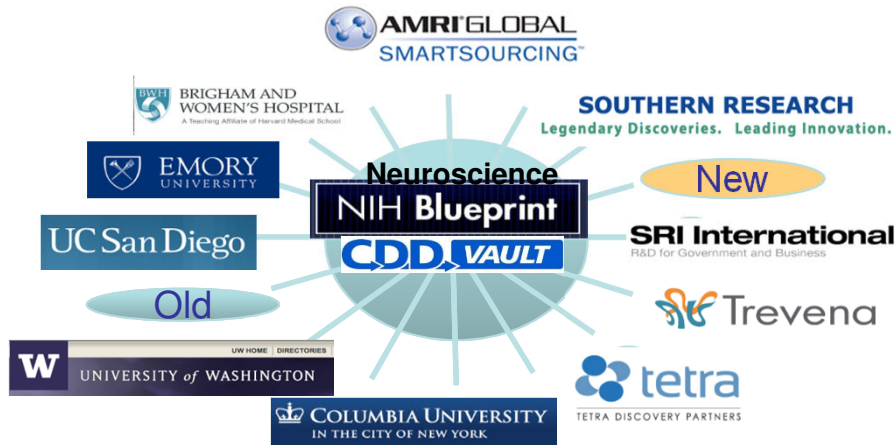
- Ready at project start
- SI becomes link to database
 - Journal Requirement
- Metric for Project progress
 - Link to future funding
- Funding
 - Coordination and maintenance

Actions for the Present



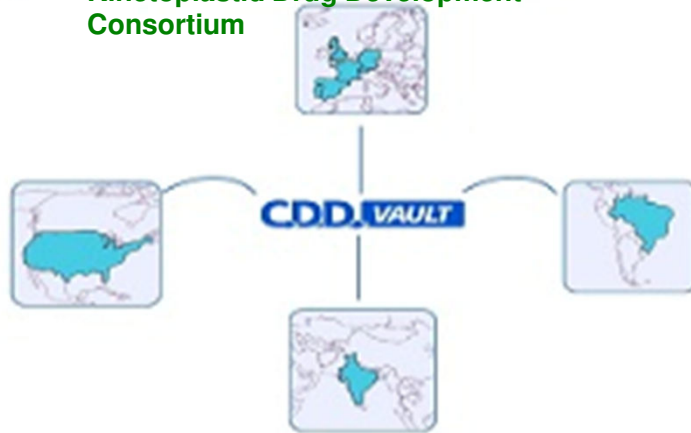
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DRUG
DISCOVERY

CDD Vault Embraced from Small Groups to Complex, Large-Scale Collaborations



KINDReD

Kinetoplastid Drug Development Consortium



MM4TB: 25 organizations



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| EPFL | AstraZeneca India Private Limited | Uppsala University | University of Pavia | University of Cambridge |
| Queen Mary University of London | Institut Pasteur | Bach Institute of Biochemistry (RAS) | University of Padova | Comenius University |
| Vichem Chemie | John Innes Centre | Indian Institute of Science | Cellworks Research India Private Limited | University of Piemonte Orientale |
| Collaborative Drug Discovery (CCD) | University of the Basque Country | Tydoco Pharma Srl | Universidad de Zaragoza | ETHZ |
| Alere Tech. GmbH | Sanofi Aventis R&D | University of Cape Town | SCIPROM | Institut Pasteur de Lille (INSERM) |



COLLABORATIVE
DRUG
DISCOVERY

Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation Sponsored CDD TB DB for Tuberculosis Research

- 6 Academic/Non-Profit/Government Labs and 7 Big Pharmas
- CDD Vault accepted with Pharma's rigorous legal and IT requirements
- Private, Collaborative and Public data sharing routinely supported
- IP protection rules for secure sharing of lead series
 - Structures set up as private until released
 - Software enables secure sharing
- 10 year collaboration





COLLABORATIVE
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Public SAR Database Mirrors: CDD Vault w/
Pubchem, ChEMBL, ZINC, ChemSpider, etc.

PubChem



BioAssay ?



Compound ?



Substance ?

Go

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Search

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Roadmap for Antibiotic Discovery Three Key Priority Areas

1. Understand and overcome barriers for drugs targeting Gram-negative bacteria in order to generate and tailor new chemical matter for antibiotic discovery.

