

# Gilles Avenard

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## Summary

Dr. Avenard is Chief Executive Officer at Acticor Biotech and Board member or adviser for several companies through GABC, a Strategic Advisory Firm for Biotech and Pharma Industry. From 1997 to 2010, he served as Chief Operating Officer of BioAlliance Pharma SA (BIO – NYSE-EURONEXT) since he co-founded the company. From 1990 to 1997, Dr. Avenard served as Medical Director of Development in the Cassenne Laboratories division of Hoechst Marion Roussel (Sanofi-Aventis Pharma). From 1976 to 1990, Dr. Avenard held various positions with the National Blood Transfusion Center in Paris, including Medical Director of Bio-Transfusion (LFB), providing human plasma products. He has also served as a physician in hemobiology and blood transfusion at the Blood Center of Pitié-Salpêtrière Hospital in Paris. Dr. Avenard received his MD as well as degrees in hematology and hemobiology & blood transfusion from the School of Medicine at the University of Paris V. He is currently a member of the Biotech Working Group at LEEM and Expert at the Ministry of Research for Research Tax Credit. Specialties: Hematology, Hemobiology, Blood Transfusion, Pharmaceutical and clinical development.

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## Experience

### **CEO at Acticor Biotech**

October 2014 - Present (1 year 4 months)

### **Board Member at Clevexel Pharma**

September 2014 - Present (1 year 5 months)

### **CEO at G1J-IDF Venture Fund**

February 2011 - Present (5 years)

### **Owner at GABC - Gilles Avenard Biotech Consulting**

August 2010 - Present (5 years 6 months)

### **Board Member at InnaVirVax**

May 2009 - Present (6 years 9 months)

### **Board Member at Biophytis**

June 2013 - April 2014 (11 months)

### **Managing Partner at A4G**

November 2011 - October 2013 (2 years)

**Chairman of the Board at Hemarina**

September 2007 - August 2012 (5 years)

**Co-Founder & Chief Operating Officer at BioAlliance Pharma**

February 1997 - August 2010 (13 years 7 months)

**Co-Founder at Hemox Therapeutics**

1994 - 1999 (5 years)

**Preclinical Development Director at Hoechst Marion Roussel - HMR**

September 1990 - June 1997 (6 years 10 months)

**Medical Director at National Blood Center Paris**

September 1977 - September 1990 (13 years 1 month)

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**Skills & Expertise**

**Biotechnology**

**Clinical Development**

**Pharmaceutical Industry**

**Lifesciences**

**R&D**

**Hematology**

**Medicine**

**Drug Development**

**Pharmaceutics**

**Oncology**

**Technology Transfer**

**Health Economics**

**Clinical Trials**

**Medical Affairs**

**Drug Discovery**

**Biopharmaceuticals**

**Cancer**

**Infectious Diseases**

**Strategy**

**Venture Capital**

**Molecular Biology**

**Biochemistry**

**Market Access**

**Informatics**

**Life Sciences**

**Vaccines**

**Immunology**

**Medical Writing**

## **Pharmacovigilance**

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### Education

**Université Paris Descartes**

Medical Doctor, Medicine, 1968 - 1976

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"Expert dans le domaine des biotechnologies, excellent manager, très efficace dans un contexte associatif. (+ contact très sympathique)"

— **Corinne Haon**, was a consultant or contractor to Gilles at BioAlliance Pharma

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