



Executive Committee



## **Prof. Dr. Iris Löw-Friedrich**

**Executive Vice-President Global Projects and Development, and Chief Medical Officer**

- Joined UCB in September 2006
- Appointed in March 2008

Prof. Dr. med. Iris Löw-Friedrich is Executive Vice-President Global Projects and Development and Chief Medical Officer, UCB S.A. She provides strategic global leadership for project leadership, clinical development and regulatory affairs for UCB's portfolio of pipeline projects and products.

The mission of Global Projects and Development is to develop products with proven value for patients suffering from severe diseases. Dr. Löw-Friedrich also oversees UCB's Patient Solutions function, which places a strategic focus on better understanding the patient experience to deliver innovative solutions that reach beyond new medicines to improve the lives of patients.

Prior to taking on her current role in March 2008, Dr. Löw-Friedrich was UCB's Global Head of Development, during which time she oversaw clinical development of key neurology and immunology products. From 2001 to 2009, Dr. Löw-Friedrich also served as the head of Global Research and Development for Schwarz Pharma, which UCB moved to acquire in 2006. She was also on the Schwarz Pharma Executive Board.

Dr. Löw-Friedrich held several medical and R&D roles, including Vice-President and Head of Global Projects at BASF Pharma, Ludwigshafen, Germany; Vice-President, Head of Global Clinical Management, HMR/Aventis, and Therapeutic Area Head Rheumatology and Bone Diseases, Hoechst/HMR, Bridgewater, New Jersey.

Dr. Löw-Friedrich received her medical license and her PhD from Frankfurt University, Frankfurt, Germany, in 1985. From 1985 to 1992, Dr. Löw-Friedrich was the staff physician at the Department for Internal Medicine at the Frankfurt University Medical School, with sub-specialties in immunology, nephrology, and transplantation medicine. She is board-certified in internal medicine and holds a professorship at Frankfurt University Medical School.