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XIAOHUA ZHANG	08/06/2019
REGINALD DONOVAN SMITH	07/19/2019
ZHEN LIU	08/06/2019
CHENGKUN ZHANG	08/13/2019
VANDANA KESKAR	08/06/2019
BRIAN MICHAEL DAVIS	08/06/2019
KASHAN SHAIKH	07/18/2019
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SIGNATURE:	/KEVIN H. VANDERLEEDEN/
DATE SIGNED:	08/07/2020
	This document serves as an Oath/Declaration (37 CFR 1.63).
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**COMBINED DECLARATION AND GLOBAL ASSIGNMENT
FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION**

As the below named inventor(s), we hereby declare that:

This declaration and assignment are directed to:

APPARATUS FOR FLUID LINE MANAGEMENT IN A BIOPROCESSING SYSTEM

- ☐ the specification of which is attached hereto OR
- ☒ United States application or PCT international application number
PCT/EP2019/053206 filed on 08 February 2019 as
amended on [date] (if applicable).
(We hereby authorize and request the Company or its delegated attorneys or
agents to insert above the application number and filing date of the
application when known.)

The above-identified application was made or authorized to be made by us.

We believe that we are original joint inventors of a claimed invention in the application.

We hereby acknowledge that any willful false statement made in this declaration is punishable under 18 USC § 1001 by fine or imprisonment of not more than five (5) years, or both.

We have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

We acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability of this application as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56, including, for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

In accordance with our obligation(s) under an Employee Innovation and Proprietary Information Agreement or (as applicable) arising out of other agreements (such as, but not limited to, the Services Agreement between General Electric Company or any of its affiliates, and our employers), and/or for other good and valuable consideration of which we acknowledge receipt, I/we,

Inventor First Name	Inventor Middle Name	Inventor Last Name		Residence Town	Residence State	Residence Country
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Alex	D	CORWIN		Niskayuna	NY	US
Xiaohua		ZHANG		Niskayuna	NY	US
Reginald	Donovan	SMITH		Niskayuna	NY	US
Zhen		LIU		Niskayuna	NY	US
Chengkun		ZHANG		Niskayuna	NY	US
Vandana		KESKAR		Niskayuna	NY	US
Brian	Michael	DAVIS		Niskayuna	NY	US
Kashan		SHAIKH		Niskayuna	NY	US

hereby sell and assign to:

Name of Company: General Electric Company
Entity Type (optional):
Address: 1 Research Circle, Niskayuna, New York 12309-1027, United States of America

herein referred to as "Company", its successors and assigns our entire respective rights, titles and interests in and to the invention and improvements made or conceived by us described in the application(s) listed above and in the following table:

Country of Filing	Type of Filing	Application Number	Filing Date	Title
US	Priority	15/893,336	09 FEB 2018	CELL EXPANSION VESSEL SYSTEMS AND METHODS
US	Priority	62/736,115	25SEP2018	BIOPROCESSING APPARATUS
US	Priority	62/736,125	25SEP2018	BIOPROCESSING VESSEL
US	Priority	62/736,130	25SEP2018	DISPOSABLE KIT FOR BIOPROCESSING
US	Priority	62/736,120	25SEP2018	APPARATUS FOR FLUID LINE MANAGEMENT IN A BIOPROCESSING SYSTEM
US	Priority	62/736,144	25SEP2018	SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR FLUID FLOW MANAGEMENT IN A BIOPROCESSING SYSTEM
US	Priority	62/736,154	25SEP2018	SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR BIOPROCESSING
US	Priority	62/736,143	25SEP2018	BIOPROCESSING METHODS FOR CELL THERAPY

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and any and all applications for patent and patents therefrom in any and all countries, including all divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, reexaminations, renewals, and reissues thereof, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of the application(s), and authorize and request any official whose duty it is to issue patents, to issue any patent on the inventions and improvements resulting therefrom to the Company, or its successors or assigns, and agree that on request and without further consideration, we will communicate to the Company or its representatives or nominees any facts known to us respecting the inventions and improvements and testify in any legal proceeding, make all rightful oaths, sign all lawful papers and execute all instruments or documents required or requested for the making and prosecution of any applications of any type for patent, utility model, or other similar rights in all countries including, but not limited to, any provisional, non-provisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, divisional, renewal or substitute thereof, for any derivation

any supplemental examination, derivation proceeding, opposition, post grant review, reissue, re-examination, inter partes review, or extension thereof, and generally do everything possible to aid the Company, its successors, assigns, and nominees to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for the invention and its improvements in all countries.

