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## News Release

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### **Avantor® Experts to Present Latest on Protein Formulations, Value Creation Through Supplier Collaboration, Other Topics at BioProcess International Conference in Boston**

*Company will sponsor event and showcase portfolio of biopharmaceutical production solutions*

Radnor, PA (USA) – August 15, 2018 – [Avantor®](#) experts will be presenting at multiple technical sessions during the [BioProcess International Conference](#) September 4-7 at the Hynes Convention Center in Boston. Avantor will also sponsor the event, which covers topics across the entire bioprocessing industry.

#### **Select Discussions and Presentations**

On Wednesday, September 5, at 10:10 a.m., Avantor Vice President **Dr. Arvind Srivastava** will open the Drug Product, Fill-Finish & Formulation session with chairperson’s remarks, followed by a presentation titled “Managing Viscosity for High Concentration Protein Formulations.”

Also on Wednesday, Avantor Executive Vice President and Chief Technology Officer **Dr. Ashish Kulkarni** will conduct a lunch-and-learn educational session at 12:20 p.m. on the topic of “Effective Supplier Collaborations to Enhance Productivity in Biopharmaceutical Production.”

Kulkarni will discuss how supplier-enabled innovation combined with effective strategic collaboration is critical to drive value creation for the biopharmaceutical industry. The lunch and learn takes place in room 309.

#### **Exhibit Booth #1524**

Avantor will also showcase a full array of products, services and solutions the company now offers since its acquisition of VWR in November 2017. Operating as a single entity, with VWR as the company’s proven sales channel brand, Avantor provides biopharmaceutical production solutions spanning the full range of bioprocessing requirements—from upstream to downstream and fill and finish. The booth will feature Avantor’s complete portfolio, including:

- **Single-use Solutions** - including tank liners, tube sets, manifolds, connectors and filtration systems for upstream, downstream and final fill and finish
- **Sera** - including fetal bovine serum and calf serum sourced from a fully certified supply chain for traceability by the International Serum Industry Association (ISIA)
- **Production chemicals** of the highest quality and consistency, including cell culture supplements, buffers, surfactants, process chromatography resins and a full array of excipients

## Setting Science in Motion to Create a Better World

“From discovery to delivery, Avantor has what biopharmaceutical companies need,” said Kulkarni. “We are focused on helping solve the challenges that matter most to our customers, through the most complete, scalable range of high-quality products, ingredients and solutions in the bioprocessing industry.”

Kulkarni paid tribute to the groundbreaking new biologics that have been helping transform the treatment of many complex diseases and chronic conditions across the globe and noted that Avantor is eager to help the industry move to the next level.

“At Avantor, we have a mission: Setting science in motion to create a better world,” he said. “It inspires every facet of our newly merged company and the way all of our people are working to fully integrate our operations.”

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### About Avantor

Avantor® is a global manufacturer and distributor of high-quality products, services and solutions to professionals in the life sciences and advanced technology industries. As our channel brand, VWR offers an integrated, seamless purchasing experience that is optimized for the way our customers do business. Operating from over 30 countries worldwide, the company seeks to enable customer success in the biopharmaceutical, pharmaceutical, medical device, diagnostics, healthcare, educational, industrial, government, aerospace & defense, and semiconductor industries. For more information, visit [www.SettingScienceInMotion.com](http://www.SettingScienceInMotion.com).

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