

Stephen S. Tang, Ph.D., MBA

President & CEO

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Steve Tang became President & CEO of OraSure Technologies, Inc. (NASDAQ: OSUR) on April 1, 2018. OraSure is empowering the global community to improve health and wellness by providing access to accurate essential information. OraSure is a leader in point-of-care diagnostic tests, specimen collection devices, and microbiome laboratory and analytical services. Together with its wholly-owned subsidiaries (DNA Genotek, CoreBiome, Diversigen and Novosanis), OraSure provides its customers with value-added, end-to-end solutions that encompass tools, diagnostics and services. Dr. Tang previously served as Chairman of the Board of Directors (2016-2018) and was first elected to the Board in 2011.

Prior to April 2018, Dr. Tang served as President and CEO of the University City Science Center, the nation's first and largest urban research park, from 2008-2018. During that decade, Tang initiated, led, and implemented a strategic plan designed to transform the Science Center from a traditional real-estate focused research park to an innovation powerhouse. From 2005-2008, he was a senior executive with Olympus America, including leading their Life Science Group of business. Prior to that, he was an energy technology entrepreneur and a senior executive at two leading global management consulting firms.

Dr. Tang was re-appointed to the National Advisory Council on Innovation and Entrepreneurship (NACIE) in 2016 and served as NACIE co-chair through 2018. Previously, Tang served on the U.S. Department of Commerce's Innovation Advisory Board, 2011-2012.

Along with Pennsylvania Governor Tom Wolf, he co-chaired the Team Pennsylvania Foundation in 2015-2018, which bridges the gap between government and the private sector.

He has received numerous honors and awards, including the 2018 Leadership Award from the Association of University Research Parks, the 2018 Dennis Clark Solas Award from the Welcoming Center for New Pennsylvanians, Philadelphia Magazine's 2017 100 Most Influential Philadelphians (#28), City & State Pennsylvania's 2017 50 Over Fifty, Philadelphia Business Journal's 2017 Power 100, Rad-Girls.com's 2016 Rad Guy of the Year, and was one of Philadelphia Business Journal's 2015 Most Admired Chief Executive Officers.

Dr. Tang earned a doctorate in Chemical Engineering from Lehigh University, an M.B.A. from Wharton School of Business at the University of Pennsylvania, and a B.S. in Chemistry from the College of William and Mary. He also has been awarded honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degrees from Philadelphia University (now known as Thomas Jefferson University) and Philadelphia's Wagner Free Institute of Science.