Remuneration claims of the inventor(s)/assignor(s) potentially arising from German Law on Employee Inventions, or any other respective country law, remain unaffected by this assignment.

INVENTOR 1

Signature: *Weston Blaine Griffin*
Weston Blaine GRIFFIN

Date: *Aug 6 2019*

Witnessed by: *Wei Gao*
Signature

Date: *Aug 6, 2019*

Wei Gao
Printed Name of Witness

Witnessed by: *John Graf*
Signature

Date: *Aug 6, 2019*

John Graf
Printed Name of Witness

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Weston Blaine GRIFFIN

Date: _____

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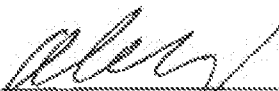
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This _____ day of _____, _____ before me personally came the above-named **Weston Blaine GRIFFIN**, to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

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(Notary Public)

INVENTOR 2

Signature: 
 Alex D CORWIN

Date: 7/12/19

Witnessed by: 
 Signature

Date: 7/12/19 el

EVELINA LOGHIN
 Printed Name of Witness

Witnessed by: 
 Signature

Date: 7/12/2019

Erik J. Kram
 Printed Name of Witness

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 Alex D CORWIN Date: _____

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INVENTOR 3

Signature: [Signature]
Xiaohua ZHANGDate: 8/6/2019Witnessed by: [Signature]
SignatureDate: 8/6/2019EVELYN LOGGIN
Printed Name of WitnessWitnessed by: Crystal m Chadwick
SignatureDate: 8/6/19Crystal m Chadwick
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..... Date:

Xiaohua ZHANG

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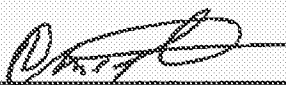
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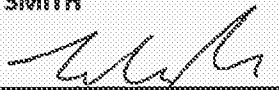
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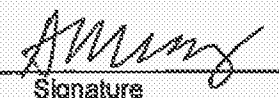
INVENTOR 4

Signature: 
 Reginald, Donovan SMITH

Date: 7/19/2019

Witnessed by: 
 Signature
Tran Chang Han
 Printed Name of Witness

Date: 7/19/2019

Witnessed by: 
 Signature
Anna Marie Cruz
 Printed Name of Witness

Date: 19 Jun 2019

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 Reginald, Donovan SMITH

Date: _____

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INVENTOR 5

Signature: Zhen LiuDate: 08/06/2019

Zhen LIU

Witnessed by: Chrystal m Chadwick
SignatureDate: 8/6/19Chrystal m Chadwick
Printed Name of WitnessWitnessed by: [Signature]
SignatureDate: 8/6/2019EVELINA LOGHIN
Printed Name of Witness

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Date: _____

Zhen LIU

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INVENTOR 6

Signature: Chengkun
Chengkun ZHANGDate: 8/13/2019Witnessed by: Joseph
SignatureDate: 8/13/19Joseph
Printed Name of WitnessWitnessed by: Marten
SignatureDate: 8/13/19Marten Byl
Printed Name of Witness**SECTION BELOW IS FOR USE ONLY IF SIGNING IN PRESENCE OF A NOTARY**Chengkun ZHANG

Date: _____

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INVENTOR 7

Signature: _____

Vandana KESKAR

Date: _____

6th Aug 2019

Witnessed by: _____

Signature

Date: _____

8/6/19

Crystal m Chadwick

Printed Name of Witness

Witnessed by: _____

Signature

Date: _____

6 Aug 2019

JASON CASRE

Printed Name of Witness

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Vandana KESKAR

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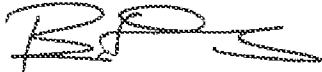
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This _____ day of _____, _____ before me personally came the above-named Vandana KESKAR, to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

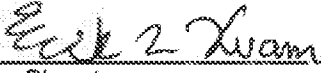
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INVENTOR 8

Signature: 
 Brian Michael DAVIS

Date: Aug 6, 2019

Witnessed by: 
 Signature

Date: 08/06/2019

Erik L. Kram
 Printed Name of Witness

Witnessed by: 
 Signature

Date: 08/06/2019

Andrea Pri
 Printed Name of Witness

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 Brian Michael DAVIS Date: _____

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INVENTOR 9

Signature: Kashan A Shaikh
Kashan SHAIKHDate: 7/18/2019Witnessed by: [Signature]
SignatureDate: 7/18/2019DAN MEYER
Printed Name of WitnessWitnessed by: [Signature]
SignatureDate: 7/18/2019John Nelson
Printed Name of Witness

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_____ Date: _____
Kashan SHAIKH

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