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Kevin R. Campos received a B.S. degree in chemistry from Virginia Tech in 1993. In 1999, he obtained his Ph.D. from Harvard University under the guidance of Professor David A. Evans. Upon completing his doctoral studies, he joined the Department of Process Research and Development at Merck as a Senior Research Chemist. Over the last 18 years, taking several leadership roles of functions in the US and the UK, Kevin has established himself as a leader in both drug discovery and development.

In 2007, he was the recipient of the ACS Young Industrial Investigator's Award, and in 2008, he was the recipient of the Marcy Garb Award for Education and Training at Merck. Kevin is internationally recognized as author/co-inventor on over 75 publications, presentations and product patents. He is currently an Executive Director and leader of the Process Chemistry and Enabling Technologies group at Merck, where his team enables the Merck pipeline, from pre-clinical development to commercialization, through excellence in synthetic chemistry. His team was recently recognized with the Presidential Green Chemistry Challenge Award for innovations in synthetic chemistry and process development applied to the commercial manufacturing process for Letemovir.