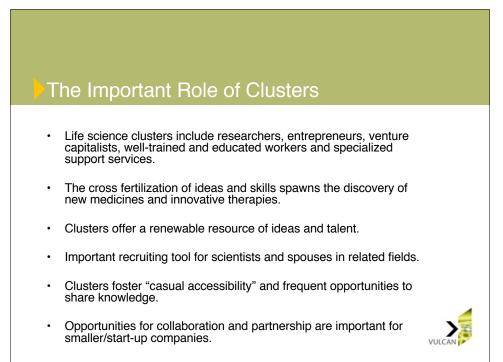


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South Lake Union Offers Important Competitive Advantages

- · Growing cluster of organizations fosters collaboration
- Existing presence of global leaders—Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center & Cancer Care Alliance
- University of Washington building strong presence in South Lake Union
- · Available development capacity to handle growth and expansion
- · City passed zoning amendments to accommodate special biotech needs
- · Offers R&D tax exemption
- Cost of living affordable relative to Boston, San Francisco & San Diego
- · Seattle is one of the top biotech centers in the nation
- Supportive City Council—passed resolution affirming the City of Seattle's commitment to making the South Lake Union area the region's most competitive location for biotech research

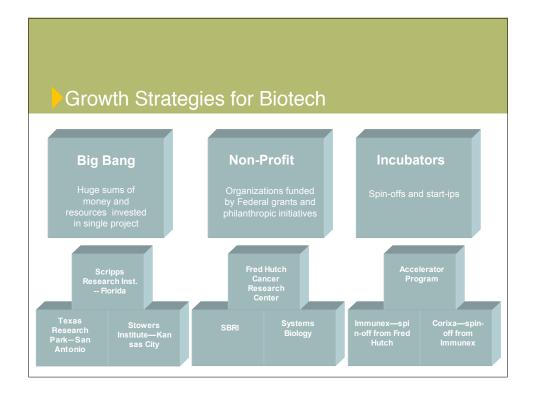


Important Attributes for Recruiting Biotech Companies

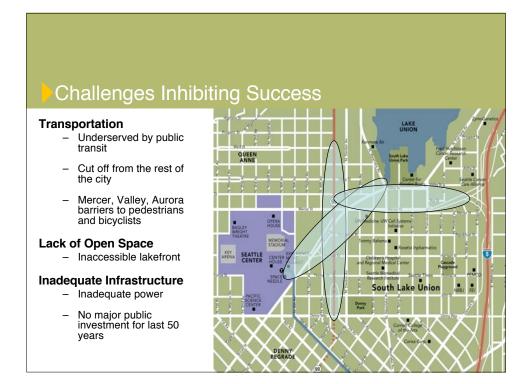
- Critical mass of other life science organizations to share ideas, collaborate on projects, participate in discoveries
- Competitive recruiting environment to attract top talent
- First class education system and proximity to a major research institution
- International airport and seaport
- Physical infrastructure-facilities, room for expansion
- Early stage venture capital
- · Entrepreneurial culture
- Political will and integrated biotech development strategy
- · Relatively cost effective land, buildings, utilities, work force
- Progressive tax and zoning environment
- Dynamic, robust communities with a mix of uses—shopping, cafes, daylife/nightlife and culture











Improving Life & Work for Existing Employees and Attracting More Great Organizations

- UW Medicine 300 employees in 2004, growing to 2,200 by 2009
- Seattle Biomedical Research Institute -200 employees in 2004, growing to 300 by 2007
- Children's Hospital Research 60 employees in 2004, growing to 100 by 2007
- Rosetta Inpharmatics 270 employees in 2004
- Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center currently 2,490 employees
- Seattle Cancer Care Alliance currently 595 employees
- Battelle Memorial Institute 140 employees in 2004
- Corixa 300 employees by end of 2004
- Tommy Bahama 325 employees in 2004
- NBBJ 430 employees in 2006
- Cornish College currently 1,200 students and faculty growing to 1,500 by 2006
- Zymogenetics 390 employees in 2004
- Skanska 175 employees in 2006
- Whole Foods 250 employees in 2007
- Pacific Retirement Systems 650 residents and employees by 2008









Return on Investment

Economic

- Positions region to capture next wave of economic growth—life sciences
- Creates new jobs for all skill levels
- Creates new tax revenue for city, county & state for increased social and educational services



Employment Growth Projections

	Direct Jobs	Indirect Jobs	Total Jobs
Full Build-out	23,710	30,027	53,737
Partial Build-out	15,059	15,014	30,073

Source: Potential Economic and Fiscal Impacts of South Lake Union Development Report. Dr. Paul Sommers, Ph.D.

Return on Investment

Community

- Allows revitalization of underutilized area
- Creates great streets and improves mobility along the Mercer Corridor
- Creates beautiful, accessible waterfront park
- Improves global health
- Improves the regional quality of life
- Creates new housing across income levels



Return on Investment

Environmental

- Accommodates growth in an urban area
- Supports growth management and prevents sprawl
- Creates a model for sustainable living
- Conserves natural resources
- Creates healthy work and living environments
- Creates green streets and wonderful open areas
- Reduces traffic and pollution



