

Advaxis Research Reception at SITC 2016 to Review Recent AXAL Highlights and the AXAL-Durvalumab Combination Poster

Reception to also feature update on ADXS-NEO: Personalizing Immunotherapy

PRINCETON, N.J., Oct. 11, 2016 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Advaxis, Inc. (NASDAQ:ADXS), a clinical stage biotechnology company developing cancer immunotherapies, today announced that the company will host a Research Reception during the Society for Immunotherapy of Cancer's (SITC) 31st Annual Meeting & Associated Programs. The Advaxis Research Reception at SITC 2016 will be held at 6:30 p.m. ET on Thursday, Nov. 10, in the Baltimore Ballroom 3 at the Gaylord National Hotel & Convention Center in National Harbor, Maryland.

During the reception, event speakers will:

- Discuss recent clinical insights on AXAL, the Company's lead product candidate;
- Review the preliminary data from the dose escalating portion of the AXAL and durvalumab combination study with the principal investigator;
- Survey the neoepitope landscape, including ADXS-NEO.

Attendees will also have the opportunity to view the three accepted abstracts featured at SITC and to ask questions of the lead authors. Refreshments will be served. Registration, which is required, can be completed online at: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/advaxis-sitc-research-reception-tickets-28365037591.

About Advaxis, Inc.

Located in Princeton, N.J., Advaxis, Inc. is a clinical-stage biotechnology company developing multiple cancer immunotherapies based on its proprietary Lm Technology. The Lm Technology, using bioengineered live attenuated Listeria monocytogenes (Lm) bacteria, is the only known cancer immunotherapy agent shown in preclinical studies to both generate cancer fighting T cells directed against cancer antigens and neutralize Tregs and myeloid-derived suppressor cells (MDSCs) that protect the tumor microenvironment from immunologic attack and contribute to tumor growth. Advaxis' lead Lm Technology immunotherapy, AXAL, targets human papillomavirus (HPV)-associated cancers and is in clinical trials for three potential indications: Phase 3 in invasive cervical cancer, Phase 2 in head and neck cancer, and Phase 2 in anal cancer. The FDA has granted AXAL orphan drug designation for each of these three clinical settings, as well as Fast Track designation for adjuvant therapy for HRLACC patients and

a Special Protocol Assessment for the Phase 3 AIM2CERV trial in HRLACC patients. AXAL has also been classified as an advanced therapy medicinal product for the treatment of cervical cancer by the European Medicines Agency's Committee for Advanced Therapies. Advaxis has two additional immunotherapy products: ADXS-PSA in prostate cancer and ADXS-HER2 in HER2 expressing solid tumors, in human clinical development. In addition, Advaxis and Amgen are developing ADXS-NEO, a preclinical investigational cancer immunotherapy treatment designed to activate a patient's immune system to respond against the unique mutations, or neoepitopes, contained in and identified from each individual patient's tumor, with plans to enter the clinic in 2017.

For additional information on Advaxis, visit http://www.advaxis.com/ and connect on Twitter, LinkedIn, Facebook, YouTube and Google+.

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