

INSPIREMD, INC.

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): September 13, 2011

InspireMD, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation)

333-162168

(Commission File Number)

26-2123838

(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

3 Menorat Hamaor St.
Tel Aviv, Israel

(Address of principal executive offices)

67448

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 972-3-691-7691

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

InspireMD, Inc. (the “Company”) is furnishing the text of presentation materials as Exhibit 99.1 to this report pursuant to Regulation FD promulgated by the Securities and Exchange Commission (the “SEC”). These materials will be used by the Company’s management on September 13, 2011 at the Rodman & Renshaw Annual Global Investment Conference.

The information in this Current Report and the accompanying exhibits is being furnished and shall not be deemed “filed” for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the “Exchange Act”), or incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

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Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Number	Description of Exhibit
99.1	Slide show presentation of InspireMD, Inc.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

INSPIREMD, INC.

Date: September 13, 2011

By: /s/ Craig Shore

Name: Craig Shore

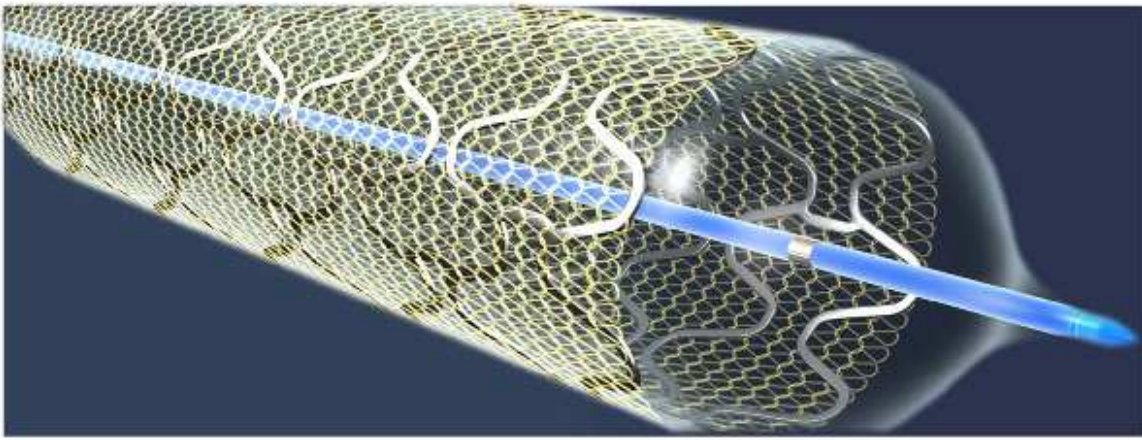
Title: Chief Financial Officer

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InspireMD

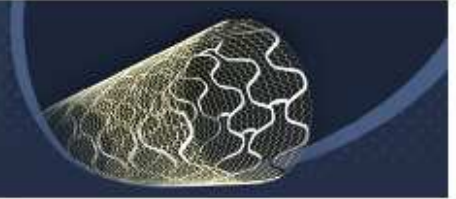
M GUARD



**A stent solution that addresses an unmet need in
the heart attack market**

September 2011

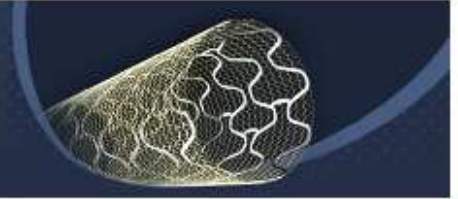
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The Problem:



Heart Attacks (Acute MI) Can Be Deadly



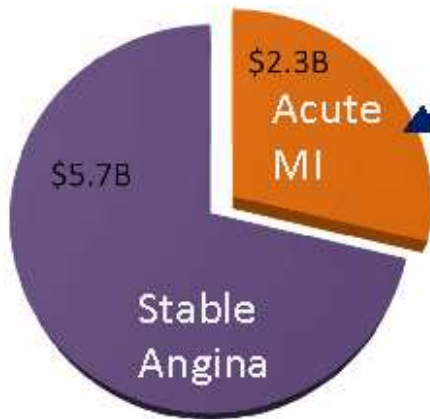
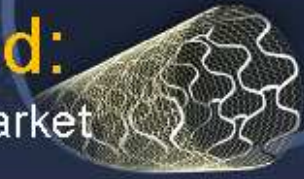
Minor heart attack
(single occlusion)
Blood flow is not
interrupted

