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Dr. Douglas D. Held is the Scientific Director at Lee Biosolutions, part of Medix Biochimica Group, where he previously served as VP of Biotechnology & New Product Development since 2010. He focuses on developing and producing critical raw materials for in-vitro diagnostics and preclinical & clinical therapeutics. In addition, as the Principal Investigator for biologics, he is responsible for custom contract development, analysis, and manufacturing of proteins under cGMP.

Doug has substantial experience developing and commercializing processes to produce and test biological molecules. His previous experiences include leadership positions at Singulex, Inc. and Sigma Aldrich, Inc. He is the inventor for four issued patents for biochemical methods to detect human disease.

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