- **Transport, Target, Resistance**

2. Evaluate and validate alternative, non-traditional therapies for the treatment of systemic bacterial infections.

- **Non-Traditional Informatics, Correlate Bioinformatics to Chemoinformatics**

3. Create a framework for efficient sharing of information, expertise, and materials across the research community.

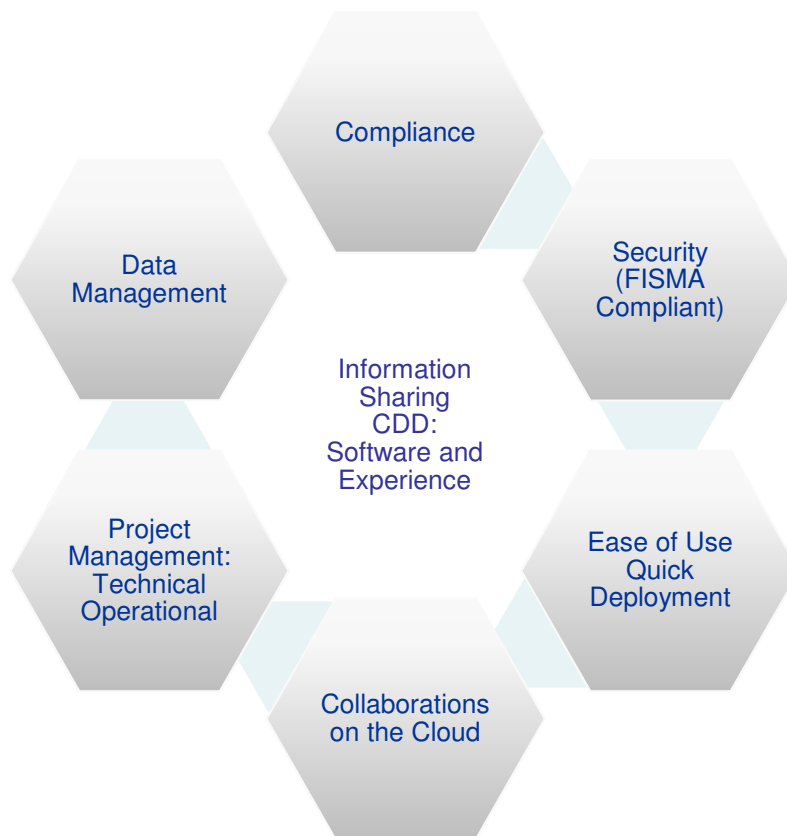
- **CDD Vault, Bioassay Express (BAE), Pubchem, ChEMBL, etc.**

➤ From: Shore, C. K., Coukell, A. *Nature Microbiology* 26 May 2016 (Personal opinions on areas where informatics can help in **bold**).