Debris goes
down stream
closing tiny
arteries

Downstream
embolization
leads to **major**
heart attack

Addressing an Unmet Need:

Competition Neglects Huge and Growing Market



MGuard's Target Market

- Inadequate outcome as **Current** stents were designed primarily for the **Stable Angina** population
- Favorable growth demographics
 - Developing countries
 - Increase in awareness

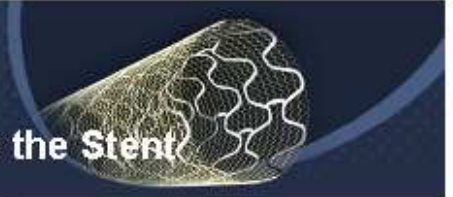
Stable Angina (Chest Pain)

- Mature market
- Low-risk procedures
- Excellent outcomes from existing stent technology
- Dominated by three companies:

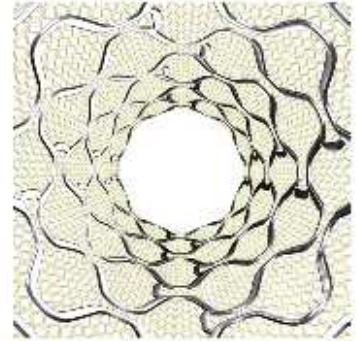


InspireMD's MGuard

Patent-Pending Mesh Net Technology that Wraps the Stent

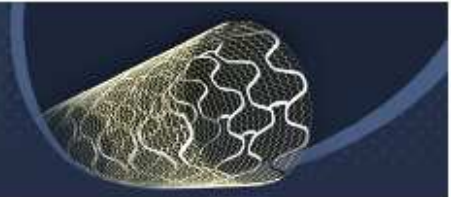


- **Embololic protection**
 - Safer procedures by filtering plaque and debris
- **Spreads struts pressure**
 - Reduces injury
- **Identical deliverability to other stents**
- **Excellent endothelialization**



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**Growing acceptance
by physicians**

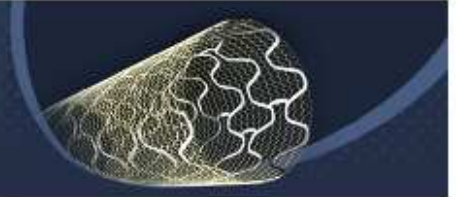
MGuard Historical Trials



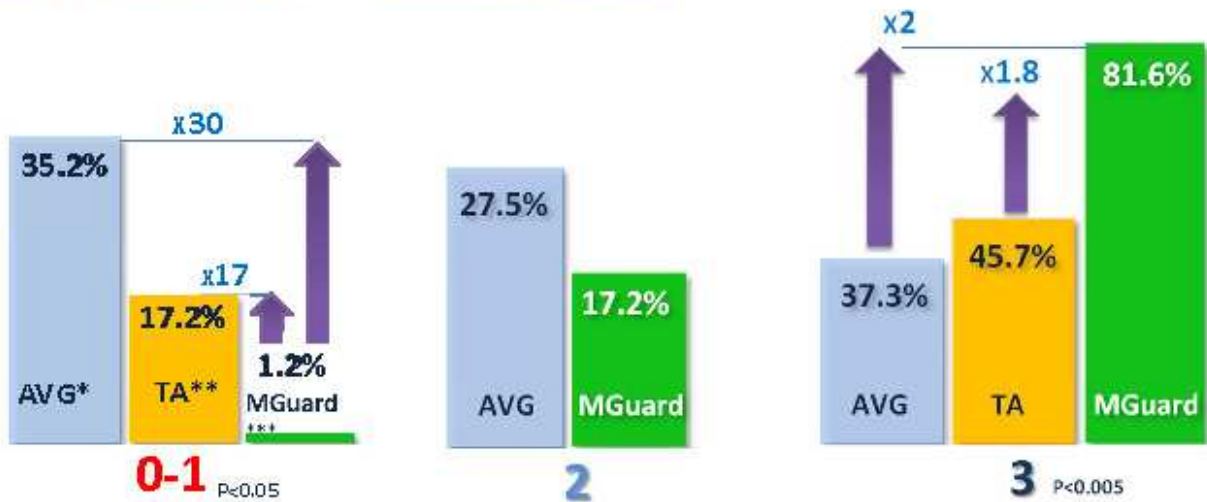
Author/PI	No. of patients / Population		End Points
✓ MAGICAL, Dariusz Dudek, Poland	60	STEMI	BLUSH, TIMI, MACE at 30 d, 6M, 1 YR
✓ Federico Piscione, Italy	100	STEMI	ST Resolution, BLUSH,
✓ Jain Ajay, Roshan Weerackody, UK	51	STEMI	TIMI, ST resolution, 1 YR MACE
✓ iMOS Registry, GB Danzi, Italy	203	STEMI	TIMI, Blush, MACE at 30d
● First in Man, Eberhard Grube, Germany	41	Stable Angina, SVG	MACE at 30d, 6M
● Alexandre Abizaid, São Paulo, Brazil	30	SVG, ACS	MACE, TVR, at 30d, 1 YR
● Eugenio Martuscelli, Italy	22	SVG	TIMI
● Hana Vaknin-Assa, Ran Kornowski, Israel	41	SVG	TIMI, MACE at 30d, 6 months
● Varshitzky, Boguslavsky, Hadasaah, Israel	38	STEMI, SVG	TIMI

