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INTRO

Europe's non-stop biotech calendar

As the life sciences grow in significance not only in pharma development but also in the production of biobased chemical building blocks, the number of post-BIO events in Europe has skyrocketed. From partnering to scientific congresses, from product shows to technology offerings – this coming autumn is one long series of highlights that could have an impact on your business. Whether you're looking for a licensing partner, need financing or just want to find out more about the latest developments in R&D equipment and services, you'll find everything you need to know about what each event provides in this edition of the Euro Biofairs Compass.

In September, the emerging Baltic region will see the **Life Sciences Baltics 2014** in Vilnius (10-12 September). The mix of conference, partnering event and exhibition attracted more than 800 international attendees when it kicked off two years ago. Over 250 companies from all over the world – among them 100 exhibitors and 27 sponsors – had already confirmed by May that they would be participating. And **Biospain 2014** (24-26 September) organiser ASE-BIO also expects to achieve new records in terms of visitors and participating companies on the 15th anniversary of Spain's main

biotech event. Bio-based industry trends will be highlighted by market leaders in the field during the **European Forum for Industrial Biotechnology and the Biobased Economy** (30 September- 2 October) being held in Reims (France). Last year, the EFIB attracted more than 700 stakeholders, according to organiser EuropaBio, whose member associations are also hosting the 2nd edition of the **European Biotech Week** (6-12 October) to communicate the benefits of biotechnology to the public. The continent's most important meeting for pharma developers and suppliers, the **CPhI Worldwide**, will bring

the sector to Paris from 7-9 October 2014. In tandem with three other special events, the show that attracted 2,200 exhibitors and 34,000 visitors last year will have 20 "topical" zones ranging from APIs and biopharma to contract services and even packaging.

The partnering zone

Companies aiming to expand in the Far East would be well-advised to attend the **BioJapan 2014** (15-17 October). This year, Asia's largest biotech event will feature over 220 presentations and sessions with top Asian executives. International cooperation and tech transfer in growing eastern European markets will be at the focus of **Bioinnovation 2014**, which takes place in Gdansk this year (October 20-21). That will be closely followed by the EBD's **BioEurope 2014** partnering event (November 3-5), which provides the perfect meeting point for biotechs, investors and pharma executives in Frankfurt/Main (Germany). Business, business and more business will be in the limelight at the 56th edition of the **euroPLX** meeting, which is aimed at business development executives. The popular partnering event will take place this time in mid-November (17-18) in the sunny Mediterranean city of Nice.

From analytics to bioeconomy

Staff at pharma firms shouldn't miss the chance to explore up-to-date analytics, bio-analytic and microbiology information available at **PharmaLab Congress** (November 19-20) – an event taking place for the second time in Düsseldorf/Neuss (Germany). Topics there will range from leachable/extractable impact on formulations to new regulatory requirements. Biomarker development in industry and academia will be in the limelight of the 4th **Munich Biomarker Conference** (November 25-26). And late in the year (December 2-3), the 3rd **Conference on Carbon Dioxide as Feedstock for Chemistry and Polymers** in Essen will illuminate the new paradigm of the CO₂ economy. Last year, organiser novalnstitut GmbH brought 300 players to the German city.

Just turn the page to find out all you need to know about Europe's wide array of upcoming biotech sector events! ◀



Partner, network, showcase – the second half of 2014 offers plenty of opportunities

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LIFE SCIENCES BALTICS

Fast-growing gateway

The Life Sciences Baltics Event 2014 (LSB 2014) is an excellent opportunity to meet 800 key sector players and decisionmakers, to learn about EU funding opportunities, to share your ideas at the international conference, exhibition and networking events, and to discover state-of-the-art scientific infrastructure and investor-ready start-ups in the Baltics.

The Life Sciences Baltics forum is an international life sciences event for biotechnology, pharma and medical device experts from around the world – the only one in the Baltics. It represents the significant potential of the life sciences industries in the Baltic states of Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania.

The first LSB forum back in 2012 kicked-off with a strong message about the region's potential. After a keynote address by Nobel Prize laureate Prof. Ada Yonath,

more than 60 lecturers and 800 participants helped make the Baltics showcase exhibition of 42 exhibitors a success. The event also saw more than 2,000 B2B meetings, while 16 local companies were visited by 250 participants. Life-science grandees like Merck (Germany), Teva (Israel), Baxter (US), P&G (UK), Genzyme (Israel), Parexel (US) and GSK (UK) were in attendance.

