

Chad Ronholdt, B.Sc, MBA

Founder and Managing Director

NVB Ventures

Chad Ronholdt is Founder and Managing Director of NVB Ventures, a venture development firm offering entrepreneurial support for first time founders, start-up companies and technology scouting and negotiation for medical device and regenerative medicine companies. He is also Managing Director of New Vision BioLOGIC, a C-level advisory and consulting business. With over twenty-five years of experience in various scientific, operational and executive level positions within preseed start-ups and mid-cap biomedical companies, Mr. Ronholdt's distinguished career has resulted in the development, validation and commercialization of fifteen regenerative medicine orthobiologic and cell-based products for orthopedic spine, trauma, sports medicine and wound care markets.

Prior to NVB Ventures and New Vision BioLOGIC, Mr. Ronholdt was Co-Founder and CEO of Origin Biologics an orthobiologic medical device manufacturing company with national and international distribution of innovative solutions for spine and orthopaedic trauma surgical procedures. For the last ten years and two startup biomedical companies, Mr. Ronholdt has been actively involved in building and supporting startup ecosystems in Colorado, Nevada and Texas. He is passionate about sharing these experiences with new entrepreneurs and small business owners who are working to create innovative and disruptive solutions to complex problems that offer tremendous business opportunity.

Mr Ronholdt has seven (7) issued patents, published ten (10) peer-reviewed research publications and authored twenty-six (26) scientific abstracts. He has been invited to major symposia to present on topics ranging from complex microbiology validations, stem cell characterization methodologies, FDA compliance requirements and entrepreneurial strategies.

Mr. Ronholdt holds a B.Sc., in Microbiology from Colorado State University, an MBA from the University of Phoenix and resides in Dallas, Texas with his wife, Laurie Ronholdt, Esq. and two daughters (Rachel Mae and Evelyn).