- MGUARD:**
- **586 patients under trials**
 - **414 STEMI patients under trials**

Blush Grade: MGuard Outperforms BMS/DES



MGuard 414 Acute MI/STEMI patients vs. BMS/DES/Aspiration in ~5000 AMI patients in historical trials

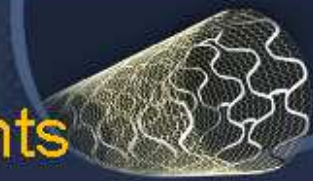


Blush Grade "A strong predictor for adverse events"

7 * CONTROL, AVG 6 Trials, N=5124, CADILLAC, HORIZONS, TAPAS, EXPORT, EXPIRA, REMEDIA Trials
 ** TA, TAPAS Aspiration arm, N=535
 *** MGuard, N=414, meta-analysis Company and investigator sponsored trials



MGuard advantage in all Major Adverse Cardiac Events



Major Adverse Cardiac Events

* CONTROL, AVG 6 Trials, N=5124

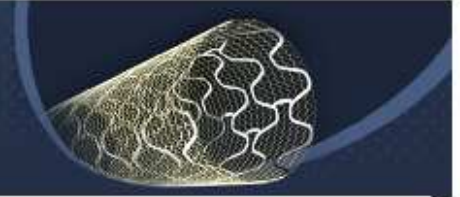
**Horizons Trial DES ARM, N=2257

*** Horizons Trial (AVG BMS & DES Outcome)

**** MGuard, N=414, meta-analysis Company and investigator sponsored trials

MACE: Cardiac Death, Myocardial Infarction (heart attack) and TLR

Establishing MGuard Superiority



MASTER TRIAL

FDA

Enrollment Start-End	Q3/2011 – Q2/2012	Q2/2012 – Q3/2013
Objective	Superiority over BMS and DES in achieving better myocardial reperfusion	Superiority over BMS in better myocardial reperfusion
Primary End Points	21% increase in frequency of complete ST resolution from 60% to 73%	30% increase in BLUSH Grade3 from 40% to 51%, non inferiority in TVF
Secondary End Points	Blush, TIMI, 30d; MACE at 6M; 1YR	MACE at 1YR
Follow Up	12 months	12 months
Population	432, STEMI , Randomized 1:1 vs. BMS/DES	654, STEMI Randomized 2:1 vs. VISION stent (BMS)
Chairman, PIs	Chairman: Gregg W. Stone (Columbia University, USA) , PIs: Alexandre Abizaid (Brazil), Dariusz Dudek (Poland), Sigmund Silber, (Germany)	Chairman: Donald Cutlip Harvard Clinical Research Institute (HCRI)

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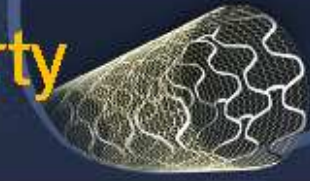
Enrolling

