

## Steven Hutchins

Steven Hutchins received a BS degree in chemistry from the University of New Hampshire and joined Merck's medicinal chemistry department 1990. Steven worked on cardiovascular and inflammation targets prior to becoming a founding member of Merck's central combinatorial chemistry group. He began his involvement in outsourcing of chemistry services with Merck in 1995 and in later years expanded his sourcing role from chemistry to include all of the services (medicinal & process chemistry, formulation, biology, pharmacology, drug metabolism and bioprocess R&D) required for both Basic Research and PreClinical Development. Throughout his 12 year outsourcing career at Merck Steven developed relationships with companies throughout the world including North America, Europe, China & India.



Steven currently holds the role of Vice President of Business Development at WuXi AppTec where he is responsible for leading the company's global business development and reinforcing WuXi's brand value and market leadership