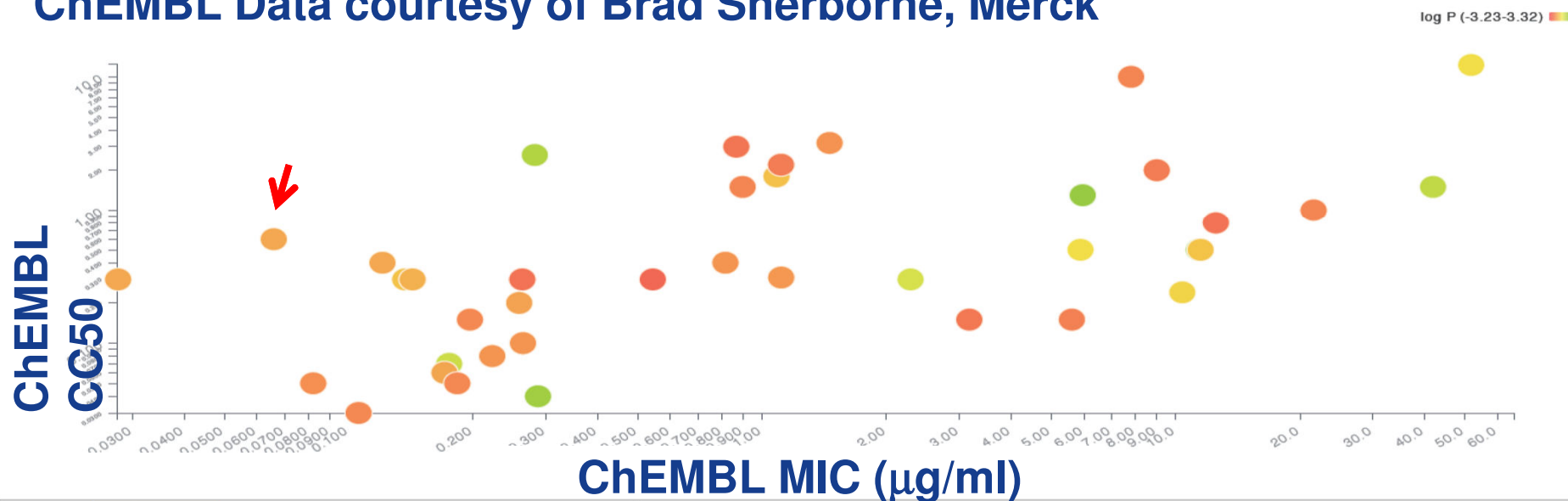


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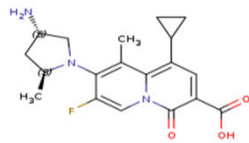
Keys for Successful PPP Information Sharing



Antibacterial Permeability Example: Gyrase CC50 vs. MIC vs. Log P ChEMBL Data courtesy of Brad Sherborne, Merck



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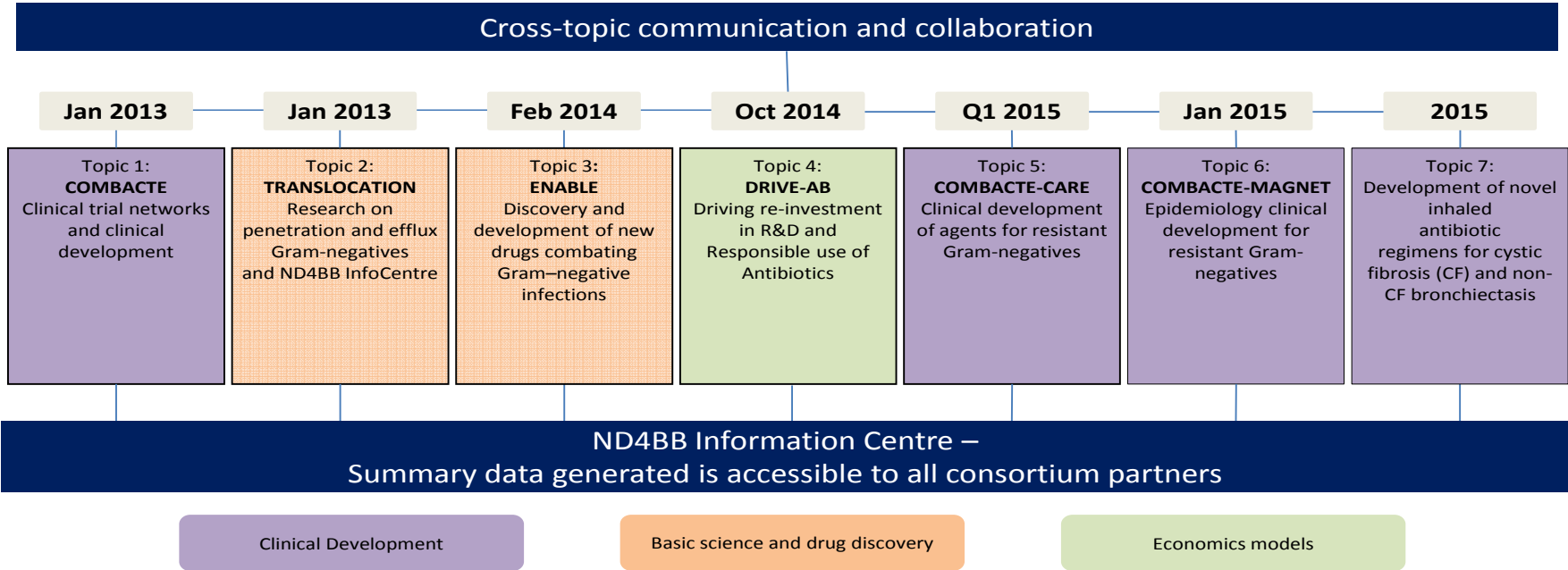
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Fluoroquinolone Example: J. Medicinal Chemistry 1996.

