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JULIE BARNES-WEISE

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JULIE BARNES-WEISE, J.D., CLP, Executive Director of the Global Healthcare Innovation Alliance Accelerator, co-founded the non-profit GHIAA in the spring of 2016 as a spin-out of her work at Duke University as a Visiting Associate Professor of the Practice at Duke's Sanford School of Public Policy, and Director of the Sanford Innovation, Technology Policy project. The GHIAA MAPGuide, a guide to global health agreements, was launched in August 2020: www.ghiaa.org.

She is a lawyer, board member, business development executive and Certified Licensing Professional, and has been a member of the Licensing Executive Society since 1986. In October she will become a board member of LES.

Julie has been a Senior Business Development and Legal Consultant to the Coalition for Epidemic Preparedness Innovations (CEPI) for over three years. She has also been a consultant on partnering for the Pandemic Preparedness Framework initiative of the WHO, during which time she co-authored a paper on the success and failures of the Ebola Outbreak 2014 consortia and created a system for monitoring potential Priority Pathogen development partner matching.

Julie is also a Consultant and lecturer for the Duke Law School Access to Medicines course and a Board Member of the Medical University of South Carolina Foundation for Research and Development.

She is a former Director of Business Development at Glaxo Wellcome (now GSK), an attorney at SAS Institute, and founder and consultant for BioMatch, LLC for many years. She has decades of experience negotiating IP licenses and alliance agreements and advising health care companies and institutions on partnering strategies. She has consulted with both U.S. and European start-up companies and initiatives, including developing business development plans for venture capitalist-backed spin-out companies.