



NextGen Sciences and The Harvard Institute of Proteomics Collaborate
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NextGen Sciences, a provider of gene-to-protein products and services, has announced the start of its collaboration with The Harvard Institute of Proteomics. As per the announcement, the collaboration, which marks the start of NextGen Sciences' Centre of Excellence Program, will focus on integrating the Company's Information Management Software (OrchestratorIMS) with Harvard's extensive clone database in order to develop advanced automated methods for multi construct design.

NextGen Sciences' Centre of Excellence Program provides academic institutes with access to the Company's proprietary automated platforms and software systems to advance the productivity and efficiency of their research initiatives. As part of the program, the institutions will work in partnership with NextGen Sciences to inform the co-development of new product and technology enhancements.

Further to the announcement, the collaboration with The Harvard Institute of Proteomics will focus on integrating Harvard's clone database with OrchestratorIMS. By combining these data management systems, researchers at the Institute will be able to design key research projects and implement them using NextGen Sciences' automated expressionworkstation platform.

Commenting on the project, Dr Joshua LaBaer, Director of the Harvard Institute of Proteomics, said: "Participation in this initiative, and access to NextGen Sciences' OrchestratorIMS licenses and expertise, will allow us to design and complete what would have been lengthy and challenging projects in a much shorter period of time and with greater ease. We look forward to working with NextGen Sciences on these key projects, and anticipate publishing robust, novel data."