

Galapagos is a pioneering biotechnology company, developing innovative medicines to improve people's lives.



Fully-integrated biotech company with European commercial footprint

23 years of ground-breaking research and development

10 year partnership signed with Gilead in 2019



An increasing global reach

1300+ Over 1300 employees globally

14 Presence in 13 European countries & the US



R&D is at the heart of our business

45% of employees work in R&D

70% of operating expenses are in R&D*

*Values as per 31.12.2021



Focus on novel mechanism of action medicines



Proprietary target discovery engine



Extensive knowledge in disease biology



Patient insights from clinical studies

Targeting a range of conditions, including these underserved diseases

RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS

CROHN'S DISEASE

ULCERATIVE COLITIS

FIBROSIS

KIDNEY DISEASE

TRANSFORMING DRUG DISCOVERY

An innovative, integrated model, including a unique target & discovery technology platform:

- 1 Challenge ourselves**
We start by asking, "Can we make a difference and bring real benefit to patients?"
- 2 Discover the target**
Using patient cells we find starting points (targets) for addressing the root cause of disease with our target discovery tools.
- 3 Find a matching compound**
We engineer a molecule that attaches to the target and suppresses its function.
- 4 Develop a potential medicine**
We modify the molecule to optimize its drug properties, e.g. potency, stability, solubility, and safety.
- 5 Test the potential medicine**
We assess the effects and safety of the medicine through rigorous testing and clinical patient studies.
- 6 Share our insights**
We bring our gained knowledge and expertise into the wider loop of drug development.

PIONEERING FOR PATIENTS

By discovering and developing medicines that tackle the root cause of a disease itself and not just moderate its symptoms, we're working towards delivering well tolerated and effective solutions for patients.

MAKING IT HAPPEN

We attribute our past & ongoing achievements to two things: a commitment to science-driven innovation and our culture of courage, determination, and speed of action.

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