Information sharing in Antibiotic Research

The research leading to these results discussed here was conducted as part of the TRANSLOCATION consortium (<http://www.translocation.eu/>) and has received support from the Innovative Medicines Initiative (IMI) Joint Undertaking under Grant Agreement no. 115525, resources which are composed of financial contribution from the European Union's Seventh Framework Programme (FP7/2007-2013) and EFPIA companies' in kind contribution. This presentation reflects the author's views and neither IMI JU nor EFPIA nor the European Commission is liable for any use that is made of the information contained therein.

ND4BB-Structure



Specific barriers

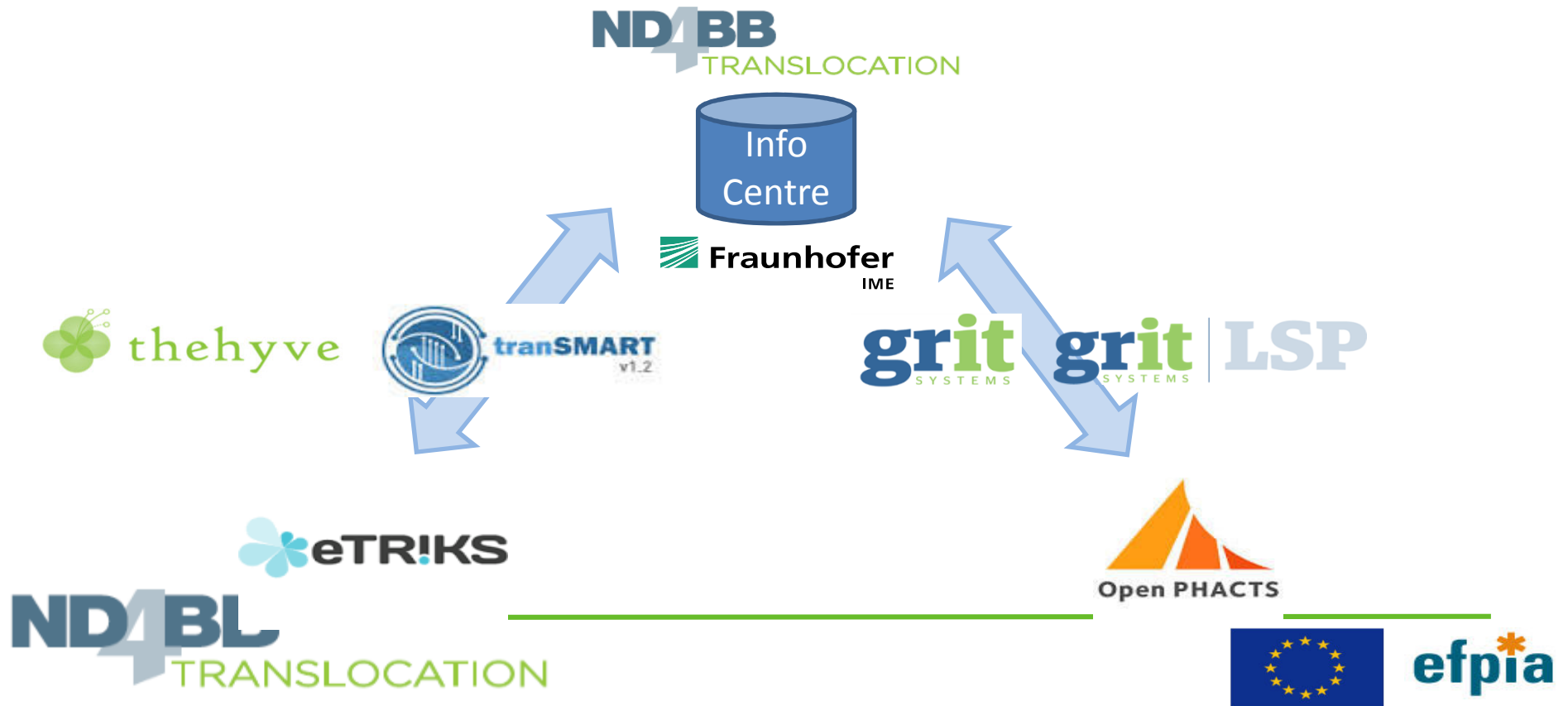
Scientific priorities for antibiotic discovery

