
BEACON Newsletter

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BEACON Establishes Board of Advisors

BEACON proudly announces the formation of a Board of Advisors to provide guidance regarding the strategic mission and objective of BEACON. The individuals who have agreed to serve in this capacity for the next two years are:

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**We are indeed fortunate to have
These individuals join the
BEACON family in 2000.**

**Note: The first Board of
Advisors Meeting will be
Friday, January 28, 2000.**

* BEACON, the Biomedical Engineering Alliance for Connecticut, Collaborative Team: Trinity College, The University of Connecticut at Storrs, The University of Connecticut Health Center, The University of Hartford, Hartford Hospital, The Connecticut Children's Medical Center, John Dempsey Hospital, The Yale-New Haven Hospital, Baystate Health System. Corporate Sponsors include Pfizer, Kendall Health Care and GE Medical.

Become a Corporate Sponsor

As the new century begins we are also proud to announce those companies that have agreed to become corporate sponsors of BEACON. These companies are:

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- Waived registration fees to the annual BEACON symposia for any two employees.
- Promotional listing of the corporate sponsor in all publications of BEACON.

We encourage you to join this select group.

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