Rick A. Bright, PhD

Biography

Dr. Rick Bright is an international expert on pandemic preparedness and response. In his most recent role as the Chief Executive Officer of the Pandemic Prevention Institute (PPI) at The Rockefeller Foundation, Dr. Bright led the development of the Foundation's pandemic data-to-action platform that integrates modern technology, data analytics and global partners to help the world detect, prevent, and mitigate pandemic threats to achieve containment as quickly as possible.

Prior to this role, he served as the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response and the Director of the Biomedical Advanced Research and Development Authority (BARDA), in the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. Dr. Bright has also gained extensive experience in the biotechnology industry where he served in senior leadership and executive management roles. He has held senior scientific leadership positions in non-governmental organizations where he championed innovative vaccine development and expanded vaccine manufacturing capacity to multiple developing countries. He also spent a decade in vaccine, therapeutics, and diagnostics development at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. For this work, Dr. Bright received the Charles C. Shepard Science Award for Scientific Excellence.

Dr. Bright serves as an international subject matter expert in biodefense, emergency preparedness and response, pharmaceutical innovation, vaccine, drug and diagnostic development and served as an advisor to the Biden Administration, World Health Organization, the Coalition for Epidemic Preparedness Innovations (CEPI) and the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering & Medicine Forum on Microbial Threats. Dr. Bright serves as an Executive Board Member for the NY Academy of Sciences International Science Reserve, is on the board of the Sepsis Alliance, a Sr. Fellow at the Foreign Policy Association, and a member of the Council on Foreign Relations.

Dr. Bright received a Ph.D. in Immunology and Molecular Pathogenesis from Emory University and a B.S. *magna cum laude* in Biology and Physical Sciences from Auburn University at Montgomery.



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- Pandemic and emergency preparedness and response
- Innovation: Identifying and catalyzing transformative technology and approaches to improve awareness, detection, empowerment, response, production, supply chain management, delivery, and equitable access and administration of lifesaving medicines to improve human health
- Policy: Global health, pandemic preparation & response
- Vaccines: Discovery, development, supply chain, distribution, administration
- Therapeutic intervention: Discovery, development, genomic surveillance
- Surveillance: Global laboratory strengthening, genomic and environmental, data sharing
- Rapid point-of-care and point-of-need diagnostics, wearable technologies

Professional Experience

3/2021 – The Rockefeller Foundation, Washington, DC

10/2022 CEO, The Pandemic Prevention Institute

Senior Vice President, Pandemic Prevention and Response

- Advised Foundation President on global pandemic preparedness and response
- Established and launched the pandemic prevention institute for global surveillance
- Catalyzed transformative data technologies to prioritize high risk pathogens to inform pandemic preparedness
- Partnered with global health organizations to ensure signals of outbreaks triggers medical countermeasure development
- Partnered with global health experts to shape the global pandemic preparedness ecosystem and the political will to sustain the ecosystem
- Raised \$150 M to incubate the institute through maturation for eventual spin out

11/2020 - Biden-Harris Administration COVID-19 Advisory Board, Washington, DC

 Provided guidance on pandemic response, including testing, vaccines, therapeutics and supply chain to establish priorities and policies during administration transition

10/2010 - US Dept. Health and Human Services, Washington, DC

10/2020 **Senior Advisor to NIH Director** (05/2020 – 10/2020)

Office of the Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response Biomedical Advanced Research and Development Authority (BARDA)

Director, BARDA (11/2016 – 05/2020)

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Preparedness & Response (11/2016 – 05/2020)

Incident Commander, ASPR/BARDA Zika Response (02/2016 – 01/2018)

Director, Influenza and Emerging Diseases Division (12/2014 – 11/2016)

Acting Director, Influenza and Emerging Diseases Division (11/2013 – 12/2014)

Deputy Director, Influenza and Emerging Diseases Division (06/2011 –12/2015)

 $\textbf{\it Chief, Influenza Antiviral Drug Advanced Development} \ (02/2011-10/2012)$

Program Lead, International Capacity Building Programs (10/2010 - 03/2014)

