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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION 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):

June 9, 2016

ACACIA RESEARCH CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	000-26068	}	95-4405754
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation			
520 Newport Center Drive Newport Beach, California (Address of principal executive offices)	92660 (Zip Code)		
Registrant's telephone number, including		(949) 480-8300	
(Former name or former address if shor	Not applied		
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Check the appropriate box below if the F	form 8-K filing	is intended to sir	multaneously satisfy the filing obligation of
the registrant under any of the following	provisions (see	General Instruct	tion A.2. below):
[ ] Written communications pursuant t	o Rule 425 und	ler the Securities	Act (17 CFR 230.425)
[ ] Soliciting material pursuant to Rule	14a-12 under	the Exchange Ac	et (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
Pre-commencement communication	ns pursuant to I	Rule 14d-2(b) und	der the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
		` '	der the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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### Item 8.01 Other Events.

Bonutti Skeletal Innovations LLC, a subsidiary of Acacia Research Corporation, entered into a settlement and license agreement with Globus Medical Inc. This agreement resolves patent litigation, Civil Action No. 2:14-cv-6650, pending in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

### **SIGNATURE**

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

### ACACIA RESEARCH CORPORATION

Date: June 9, 2016 By:/s/ Marvin Key

Name: Marvin Key

Title: Interim Chief Executive Officer