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Jecure Therapeutics announces the appointment of Vice President for its Biology division

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Jecure Therapeutics, a biotechnology company with novel drug discovery programs targeting non-alcoholic steatohepatitis (NASH) and fibrosis has announced that Gretchen Bain, Ph.D., has joined the company as its Vice President of Biology.

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“We are thrilled to welcome Gretchen to our management team,” said Dr. Jeffrey Stafford, President and CEO of Jecure Therapeutics. “Her expertise in anti-fibrotics discovery research and clinical biomarker development is immediately impactful to Jecure’s goal of advancing first-in-class NLRP3 inhibitors into the clinic.”

Dr. Bain holds a Ph.D. in molecular and cellular biology from the University of California, San Diego, where she also completed a postdoctoral fellowship.