The place and timing for a forum of this kind is no accident, since Lithuania's life

Life Sciences Baltics
Vilnius, September 10 – 12, 2014

10–12 September, 2014

Lithuanian Exhibition and Congress Centre LITEXPO, Vilnius, Lithuania

sciences industry has been going strong for over two decades, and is now regarded as one of the most advanced in central and eastern Europe. The biotech and pharma research and production sectors has seen average annual growth of over 22%, while more than 80% of the sector's products were exported. The success of the Lithuanian biotech industry is founded on the country's well-developed educational system, which includes 16 academic institutions and 15 competent R&D centers. With a talent pool of 15,000 researchers/specialists and over 100 companies operating in the life sciences space, the country is on a fast-track to become one of Europe's top high-tech innovation addresses. To support development, €400m in investment into five research valleys has been secured by the Lithuanian government.

The upcoming Life Sciences Baltics 2014 forum will be held on 10-12 September in Vilnius, and Lithuanians are looking forward to hosting the event. Discover more at www.lsb2014.com

GREETING

Discover enormous potential in the Baltics



Ladies and gentlemen, welcome to the Baltics – the gateway to opportunities. Our countries' strong foundation in the life sciences has given us the chance to

develop an industry that is attractive to international investors. The second international Life Sciences Baltics 2014 forum being held in Vilnius provides the perfect opportunity for world-class biotechnology, pharmaceutical and medical experts from all over the world to explore new horizons in partnerships, exchange ideas and make progress through networking. See you there!

Mantas Nocius
Enterprise Lithuania
Managing director

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REGISTRATION

Early Bird registration until 1 August
Late registration until 1 September

AGENDA

International Conference & Exhibition,
B2B Partnership Event, Company Visits,
Start-up pitch session for investors

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biospain 2014

24 – 26 September 2014
Galicia Congress & Exhibition Palace
Santiago de Compostela, Spain

GREETING

Open innovation and an open spirit

This year, BioSpain has strengthened its international presence and brought in the 'Open Innovation' model that is starting to play a dominant role across all economic sectors.



Through the incorporation in this edition of this model, ASEBIO has passed control over some of the content to high-profile partners, including the 10 science sessions organised by scientific and medical societies and the International Seminar on Personalised Medicine organised by Roche for this year's fair.

Another new feature of Biospain in 2014 will be the Stakeholder Forum, which has been designed with the same open spirit, offering content aimed at and created by 'non-professionals' like patients, consumers and job-seekers, who will have their own fair within the event. It will be the first time that some of this content is broadcast via a live stream (<http://asebio.5avd.tv/live>) allowing debates to take place on social networking sites before, during and after the session.

Regina Revilla
President of ASEBIO



BIOSPAIN

Finding new niches

Coinciding in its 7th edition with the Year of Biotechnology in Spain and ASEBIO's 15th anniversary, BioSpain is the main biotechnology event in the country and the biggest country-based event in Europe. Since 2012, BioSpain has been a leading international biotech conference – the fifth-largest globally in terms of partnering meetings and participating companies.

This year's fair has been conceived as a meeting point for the innovative healthcare community. The event will not only be aimed at health, pharmaceutical products or the biotech industry, but also at biomedical research centres – particularly at hospitals committed to technology transfer and research, which ASEBIO categorises as Entrepreneurial Hospitals. A newly-developed pillar for this edition of BioSpain is a diversification towards other biotechnology user markets like the chemicals, food and cosmetics industries, as well as new business niches such as ma-

rine and forest biotechnology and the bio-economy.

BioSpain 2014 has also incorporated a new 'Biolatam Showcase' module for providing continuity between editions of the Latin American version of the event. It is designed to be a 'display window' for that part of the world. We are also aiming to bolster the presence of companies in leading markets like those in the US and the UK, without neglecting important emerging economies such as Russia and Mexico.

350 companies and institutions from 20 countries have already confirmed they will be participating, and the event has so far registered over 100 exhibitors, 27 sponsors, 23 collaborating entities and around 100 international companies. This fall we expect to attract 2,000 participants, 10% more than in 2012, exceeding the benchmark of 800 companies and institutions from 40 countries set that year. 40 specialised funds from all over the world will be at the investors' forum alone, while leading figures from alliances involving pharma companies and a large number of biotech firms, as well as leading researchers from multiple disciplines, have already confirmed they'll be attending.