- Generate and tailor chemical matter for antibacterial discovery
 - Goal: Understand and overcome barriers to drug penetration and efflux avoidance for Gram-negative bacteria
 - Goal: Generate and tailor chemical matter for antibacterial discovery
- Conduct key proof-of-concept studies for nontraditional therapies
 - Goal: Assess whether single-target antibacterials can be used in combination to overcome resistance
 - Goal: Validate nontraditional therapies
- Share data, materials, and knowledge across disciplines and between sectors
 - Goal: Share data and information
 - Goal: Share materials
 - Goal: Share knowledge and expertise
- Models for antibiotic discovery
 - Governance and organizational structure
 - Intellectual property
 - Funding

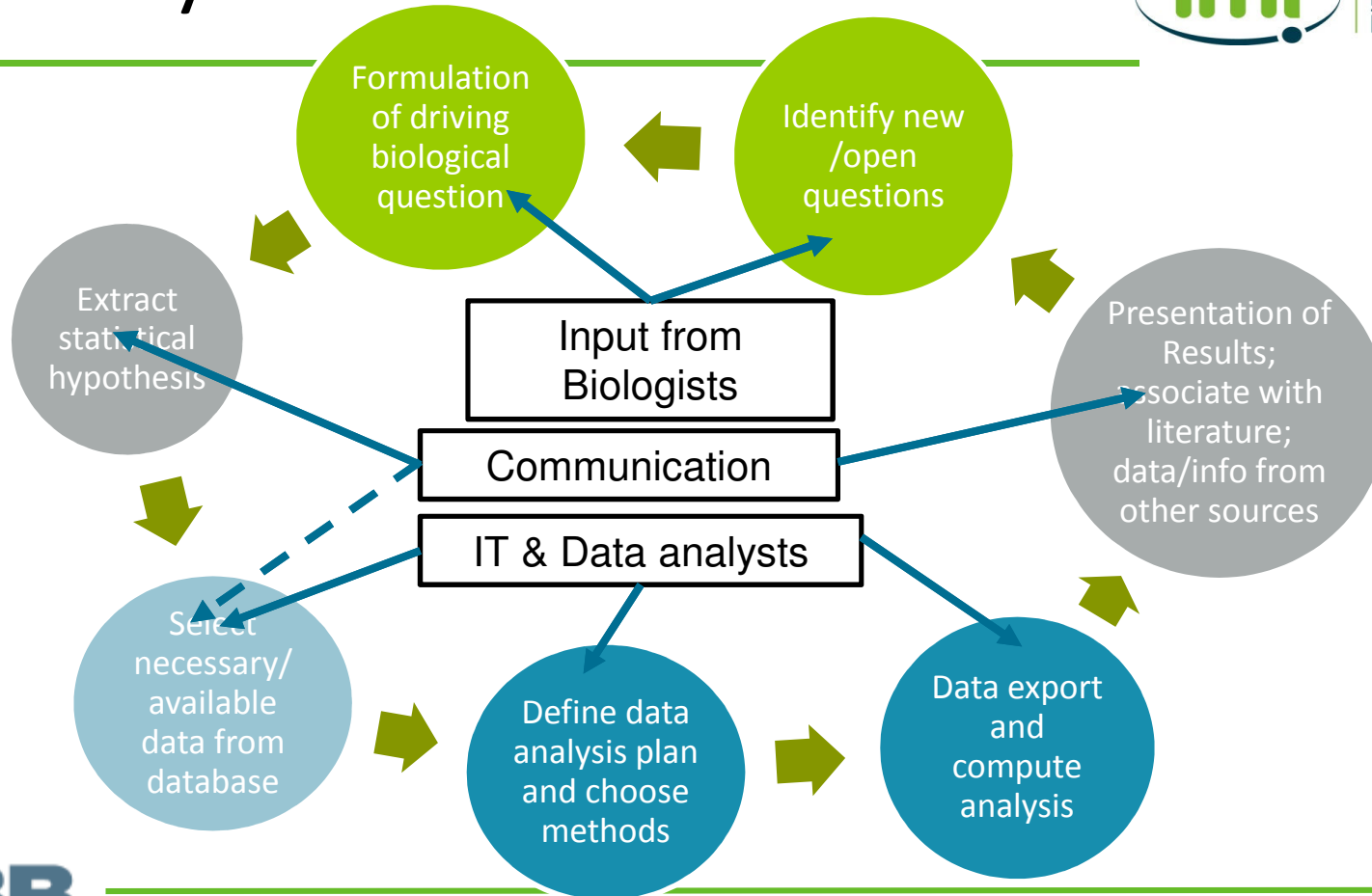
Major bottlenecks

- Lack of
 - information record, management and storage
 - data sharing along the discovery pipeline
 - data integration from different sources
- Waste of resources by
 - repeating failed experiments
 - repeating successful experiments
 - Preparing experiments without sufficient documentation

