## Catalent to Present its GPEx® Technology at 2009 BIO International Convention



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Research Triangle Park, NC – May 15, 2009 – Michael Jenkins, PhD, general manager of Catalent's Middleton, WI facility, will present at the 2009 BIO Process Theatre taking place at this year's BIO International Convention. Dr. Jenkins' talk will focus on Catalent's proprietary GPEx technology for mammalian cell culture engineering. The 2009 BIO International Convention takes place in Atlanta, GA, May 18-21.



Dr. Jenkins' presentation is titled "Bench to the Clinic: Using GPEx® Mammalian Cell Culture Engineering to Shorten Timelines, Reduce Risk, and Prepare for Success." Presentation abstract: The speed at which a recombinant protein product progresses through candidate selection, process development, toxicology production and cGMP manufacturing is of vital importance to both small and large biotechnology companies. Dr. Jenkins will present ways to balance risk, speed and cost as well as ways in which Catalent's proprietary

GPEx technology for mammalian cell line engineering facilitates this process.

Catalent's Middleton, WI facility is part of the organization's Respiratory, Analytical and Biotechnology group. The 43,000 sq. ft. site houses process development laboratories, R&D and QC laboratory space, and cGMP product dedicated manufacturing suites withstirred tank bioreactors. Middleton also performs the proprietary GPEx<sup>™</sup> technology for the engineering of high expressing, stable mammalian cell lines suitable for cGMP production of biopharmaceuticals.

## About

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