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BIOSPAIN 2012 RECAP

- 1,852 delegates
- 1,357 delegates in partnering system
- 217 exhibitors
- 29 breakout & scientific sessions
- 30 international investors

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1.850 delegates
762 companies
217 exhibitors
29 breakout & scientific sessions
25 countries represented

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30 international investors
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EUROPEAN FORUM FOR INDUSTRIAL BIOTECHNOLOGY & THE BIOBASED ECONOMY

1-to-1 with the experts

With 800 attendees expected, the 7th edition of the European Forum for Industrial Biotechnology and the Biobased Economy (EFIB) is one of Europe's largest and most important gatherings for the industrial biotechnology sector. The three-day event, which this year will be held in the city of Reims (France), will bring together industrial biotech visionaries, expert speakers and early adopters of biobased technologies.

With the adoption of the Common Agricultural Policy, the research and innovation programme Horizon 2020 and the regulation establishing a Joint Undertaking for Biobased Industries, important pieces of legislation have been put in place that will contribute towards the creation of a more competitive and sustainable biobased economy. However, key challenges remain, such as achieving global scale-up and financing biobased industries in their first commer-

cial operations. These challenges will be addressed at this year's European Forum for Industrial Biotechnology and the Biobased Economy in Reims. EFIB will again attract an unrivalled calibre of speakers from across the fields of both policy and business. The high-level plenary includes a French ministerial address from this year's host nation, complemented by the European Commission's take on the future of the European biobased economy. This will be followed by a



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Reims Congress Centre
Reims / France

discussion on shale gas and how it is impacting investments and market development in petrochemical and biobased value chains – a talk featuring representatives from Shell and European Bioplastics.

Another plenary highlight features supply-chain perspectives on collaboration and commercialisation with senior representatives from consumer products companies. Leading players will share their views on opportunities for improving the sustainability profile of industrial production, among them Coca-Cola and Unilever, Natureworks, DSM and Südzucker. EFIB also offers attendees the choice of sessions dedicated to innovation in industrial biotechnology, or focused tracks on financing the biobased economy, as well as an international 'policy-into-practice session' looking at successful scale-up around the globe. And on 30 September, workshops organised in collaboration with the Forest Technology Platform and the PharmaSea project will also take an in-depth look at the wood-based bioeconomy and blue biotechnology. ◀

WELCOME

Discovering biobased industries



2013 marked EFIB's transformation from a large conference to a full-scale congress attracting over 700 attendees in Brussels. Coming to Reims, EFIB 2014 will

build further on this new format. Focusing on the advancement of the successful scale-up of biobased industries enabled by industrial biotechnology, EFIB will once again be the #1 EU event for where business meets policy in this exciting and rapidly evolving field. We look forward to welcoming you to Reims, capital of the beautiful Champagne Ardenne region, which is itself a thriving hub for biobased industries and expertise.

Joanna Dupont-Inglis
Director, Industrial Biotechnology
EuropaBio

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REGISTRATION AND INFORMATION

Registrants get the chance to schedule their own face-to-face meetings
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Reims Congress Centre
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EUROPEAN BIOTECH WEEK

The value of biotech

Following in the footsteps of the European Biotech Week's great success in 2013, which saw more than 100 events take place across Europe, the second edition of the Europe-wide happening is set this year for 6-12 October.

EuropaBio is encouraging all biotech-related stakeholders, from biotech national associations to companies, from academic and government institutions to science museums, schools, universities – in short, anyone who wants to share in the biotech story – to organise events both large and small across Europe. Some of the most notable happenings last year included science cafés for students, company site visits, seminars for journalists and MPs, and even jewellery making and theatrical performances inspired by biotechnology and DNA!

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NATIONAL ACTIVITIES

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The European Biotech Week is a celebration of, and an opportunity to showcase, the benefits that biotechnology brings to society in areas as diverse as healthcare, agriculture, food, energy, water sanitation and biochemical processing. We are living longer, healthier lives thanks to advances in biotech, and it has become clear that we cannot afford to leave society largely unaware of all of these exciting benefits. Citizens deserve to make informed choices about the food they eat, the medicine they use and the industrial processes that go into everyday products that they buy. It is up to us to share the information that might be of use in helping them make those choices. The sheer number of events that took place and the broad spectrum of people who got involved in European Biotech Week 2013 have given us even more motivation to continue to share successes and information in fun and engaging ways year after year.

