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#### Agenda

- 7:45 8:10 Registration and breakfast
- 8:10 8:20 Introduction and short Company update
- 8:20 8:45 Keynote presentation: "New Approaches in Pancreatic Cancer"
- 8:45 9:05 Update on COMBAT triple combination study
- 9:05 9:10 Future milestones and closing remarks
- 9:10 9:30 Q&A





## Our mission is to become a leader in the development of novel therapeutics for the treatment of cancer



#### **5** A Diverse Pipeline Targeting Multiple Oncology Indications





#### **GENESIS Study: SCM for Autologous Transplantation in MM Patients**

Initiated Q4 2017 - Phase 3 randomized, placebo-controlled, safety and efficacy study (n=177): NCT03246529 SCREENING **MOBILIZATION (DAYS) COLLECTION (DAYS)** 6 G-CSF (10 µg/kg/day) BL-8040 (1.25 mg/kg) Study design **Primary endpoint** Part 1: Lead-in period - dose confirmation in up to 30 Proportion of subjects mobilizing  $\geq 6.0 \times 10^6$ **APHERESIS** APHERESIS SESSION **SESSION (OPTIONAL)** multiple myeloma patients CD34+ cells/kg in up to 2 apheresis sessions

Part 2: Randomized placebo-controlled study in combination with G-CSF in 177 multiple myeloma patients

#### Lead-in period results (n=11)

- BL-8040 in combination with G-CSF is safe and tolerable
- 82% of patients reached primary endpoint threshold of <a>6x10<sup>6</sup> CD34 cells/kg with one administration of BL-8040 and in up to 2 apheresis sessions; 64% reached the threshold in 1 apheresis session</a>
- <u>All patients mobilize >6x10<sup>6</sup> CD34 cells/kg in up to 4 aphereses</u>
- DMC recommended early initiation of the double-blind, randomized, placebo-controlled part 2 of trial

**Top-line results expected H2 2020** 



#### 7 BLAST Study: Consolidation Therapy for AML Patients in 1st Remission

Phase 2b double-blind, multi-center placebo controlled study (n=194): NCT02502968 (in collaboration with German Leukemia Study Alliance)

Treatment: Two or three cycles (age-based) of high-dose Ara-C in combination with either BL-8040 or placebo

#### SCREENING **TREAMENT CYCLE (DAYS) FOLLOW UP** BL-8040 Complete cycle two-three times (age dependent) Ara-C BONE MARROW ASSESSMENT End of treatment. 6 months, BONE MARROW **BONE MARROW** 9 months. ASSESSMENT ASSESSMENT 12 months and 18 months

#### Endpoints

Relapse free survival (RFS)

Toxicity, safety and tolerability of BL-8040 in combination with high-dose Ara-C

Minimal residual disease (MRD)

Overall survival (OS)

Interim results expected H1 2020

**BL-8040** potentially offers AML patients prolonged remission and increased overall survival





#### AGI-134 – High-Level Outline of Ongoing Phase 1/2a Clinical Study

Open-label study to evaluate the safety and tolerability of AGI-134 as monotherapy and in combination with checkpoint inhibitors, in unresectable metastatic solid tumors (NCT03593226)

PART 1 PART 2 Accelerated escalation monotherapy Monotherapy basket Part 1 of study successfully completed - AGI-134 was found to be safe and well tolerated **Combination - mCRC** with no dose-limiting toxicities observed **Combination - HNSCC** 

Part 2 initial results expected H2 2020

mCRC= metastatic colorectal cancer HNSCC= head & neck squamous cell carcinoma ICI= immune checkpoint inhibitor



#### Background to COMBAT/KEYNOTE-202 Triple Combo Data

- Collaboration with Merck signed beginning of 2016
- COMBAT/KEYNOTE-202 dual combo study initiated end of 2016; top-line results announced Q4 2018
- Merck collaboration expanded in Q3 2018 to add triple combo cohort to existing trial, with focus on second-line patients
- Preliminary triple combo data announced this morning based on ESMO IO abstract submission data cutoff date
- Additional triple combo data will be announced next week (based on updated data set to be included in oral presentation)
- Outstanding execution have almost completed recruitment



#### <sup>10</sup> Brand Name for BL-8040

- We recently received approval of a brand name for BL-8040
- The new brand name is:

