# Gunderson Dettmer client Lyndra Therapeutics raises \$55M

Client News January 29, 2019

Gunderson Dettmer represented Lyndra Therapeutics, a developer of orally administered steady-state release pill, when it raised \$55M in a Series B financing. The round of funding was led by Polaris Partners, with new investors HOPU Investments, Gilead Sciences, Invus, the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation and Orient Life.

At the time of announcing Amy Schulman, co-founder and CEO of Lyndra Therapteutics, said in the press release, "The diversity and caliber of our investors, including those who joined this round, speaks to the importance of addressing unmet therapeutic need. I am proud of the speed with which the Lyndra team has moved from demonstrating feasibility to the clinic, and now we are well positioned to initiate additional Phase I clinical trials and continue our progress toward Phase II clinical trials."

The Gunderson Dettmer team was led by Tim Ehrlich with Vanessa Smith, Chris Sintetos and Joel Diamond.

### **Related People**





Timothy H. Ehrlich PARTNER P +1 617 648 9399



Vanessa A. Smith COUNSEL P +1 617 648 9128



Joel T. Diamond ASSOCIATE P +1 617 648 9136

### **Related Services**

Debt Financings & Secured Transactions Early-Stage Company

Featured Insights

#### **CLIENT NEWS**

Anduril Announces Acquisition of Klas to Advance Tactical Edge Computing and Communications

FIRM NEWS

Gunderson Dettmer Commemorates 2025 Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage (AAPI) Month

CLIENT NEWS

Prosus Leads US\$7.25M Financing of Zapia

CLIENT NEWS

Brazilian Carbon Capture Company Mombak Announces \$30M Financing

CLIENT NEWS

Latin American Fintech Clara Announces \$80 Million Financing

CLIENT NEWS

Africa B2B OmniRetail Announces \$20M Financing

CLIENT NEWS

Glacier Announces Series A Financing to Expand Robot Recycling Fleet

**CLIENT NEWS** 

Dataminr Announces \$100M Investment Led by Fortress Investment Group

**CLIENT NEWS** 

Omnidian Announces \$87M Series C for Renewable Energy Performance

INSIGHTS

Splitting the Pie: How Savvy Founders Divide Ownership and Navigate Other Founder Equity Decisions

CLIENT NEWS

Chainguard Announces \$356 Million Series D Led by Kleiner Perkins and IVP

INSIGHTS

## Client Insight: California AI Transparency Act