Protocol approval pending



Inspire Intellectual Property

10 Patents (pending)



- First patent priority date: **May 2005**
- Initial filing: PCT, US,
- Stent Platform has US **freedom to operate legal opinion**

IP protects key attributes of mesh technology:

Anchoring

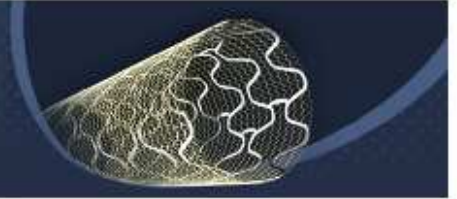
Snow shoe effect

Drug delivery

Macro structure

Minimal fiber width for excellent endotilization

MGuard Positioning



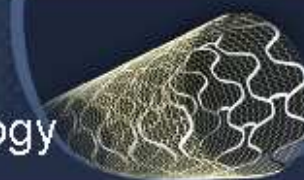
- ✓ Price: ~Drug Eluting Stent
- ✓ Majority of cases:
Acute Coronary Syndromes
- ✓ MGuard is becoming a 3rd Tool
Creates viable stent option for
heart attacks



Actual European catheter lab cabinet and stent inventory

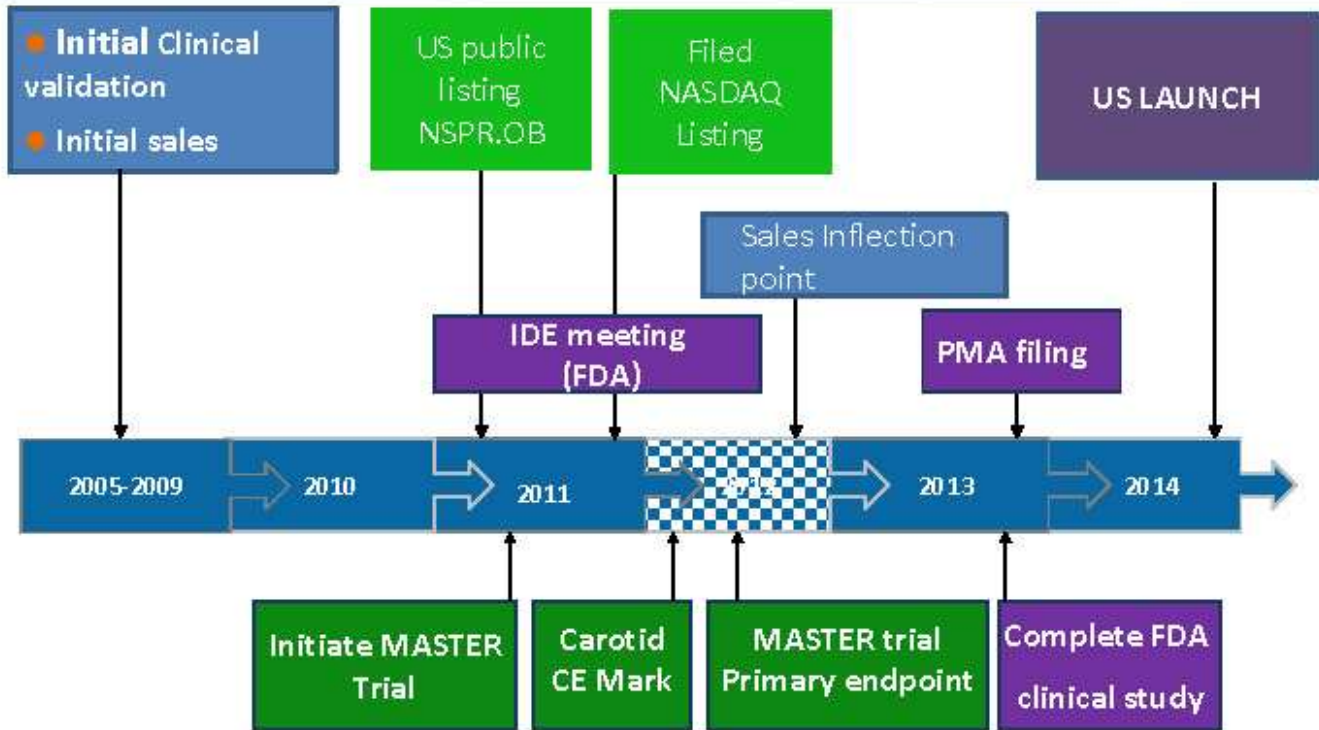
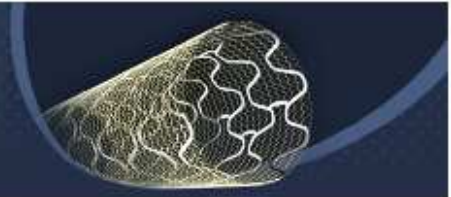
Product Pipeline