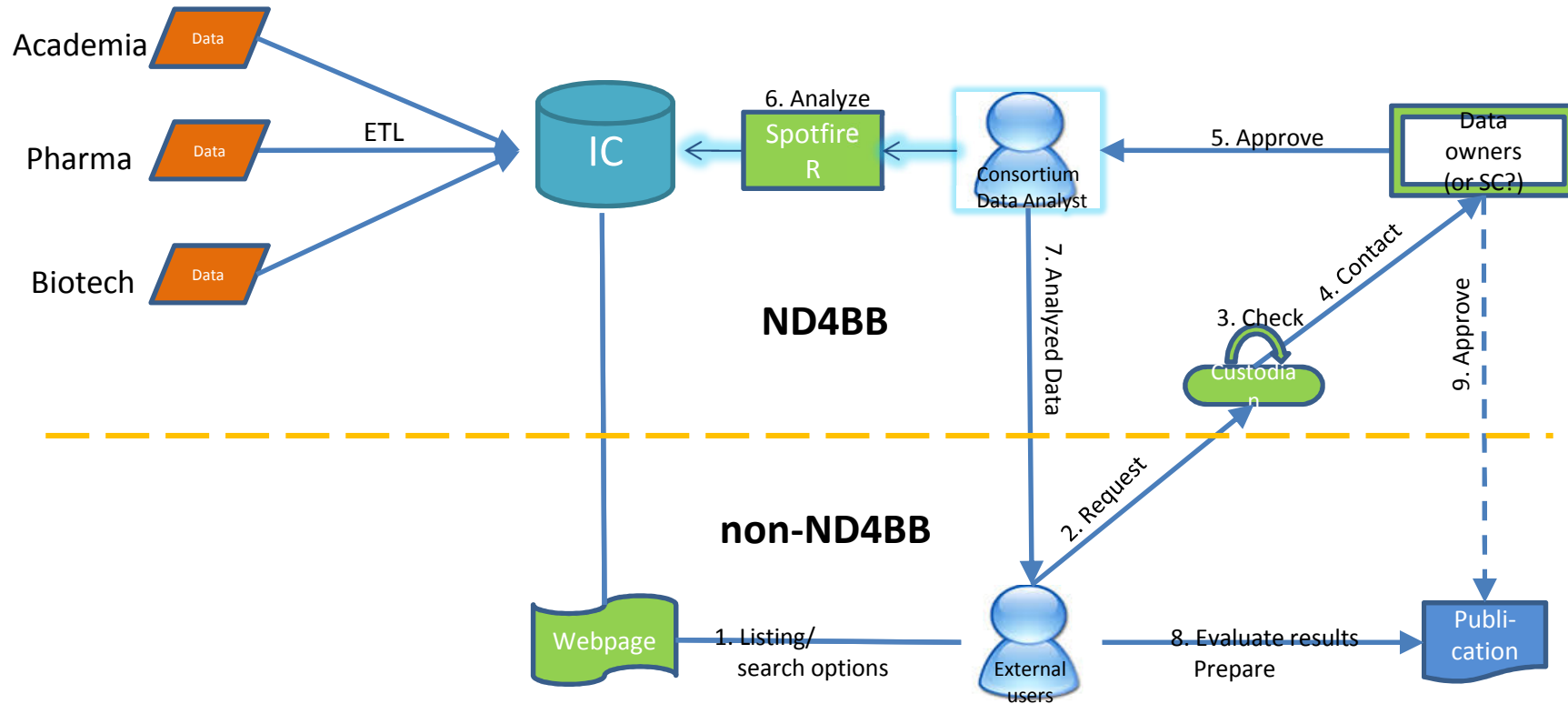
Integration with other knowledge based systems



Data analysis



Proposed Collaborative Access (CoIA) for external, non-ND4BB users



Summary

- ND4BB InfoCentre operational
 - Data managers assigned (align annotation of delivered data e.g. protocol definition)
 - Data analysis team established (open for members of ND4BB)
 - **Data provision ongoing**
 - Planning for sustainability until 2020 and beyond (Translocation runs thru Dec 2017)

