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NuTech Solutions Hires Dr. Mike Gould As Senior Scientist to Head Boston Office

Veteran researcher to manage large scale projects and head Boston operations

CHARLOTTE, NC – SEPTEMBER 1, 2004 – NuTech Solutions, a provider of Intelligent Business Engines™ that analyze, predict, optimize and adapt to deliver business insight, announced today that it has hired Dr. Mike Gould as Senior Scientist and leader of the Boston office effective August 30, 2004.

Dr. Gould brings more than 25 years of research expertise to the NuTech Solutions team and holds 8 patents and has authored over 110 papers. Dr. Gould, an outstanding scientist, has led large research teams and has assisted several organizations in commercializing intellectual property. His industry diverse experience ranges from academic to government and commercial research.

Most recently Dr. Gould served as Vice President, Research for United States Sugar Corporation. During his eight years at U.S. Sugar, Dr. Gould managed a \$5 million/year research program with 60 employees. Gould provided leadership and vision to the multi-disciplinary, cutting edge corporate research and development program.

"Dr. Gould's background in managing sizeable scientific teams as well as his commercial management experience makes him an ideal liaison for our key accounts and scientific staff," said Tom Wilson, CEO of Nutech Solutions. "His background, expertise and success with juggling multiple constituents will help our scientific team remain focused on the results of our solutions for our customers," said Dave Davis, Vice President of Product Research at NuTech Solutions "I first met Mike Gould seven years ago when we collaborated with his group to produce impressive increases in revenues for United States Sugar Corporation. I am very excited about the chance to work with Mike Gould again in the Boston office to create exciting and profitable solutions for our clients."

Dr. Gould holds a B. S. in Biology from University of Cincinnati and a Ph.D. from Michigan State University. He has received several awards including the U.S.D.A Distinguished Service Award, the Federal Laboratory Consortium Technology Transfer Award, the Agricultural Research Service Technology Transfer Award and the R&D 100 Award for his work on developing new processes for changing the properties of fiber ingredients and commercializing the products. Gould has served on the board of public schools as well as on the board of directors of a private school.

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