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Christof Jensen joined the pharmaceutical industry in 1992 and has held positions of leadership and increasing responsibility in both CRO and sponsor organizations. He joined UCB in 1996 working in clinical development and moved to cross-functional management roles both regionally and globally.

Christof was appointed Project Leader for the Keppra[®] (levetiracetam) epilepsy franchise from 2000 to 2012, successfully managing the lifecycle by bringing new solutions (indications and formulations) to the market and working with global colleagues across all regions to bring Keppra[®] to blockbuster status in sales. He has also been Project Leader of other major assets in UCB's portfolio including Briviact[®] (brivaracetam) for epilepsy and romosozumab for osteoporosis. He spent four years as an expatriate in Europe, building networks and establishing the project leadership/management discipline as a core pillar of UCB's cross-functional development process.

In addition to his role as Vice-President of Business Excellence, since 2013 Christof also serves as Site Leader for the Raleigh office, working with the approximately 250 colleagues to build and broaden UCB's external network with local academic institutions, public policy makers, and other pharma industry businesses. He is a member of the Board of Directors for UCB BioSciences and the Board of Directors for North Carolina BIO. Christof earned his Master of Science degree in Clinical Psychology from Northwestern State University and a Master of Arts degree in Human Development from the Fielding Graduate Institute.

Christof is active in the local community and volunteers through both UCB and his church to local charities and support groups. He sponsors at-risk children both in the US and abroad to complete their educational efforts and lead productive lives. He and his wife Lori of 22 years have two children (Gabriella and Trevor) and live in North Raleigh.