# **MOTIXAFORTIDE**

• We will gradually roll out this brand name beginning next year





## Motixafortide (BL-8040)

Oncology Combination Platform for Solid and Hematological Cancers

Focused on IO with Clinical POC in PDAC





#### Background & MoA



#### PDAC – High Unmet Need

#### **PDAC – lowest survival rates across cancers**

- Predicted 2<sup>nd</sup> leading cause of cancer deaths in U.S. by 2025
- Estimated 56,000 new cases and 45,000 deaths in the US in 2019
- SOC chemotherapy provides only modest benefit

# Cold/immuno-suppressed tumors do not respond well to immune checkpoint inhibition (ICI) therapy

- Immunotherapy is effective in a number of solid tumours (melanoma, NSCLC, gastric cancer, genitourinary cancers, head and neck cancer and selected colorectal cancers)
- Pancreatic cancer has proved more of a challenge with disappointing results from early trials of single-agent immune checkpoint blockade; these therapies as single agents only remove the immune suppression, but do not provide a mechanism of immune activation



#### **BL-8040 Unleashes CXCR4 Potential in Cancer Immunotherapy** *Targets the multiple immune "defects" in the PDAC TME*<sup>\*</sup>



#### Without BL-8040

<u>With BL-8040</u>



\* Zheng et al. J. Clin. Med. 2019, 8, 1472; doi:10.3390/jcm8091472



#### **COMBAT/KEYNOTE-202 Study**

Dual Combination Results (including PoM)



#### BL-8040 + Pembro in PDAC: Dual Combo Study Design COMBAT/KEYNOTE-202 Phase 2a Study

- Phase 2a, multicenter, open-label, single-arm study
- Assessing safety and efficacy of dual combo in PDAC







- **1. BL-8040: Powerful Immune Cell Trafficking Regulator** *Quick (2h) and long lasting (>24h) monotherapy effect; effect maintained with combo*
- Induces trafficking of immune cells from bone marrow and lymph nodes into the circulation
  - Similar trafficking shown in other indications (clinical SCM Ph3 & multiple preclinical models)
- **Rebalances** peripheral immune cells in PDAC patients significantly  $\uparrow$  % of effector T cells,  $\downarrow$  % of Tregs



Legend: D1M= Day 1 monotherapy, D5M=Day 5 monotherapy, C2D21=cycle 2 day 21 of combo (7w treatment)



#### 2. BL-8040 个 TILs in the TME – After Only 5d Monotherapy Inducing T cell inflamed TME – first time shown in PDAC patients

 $\alpha$ CD3 staining

Before BL-8040

After 5 days of BL-8040 Monotherapy

 ↑ TIL with BL-8040 monotherapy and effect maintained with αPD1 combo in PDAC

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- By disrupting interaction between SDF1 (CXCL12) secreted by CAFs in the stroma and CXCR4 on T cells
- Infiltration of CD3 and CD8 T cells in 80% (8/10) of evaluable PDAC patient biopsies
  - up to 23-fold increase from baseline





\* picture is a sample from one patient



# **3.** BL-8040 Modulates TME and Shifts TME Immuno-Phenotypes $\downarrow$ MDSCs, $\downarrow$ Tumor Cells, $\uparrow$ T cells, $\uparrow$ Activated CTLs - First Time in PDAC patients



Representative MultiOmyx<sup>™</sup> data taken from a patient with SD and long treatment duration (11 combo cycles ~34 weeks) Data shown before treatment vs. after ~7w of treatment (end of cycle 2)

Hidalgo et al ESMO 2018



#### **COMBAT/KEYNOTE-202** – **Dual Combination Results** *Clinical activity and encouraging mOS in a non chemo-based treatment*

- **34.5%** for 29 evaluable patients showed **disease control** (response + SD):
  - 40% reduction in tumor burden was seen in 1 patient with partial response
  - 1.5-13% reduction in tumor burden was seen in 6 out of 9 patients with stable disease
- **34.4%** of patients in all lines of therapy (2L-5L) were still alive after 6 months (N=37), OS: 3.3 months

**56.3%** of patients in 2L were still alive after 6 months (N=16) OS: 7.5 months

Safety profile of each individual drug was not compromised by the combination, enabling it to serve as an immunotherapy platform for additional combinations

Encouraging results showing clinical activity, proof of MoA and good safety profile warrant addition of chemotherapy to further improve efficacy

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#### **Rationale for Triple Combination**



#### Comparison of BL-8040/Keytruda Dual Combo Results with 2L PDAC SOC and Other Therapies in Development

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#### 13 What Do We See from this Comparison?