- Responsible for leading the only US Government organization with a mission to partner with private industry to invest in and support innovation, research, development and procurement of medical countermeasures against an array of threats to national security and the public's health, including chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear threats and pandemic influenza, and emerging diseases
- Through public/private partnerships, achieved 55 FDA approvals for medical countermeasures against a diverse range of pathogens and national security priorities
- Established RADx-ATP to accelerate rapid development, scale and surge of laboratory and point of care diagnostic technologies and capacity for the COVID-19 pandemic
- Developed and lead an interagency strategy for response to the COVID-19 pandemic for rapid development of vaccines, therapeutics, and diagnostics
- Developed and launched DRIVe, Division of Research, Innovation and Ventures, to scout, invest in and catalyze development of new technologies to transform healthcare to improve access, availability, and efficiency of lifesaving medicines
- Launched CARB-X, the world's largest public-private partnership to stimulate the early-stage pipeline of novel antibiotics to address antimicrobial resistance
- Established the first US government-lead venture capital fund to combine publicprivate equity investment to accelerate transformative healthcare innovation
- Led the BARDA international program in 12 developing countries to support expansion and licensure of vaccine production capacity. Pandemic vaccine capacity in these countries expanded from 1 million to over 1 billion doses from this program
- Led and coordinated US and global medical countermeasure development for the 2014 MERS outbreak and the 2016 Zika Response (Incident Commander)
- Secured over \$6 billion USD in supplemental funding for BARDA to support COVID-19 medical countermeasure development
- Led and managed technical and administrative teams responsible for management oversight and execution of an active portfolio exceeding \$72 billion USD
- Managed an average annual budget of \$2 billion USD
- Formed and actively managed partnerships with over 400 global industry partners: micro-organizations to biotech to multi-national pharmaceutical organizations
- Represented BARDA, ASPR, HHS and the USG in domestic and international conferences and meetings on policy and technical topics
- Member of the WHO R&D Blueprint Science Advisory Group to develop strategies to coordinate international response plans for emerging infectious diseases
- Served as USG representative with foreign government officials to coordinate and develop strategies on policy and health technologies
- Represented ASPR/BARDA in briefings/testimony to congress and the White House

02/2008 – PATH - Global Vaccine Development Program, Washington, DC 10/2010 Director, Vaccine Manufacturing Capacity Building in Viet Nam Scientific Director, Influenza Vaccine Project

- Developed, championed and managed scientific strategies of the global influenza vaccine program, funded by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation
- Managed \$40 million portfolio to scout, invest and accelerate the development of innovative influenza vaccine technologies

- Conducted analyses of innovative vaccine technologies that could be available, affordable and accessible to people in developing countries
- Established and directed program to enhance technical and clinical capacity to produce, evaluate and introduce pandemic influenza vaccines in Viet Nam. Received \$7.9 million from BARDA to support the program
- Established and managed technical scientific teams in the United States and Vietnam
- To respond to the 2009 H1N1 influenza pandemic, was seconded to the World Health Organization to serve on the H1N1 Vaccine Task Force
- Served on the DoD DARPA Scientific Advisory Board for Accelerated Manufacturing Program and for the Blue Angel Program for development of vaccines
- Collaborated with domestic and international vaccine development partners to advance vaccines from early development through clinical evaluation
- Raised over \$16 million in the form of grants and contracts to support and diversify vaccine development programs

2006 – Novavax, Inc., *Rockville*, *MD*

2008 A clinical stage vaccine company

Vice President, Global Influenza Programs

Vice President, Vaccine Research

Vice President, Vaccine Development

- Executive Team Sponsor for two vaccine candidates, directing development progression from early discovery through late-stage clinical development
- Chaired the Product Development Strategy Team for influenza vaccines
- Integrated all functional areas of the vaccine discovery, research and development process, business development, and education/advocacy to develop the vision and strategy of a novel vaccine production platform
- Recruited and supervised a successful scientific and senior management team
- Served as an ambassador for the company to introduce and champion a unique technology and pipeline to global audiences including scientific, political, financial and international government / non-government organizations
- Established and maintained partnerships in Hong Kong, China, India and Taiwan
- Participated on WHO committees: vaccine development and pandemic preparedness

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Influenza Division, Strain Surveillance Branch, Atlanta, GA

ORISE Research Fellow - Immunologist/Virologist

- Led project team for the influenza antiviral drug program and drug resistance surveillance team
- Represented the CDC Influenza Division on matters of avian influenza, vaccine development and antiviral drug resistance at global congresses
- Accountable for the surveillance of influenza isolates for resistance to influenza antiviral drugs, including H5N1 viruses in BSL3+ high containment laboratories
- Recipient of 3-year grant from Antimicrobial Resistance Working Group
- Supervised a research team of MS- and PhD-level scientists. Trained over 15 international visiting scientists. Mentored 4 graduate and undergraduate students
- Recipient of Charles C. Shepard award for scientific excellence

2002 – Altea Therapeutics - Vaccine and Immunology Programs, Atlanta, GA

2003 A Clinical stage biopharmaceutical company

Senior Research Scientist & Project Leader

- Created a new vaccine delivery program to show feasibility of transdermal delivery of vaccines, using a novel thermal-based microneedle delivery system
- Managed a team of 18 scientists across 4 research sites in the U.S. and Canada

1998 – Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Influenza Branch, Immunology and 2002 Viral Pathogenesis Section, Atlanta, GA

- Developed and characterized novel influenza vaccine candidates for seasonal and pandemic influenza in a BSL3+ high containment facility
- Analyzed in vivo and in vitro mechanisms and molecular correlates of pathogenicity of influenza A(H5N1) viruses