Building on InspireMD's Platform Technology

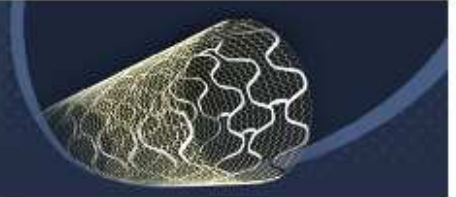


Product Candidate	Addressable Market	Approval Stage
MGuard + MGuard Prime	\$2.3B	Launched in Europe, South America, Canada, Australia 
Carotid MGuard	\$3.0B	 CE Mark by Q1/2012 
Peripheral MGuard	\$1.0B	
Drug Eluding Mesh	\$5.5B	
Cerebral Aneurisms	\$1.0B	

InspireMD Timeline



Executive Management



CEO
Ofir Paz, MSEE/MBA

- Proven entrepreneur with strong track record of creating shareholder value
- CEO and Founder of Peach Networks, acquired by Microsoft in 2000
- Headed Microsoft TV Platform Group in Israel from 2000 - 2002
- Director of several high tech and medical startup companies since 2002
- Officer in Israeli Defense Force



President
Asher Holzer, PhD

- Over 25 years of experience in advanced medical devices
- Johnson & Johnson's Worldwide Cardio System Manager
- Leadership roles with Biosense and Kevex Corporation
- CEO and founder of Adar Medical, an investment firm specializing in medical device startups.
- Led investments in Cyber Stent, Vasculogix, NVR, and Theracoat.
- Officer in Israeli Defense Force



CTO of InspireMD, Ltd.
Eli Bar, BSc

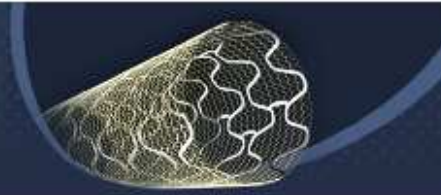
- Over 15 years experience in medical device product development, including top-level executive positions
- Expertise in building complete R&D infrastructure & team management
- Numerous inventions including a synthetic vascular graft for femoral and coronary artery replacement, a covered stent, and a fully implantable VAD



CFO
Craig Shore, MBA

- Over 25 years experience in financial management in the USA, Europe and Israel
- Served in various senior financial and general management roles at Pfizer, Bristol Myers Squibb, and Dunn and Bradstreet
- Experience includes raising capital both in the private and public markets
- Former CFO of RIT Technologies (NASDAQ)

Financial Summary



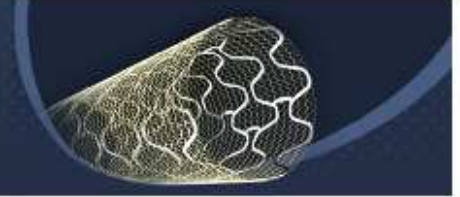
- NSPR.OB common stock listed on OTCBB
- Private Placement Mar-Apr 2011
 - 7.4 MM shares at \$1.50
 - 3.7 MM warrants at \$1.80 exercise price
- \$8.4 MM cash balance*
- 64.2MM shares outstanding**



*As of June 30, 2011

**Fully diluted share count is 81.1 MM including warrants

MGuard Highlights



- **Addressing the \$2.3B Acute MI Market**

- ~**2M** patients/yr, high risk, un-met need,
- **limited competition**
- Favorable demographics for **growth**

- **Great Adaptation**

- **CE Mark** Approved
- ~**20,000** (Q2/2011) stents sold, ~**15,000** deployed in First World countries
- **Encouraging outcomes** compared to the industry

- **Path to Global Distribution**

- Pursuing FDA approval by 2014
- Partnered with **Harvard** Clinical Research Institute for the FDA

Thank You