- Current approved chemotherapy for 2L metastatic PDAC has limited benefit
  - Onivyde/5FU/LV has mOS=6.2 months, with ORR=17%
- Single-agent immune checkpoint inhibitors have shown disappointing results in PDAC
- Combinations of immune checkpoint inhibitors and chemotherapy in PDAC have not shown any additional benefit to chemotherapy treatment alone
- Dual combination of BL-8040+Keytruda in PDAC showed:
  - $\circ$  Clinical activity
  - Proof of MoA
  - Good safety profile
  - Encouraging survival of immunotherapy regimen in 2L patients (mOS=7.5months, comparable to approved chemo)



#### Specific Rationale for Addition of Chemotherapy

Cytotoxic chemotherapy induces tumor death, reducing tumor burden

- Cytotoxic chemotherapy induces immunogenic cell death, leading to activation/expansion of new tumor-reactive T-cell clones
- EL-8040 induces immune cell trafficking, immune effector T cell infiltration, and TME modulation
- Pembrolizumab maintains/restores activity of T cells within tumor





#### **COMBAT/KEYNOTE-202 Cohort 2 Triple Combination Preliminary Data**



#### Design of Triple Combination Cohort (N=40)



#### **Endpoints**

- Objective response rate according to RECIST 1.1 criteria
- Disease control rate
- Progression-free and overall survival
- Safety and tolerability of the combination
- Multiple pharmacodynamic parameters

Response data (DCR, ORR) expected end-2019; Survival data (PFS, OS) expected mid-2020





#### **17 Triple Combo Cohort – Background to Current Data Set**

#### Patient population

- Metastatic PDAC (Stage IV) patients at first diagnosis
- Second-line progressed after first-line gemcitabine-based treatment
- Multi-center study conducted in the US, Spain and Israel
- Data presented based on data cutoff date of September 30, 2019
- As of data cutoff date:
  - Total enrolled patients: N=22
  - Total evaluable patients\*: N=15
- Combination was generally well tolerated with safety profile consistent with the individual safety profile of each component alone



#### **18 COMBAT Cohort 2 - Individual Patient Data – Swimmer's Plot (n=22)**

Time to Progression (Weeks)





\*No CT available

#### **COMBAT Cohort 2 – Waterfall Plot – Change in Target Lesions** (n=15\*)



\*Graph does not include one patient with clinical progression prior to CT scan



#### **20** COMBAT Cohort 2 – Change in Target Lesions from Baseline (n=15\*)

Target Lesion Change from Baseline



\*Graph does not include one patient with clinical progression prior to CT scan

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#### <sup>21</sup> Summary of the Data and Next Steps

- As of today, only one therapy has been approved for second-line pancreatic patients (Onivyde/5FU/LV), with an ORR of ~17%, a DCR of 52% and mOS of 6.2 months
- Preliminary results of our study, <u>as per the abstract data cutoff of Sep 30, 2019</u>:
  - Combination was generally well tolerated with a safety profile consistent with the individual safety profile of each component alone
  - Out of 15 evaluable patients, 4 PRs and 8 SDs resulting in DCR in 12/15 patients
  - Study is ongoing and data on median PFS and OS has not yet been reached
- Survival data remain on track for mid-2020
- Updated data will be presented next week at ESMO IO at an oral presentation





## Thank you





### Looking ahead



#### <sup>12</sup> Upcoming Major 2019/2020 Milestones

Multiple opportunities for value creation

BL-8040	Preliminary response data from Phase 2 triple combo pancreatic cancer trial (under collaboration with Merck)	2H 2019
BL-8040	Additional response data from Phase 2 triple combo pancreatic cancer trial	2H 2019
BL-8040	Interim results from Phase 2b AML consolidation study	1H 2020
BL-8040	Overall survival results from Phase 2 triple combo pancreatic cancer trial	Mid-2020
BL-8040	Top-line results from Phase 3 registration trial in stem-cell mobilization	2H 2020
AGI-134	Initial PoM and other efficacy results from part 2 of Phase 1/2a trial	2H 2020



#### **13** Thoughts for the Road

- Pancreatic cancer is a huge unmet medical need
- We are targeting an extremely tough population (i.e., second line) with a much lower benchmark, and we are excited with these excellent results seen so far
- This is the first readout from a triple combination trial in second line metastatic PDAC patients
- Pancreatic cancer is our initial step; we see opportunities in many other 'cold' tumors
- Recruitment almost finished and we eagerly await the duration of response and survival results that will come out mid next year.
- After this trial, we believe this combo would be ready for a pivotal registrational study
- Further development would be done under a collaboration





