

# **Biotechnology Professionals List**

Renowned scientists (Just a few) who have made significant contributions to the field of biotechnology:

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### **Herbert Boyer**

Co-founder of Genentech, a pioneer in genetic engineering.

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#### Hamilton O. Smith

Awarded the Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine for discovering site-directed mutagenesis.

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# **Arthur Kornberg**

Nobel laureate for his research on DNA replication.

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# **Harold Varmus**

Nobel laureate for his research on cancer and growth factors.

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#### **Rosalind Franklin**

Known for her work on X-ray diffraction images of DNA, which led to the discovery of DNA s double helix structure.

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### **Emmanuelle Charpentier**

Co-discoverer of CRISPR-Cas9 gene-editing technology.

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Nobel laureate for his discovery of RNA interference.

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#### **Richard Roberts**

Nobel laureate for the discovery of split genes and mRNA splicing.

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# **Cynthia Kenyon**

Known for her work in the molecular biology of aging.

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# Feng Zhang

A prominent researcher in CRISPR gene-editing technology.

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#### Pamela Silver

Known for her work in synthetic biology and bioenergy.

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#### Katalin Karikó

Contributed to the development of mRNA vaccine technology.

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# Richard H. Ebright

A prominent scientist in molecular biology and biochemistry.

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#### Nina Fedoroff

Known for her work in plant molecular biology and biotechnology.

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# **Bert Vogelstein**

A leading cancer researcher known for his work on the genetic basis of cancer.

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## Luc Montagnier

Nobel laureate for the discovery of the human immunodeficiency virus (HIV).

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#### **Carol Greider**

Nobel laureate for her discoveries of the telomerase enzyme.

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# **Sydney Brenner**

Nobel laureate for his pioneering work in deciphering the genetic code.

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#### **James Watson**

One of the co-discoverers of the DNA double helix structure.