Melissa McLaughlin Bio

Melissa has worked in Human Resources for the past 18 years. She is presently the Senior Vice President, Human Resources at Agios Pharmaceuticals – a pre-commercial biotech company focused on developing medicines in oncology and rare genetic diseases.

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