

## Press Release

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### **Pablo Prado, Ph.D. Joins Progression as Chief Technical Officer**

**HAVERHILL, MA (December 15, 2009)**— Progression, Inc is proud to welcome aboard Dr. Pablo Prado to the position of Chief Technical Officer. With over 18 years of applied NMR experience, Dr. Prado will be an integral part in the success of Progression, Inc. His expertise is in portable NMR instrumentation and methods specializing in industrial, diagnostics, and security markets.

Dr. Prado's recent experience includes Vice President of System Development at T2 Biosystems and Senior Manager with the General Electric Company. At T2 Biosystems, Dr. Prado was responsible for the development of a point-of-care clinical diagnostic instrument based on the innovative use of magnetic resonance and nanotechnology. He demonstrated the ability to drive research and product development as well as evaluate new leads and business initiatives.

With the General Electric Company, Dr. Prado was involved in project planning and execution with extensive hands-on team leadership experience. He was a key component in the development of several portable magnetic resonance devices for applications ranging from landmine detection for the Office of Naval Research to noninvasive rocket motor testing for Lockheed Martin. He led several government contracts valued to up to \$15M.

"We are thrilled to have Pablo join our team here at Progression. His expertise in the field of NMR will be beneficial in our quest to improve environmental performance and renewable energy production," said Vaughn Davis, CEO of Progression, Inc.

Dr. Prado holds a Ph.D. in Physics from the University of New Brunswick and a Professional Project Management Certificate from the University of California, San Diego. He has an extensive record of innovative technology development, including patent awards and publication of book chapters and peer-reviewed articles.

#### **About Progression, Inc.**

Progression, Inc. ([www.progression-systems.com](http://www.progression-systems.com)) has an extensive background in the development and implementation of process NMR and holds a broad intellectual property portfolio in its use and application. In addition, the company provides process LIBS instrumentation, custom sampling systems, two-phase mass flow monitors and electrostatic charge measurement devices for monitoring unique applications within the chemical, energy and mining industries.

International business accounts for more than 60 percent of privately held Progression's overall revenues. Strong service and distribution in overseas markets including Europe, Asia, and the Middle East continue to provide exceptional expansion and growth opportunities for Progression.