Advaxis's Lm-LLO Immunotherapy Data to be Presented in Three Posters at the Society for Immunotherapy of Cancer 29th Annual Meeting

PRINCETON, N.J., Oct. 14, 2014 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Advaxis, Inc. (Nasdaq:ADXS), a cancer immunotherapy company, today announced that preclinical and clinical data highlighting the potential of its proprietary Lm-LLO immunotherapy technology to treat cancers have been selected for three poster presentations at the Society for Immunotherapy of Cancer (SITC) 29th Annual Meeting, November 6-9, 2014 at the Gaylord National Hotel and Convention Center in National Harbor, Maryland.

The first poster entitled, "A recombinant HER2/neu expressing Listeria monocytogenes (Lm-LLO) immunotherapy delays metastatic disease and prolongs overall survival in a spontaneous canine model of osteosarcoma – a Phase I Clinical Trial," is scheduled to be presented by Nicola J. Mason, BVetMed, Ph.D., DACVIM, and Pamela Cole, Chair in Companion Animal Medicine, Assistant Professor of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania's School of Veterinary Medicine, in the poster session on Friday, November 7, 2014 (poster #69).

A second poster entitled, "Lm-LLO immunotherapies targeting multiple antigens and their impact on different mechanisms in the tumor microenvironment," is scheduled to be presented by Anu Wallecha, Ph.D, Director Research and Development, Advaxis, Inc., in the poster session on Friday, November 7, 2014 (poster #77).

A third poster entitled, "ADXS11-001 Lm-LLO therapeutic cancer immunotherapy: final results and long-term survival data from a randomized phase 2 study in recurrent cervical cancer," is scheduled to be presented by Robert Petit, Ph.D., Chief Scientific Officer, Advaxis, Inc., in the poster session on Saturday, November 8, 2014 (poster #106).

About SITC

The Society for Immunotherapy of Cancer (SITC) is a 501 (c)(3) non-profit medical professional society of influential scientists, academicians, researchers, clinicians, government representatives, and industry leaders from around the world dedicated to improving cancer patient outcomes by advancing the science and application of cancer immunotherapy. Currently, SITC has more than 800 members representing 17 medical specialties and are engaged in research and treatment of at least a dozen types of cancer.

Through emphasis on high-caliber scientific meetings, dedication to education and
outreach activities, focus on initiatives of major importance to the field, and commitment to collaborations with like-minded organizations and patient advocacy groups, SITC brings together all aspects of the cancer immunology and immunotherapy community in an effort to make cancer immunotherapy one of the four standards of care and the word "cure" a reality for cancer patients living with this disease.

About Advaxis, Inc.

Advaxis is a clinical-stage biotechnology company developing multiple cancer immunotherapies based on its proprietary platform intended to redirect the immune system to kill cancer. The Advaxis Lm-LLO technology, using bioengineered live attenuated Listeria monocytogenes bacteria, is the only known cancer immunotherapy agent shown in preclinical studies to both generate cancer fighting T-cells directed against a cancer antigen and neutralize Tregs and MSDCs, that protect the tumor microenvironment from immunologic attack and contribute to tumor growth. Advaxis’s lead immunotherapy, ADXS-HPV, targets human papillomavirus (HPV)-associated cancers and is in clinical trials for three indications: Phase 2 in invasive cervical cancer, Phase 1/2 in head and neck cancer, and Phase 1/2 in anal cancer. The FDA has granted Advaxis orphan drug designation for each of these three indications. The Company plans to initiate a registration clinical program for cervical cancer in 2015 and has established licensing partners in India and Asia for commercialization in those regions. Advaxis is planning to evaluate the combination of ADXS-HPV with an anti-PD-L1 immune checkpoint inhibitor in HPV-associated cervical cancer and head and neck cancer.

Advaxis's second Lm-LLO immunotherapy candidate in clinical testing will be ADXS-PSA, which is being developed to address prostate cancer. Advaxis is planning to file an IND with the FDA and initiate a Phase 1/2 clinical study with ADXS-PSA alone and in combination with a PD-1 checkpoint inhibitor. Advaxis is also developing Lm-LLO immunotherapy ADXS-cHER2, to target the Her2 receptor overexpressing cancers. Her2 is overexpressed in certain solid-tumor cancers, including pediatric bone cancer (or osteosarcoma), breast cancer, esophageal, and gastric cancer. Advaxis is developing ADXS-cHER2 for both human and animal-health, and has seen promising results in canine osteosarcoma, which is considered a model for human osteosarcoma. Advaxis is planning to file an IND for ADXS-cHER2 in Her2 overexpressing cancers and to conduct a clinical program in pediatric osteosarcoma. Advaxis has licensed ADXS-cHER2 and three other immunotherapy constructs to Aratana Therapeutics, Inc.

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Forward-Looking Statements

This news release contains forward-looking statements, including, but not limited to: statements regarding Advaxis's ability to develop the next generation of cancer
immunotherapies; the safety and efficacy of Advaxis's proprietary immunotherapy, ADXS HPV; whether Advaxis immunotherapies can redirect the powerful immune response all human beings have to the bacterium to cancers. These forward-looking statements are subject to a number of risks, including the risk factors set forth from time to time in Advaxis's SEC filings, including but not limited to its report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended October 31, 2013, which is available at http://www.sec.gov. Advaxis undertakes no obligation to publicly release the result of any revision to these forward-looking statements, which may be made to reflect the events or circumstances after the date hereof or to reflect the occurrence of unanticipated events, except as required by law. You are cautioned not to place undue reliance on any forward-looking statements.

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