Boards/Committees

- Sepsis Innovation Collaborative Member 2022- present
- Council on Foreign Relations Member 2022 present
- International Science Reserve Executive Board 2021-present
- Foreign Policy Association Senior Fellow 2021-present
- New York Academy of Science Member 2019 present
- WHO R&D Blueprint for Action to Prevent Epidemics Scientific Advisory Group 2017 2020
- National Academies of Sciences, Engineering & Medicine Forum on Microbial Threats 2018-2020
- National Academies of Sciences, Engineering & Medicine Forum on Drug Discovery 2019-2020
- CEPI Coalition for Epidemic Preparedness Innovations Scientific Launch Cmte 2015-2017
- International Society of Influenza and other Respiratory Viruses Board 2015
- Global Health Security Initiative Pandemic Influenza Working Group 2016-2020
- ACIP Novel Influenza Vaccines Working Group (ex-officio) 2016-2020
- WHO Global Action Plan for Influenza Vaccines 2011-2018

Awards

- Omicron Delta Kappa 2022 Pillar of Leadership Award
- Distinguished Kansan, 2020
- Ridenhour Award for Truth-telling, 2020
- Hutchinson High School Wall of Honor Recipient, 2017
- Top 40 Graduates in 40 years of history Auburn University-Montgomery, 2010
- Charles C. Shepard Science Award for Scientific Excellence, 2007
- Nakano Citation for the best scientific publication at CDC, 2006, 2007
- National Center for Infectious Diseases Honor Award for Public Health Epidemiology and Laboratory Research, 2005
- Who's Who Among Students in American Universities, 1996, 1997
- The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi, Inducted 1997
- Omicron Delta Kappa Leader of the Year, 1997
- Alabama Academy of Science Top Research Award, 1997
- Omicron Delta Kappa, National Leadership Honor Society, Inducted 1995
- Alpha Epsilon Delta Honor Society, Inducted 1994

Education

ADVAC Advanced Course in Vaccinology, Annecy, France **2010** (Fondation Merieux and University of Geneva)

Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia

Degree: Ph.D., 2002

Immunology and Molecular / Viral Pathogenesis (Virology)

Division of Biological and Biomedical Sciences, School of Medicine

PhD Dissertation: Studies on Pathogenicity & Control of Influenza A (H5N1) Virus

Auburn University, Montgomery, Alabama

Degree: Double Major B.S., magna cum laude, 1997

Majors: Biology GPA: 4.00/4.00; Physical Science (Chemistry) GPA: 3.96/4.00

Publications

- 1. Anupindi, R, Yadav, P, Jefferson, K, and Ashby, E, Editors; Committee on Addressing Issues of Vaccine Distribution and Supply Chains to Advance Pandemic and Seasonal Influenza Preparedness and Response (Bright); National Academy of Medicine 2022. Globally Resilient Supply Chains for Seasonal and Pandemic Influenza Vaccines. Washington, DC: The National Academies Press. https://doi.org/10.17226/26285.
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- 3. Brilliant L, Danzig L, Oppenheimer K, Mondal A., **Bright RA**, Lipkin WI (2021). The Forever Virus: A Strategy for the Long Fight Against COVID19. Foreign Affairs 100(76), June 8, 2021. https://www.foreignaffairs.com/articles/united-states/2021-06-08/coronavirus-strategy-forever-virus
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- 5. Tromberg BJ, Schwetz TA, Perez-Stable EJ, Hodes RJ, Woychik RP, **Bright RA**, Fleurence RL, Collins FS (2020). Rapid Scaling Up of Covid-19 Diagnostic Testing in the United States The NIH RADx Initiative. New England Journal of Medicine. Jul 22. DOI: 10.1056/NEJMsr2022263
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- 8. Buchman TG, Simpson SQ, Sciarretta KL, Finne KP, Sowers N, Collier M, Chavan S, Oke I, Pennini ME, Santhosh A, Wax M, Woodbury R, Chu S, Merkeley TG, Disbrow GL, **Bright RA**, MaCurdy TE, Kelman JA (2020). Sepsis Among Medicare Beneficiaries: 3. The Methods, Models and Forecasts of Sepsis, 2012-2018. Critical Care Medicine. 2020 Mar;48(3):302-318.
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- 13. Wathen MW, Barro M, **Bright RA** (2013). Antivirals in seasonal and pandemic influenza future perspectives. Influenza Other Respir Viruses. Jan;7 Suppl 1:76-80.
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- 15. Perdue M, **Bright RA** (2011). United States of America Department of Health and Human Services support for advancing influenza vaccine manufacturing in the developing world. Vaccine 29(Suppl 1):A48-A50.
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- 37. Crawford PC, Dubovi EJ, Castleman WL, Stephenson I, Gibbs EPJ, Chen L, Smith C, Hill RC, Ferro P, **Bright RA**, Medina M, Johnson CM, Olsen CW, Cox NJ, Klimov AI, Katz JM, and Donis RO (2005). Interspecies transmission of equine influenza virus to dogs. Science 310(5747):482-5.
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- 12. Emanuel EJ, **Bright RA**, Gounder C, Borio L, Osterholm M, Gawande A (2021). Vaccines alone won't solve the pandemic. Here are 3 other things we must do. The Washington Post, February 5, 2021. https://www.washingtonpost.com/opinions/2021/02/05/vaccines-alone-wont-solve-pandemic-here-are-3-other-things-we-must-do
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Book Chapters

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Patents

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- 3. Gale Smith, et al. Functional Influenza Virus Like Particles (VLPs) (US 08080255)
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