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# **Verasonics Adds Mickael Tanter to its Scientific Advisory Board**

Professor Tanter is considered a pioneer in the field of ultrafast ultrasound and has developed medical applications based on his research in this area

Kirkland, WA, December 6, 2019 – Verasonics, the leader in research ultrasound, announced today the addition of Professor Mickael Tanter to its Scientific Advisory Board (SAB). The Verasonics SAB is comprised of ultrasound research scientists who have a wide range of expertise in the fields of biomedical ultrasound and materials science/non-destructive evaluation (NDE). The SAB was formed to assist Verasonics' leadership team to gain insight and feedback on new research activities, technologies and potential product concepts.

# **About Mickael Tanter**

Mickael Tanter is the Director at Physics for Medicine in Paris, France, a world-leading academic laboratory in biomedical ultrasound. Professor Tanter and his team are pioneers of ultrafast ultrasound and have developed many medical applications - including shear wave elastography, functional ultrasound imaging and ultrasound localization microscopy - from proof-of-concept studies to clinical translation. His laboratory develops new technologies for imaging and therapeutic purposes, addressing three major fields of medicine: cancer, cardiovascular diseases and neuroscience. Professor Tanter is also co-founder of several medical technology companies including Supersonic Imagine, CardiaWave and Iconeus. He was elected member of the European Academy of Science.

# **About Verasonics, Inc.**

Verasonics is a privately held company founded in 2001, with headquarters in Kirkland, Washington, USA. Verasonics is the leader in research ultrasound and is focused on providing researchers and developers with the most advanced and flexible tools enabling them to develop new algorithms and products used in biomedical ultrasound, materials science, earth sciences, and the physics of acoustics and ultrasonics. Verasonics also licenses its technology to companies for use in their commercial products. Verasonics has customers located more than 30 countries across North and South America, Europe, the Middle East and the Asia-Pacific region.