Whether your knowledge of biotech is vast or you know next to nothing about its fields, you too can contribute to sparking discussions in this year's European Biotech Week. Find out how you can get involved in organising or attending an event by visiting our website or contacting us directly. ◀

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WEEK



6 – 12 October 2014
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GREETING

Telling the biotech success story

Biotechnologies have added value to all our lives. The biotech shortlist of innovations includes vaccines, insulin, rare disease therapies, improved crops, bioplastics, cosmetics and biofuels – to name only a few. In Europe today, however, biotech is either perceived at best as a dream, or at worst as a nightmare. As an industry, we cannot afford to let biotech's many positive aspects pass consumers by or – even worse – be misunderstood. It is up to us to communicate the benefits of biotech more clearly to Europeans. Last year, we celebrated the first ever European Biotech Week, which helped showcase this innovative and vibrant sector. More than 100 events took place across the EU, underlining the importance its various fields now play in our lives. This October, EuropaBio invites all stakeholders to participate in a second round. Anyone with a curious mind, an interest in how we can achieve better health as we grow older, and a cleaner environment is invited to celebrate and learn more about the incredible world of biotechnology and how it evolves each year. Let's make the invisible revolution visible!



Nathalie Moll

Secretary General EuropaBio



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06th - 12th October 2014



Celebrating innovation & DNA! Life wouldn't be the same without it!

The European Biotech Week celebrates biotechnology, an innovative and vibrant sector launched by the discovery of the DNA molecule back in 1953. This momentous occasion opened the door to a better understanding of the world we live in, both for scientists, and for society. The first European Biotech Week took place in 2013 to mark the 60th anniversary of this pivotal moment in history, with over 100 events staged right across Europe.

Following on from the great success of the inaugural year, the 2nd edition of European Biotech Week will take place from 6th to 12th October 2014. Biotech National Associations, in collaboration with companies, academic and government institutions, science museums and the media, will organise events, both large and small, right across Europe throughout the week.

Last year, more than 100 events took place across 12 countries, including science cafes for students, company site visits, seminars for journalists and MPs, even jewellery making and theatrical performances about biotechnology and DNA!

No matter if your knowledge of biotech is vast or near to nothing, you will surely find something that sparks your curiosity during European Biotech Week!

Find out more, or get involved in organising your own event by taking a look at our website www.biotechweek.org

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CPHI

Where Pharma meets

With more than 34,000 visitors and over 2,200 exhibitors, this year's edition of CPhI Worldwide provides the opportunity for attendees from more than 140 countries to meet up under one roof. The event will have 20 dedicated zones covering a range of topics that includes ingredients, APIs, excipients, finished dosage, contract services, packaging, biopharma, machinery and much more.

Running alongside the pharmaceutical ingredients event are three sister brands that will help visitors quickly identify the right area for their needs. ICSE is focussed on outsourcing, and is designed to connect the pharmaceutical community with contract service providers from the clinical, CRO, logistic, data management and CMO industries. InnoPack brings together buyers and specifiers from the packaging and pharmaceutical industries. Finally, P-MEC

features exhibitors from traditional large-scale capital equipment to companies focussed on instrumental analysis, measuring & testing technologies, materials testing, quality control and laboratory.

CPHI Worldwide holds a unique position in hosting more traditional pharmaceutical buyers than any other event, alongside an array of top biopharmaceutical companies. They include Therapeutic Proteins International, Biosidus, Amega Biotech, Mabi-



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Paris Nord Villepinte
Paris, France

on and Toxikon Corporation among others. Make sure you also factor in attending the CPhI Pre-Connect Congress on October 6th - which will provide an exclusive opportunity to join senior executives and influential speakers from across the pharma industry. At last year's show, there were six modules featuring Drug Delivery Systems and Biosimilars/Biobetters among others. This year we are hosting eight modules on a Commercial and a Technical track to further facilitate information-sharing within the industry. Additionally, the show features CPhI Pharma Awards and free sessions at the Exhibitor Showcase areas (formerly Speaker's Corner).

Exhibitors and visitors alike will also be able to take advantage of CPhI's unique matchmaking programme, which allows direct access to potential partners. Held across three days of the event, this is a customised program to facilitate high-quality meetings, and promises to be an invaluable tool in delivering a huge return on investment. ◀

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Decisionmakers come together



This year's CPhI Worldwide will see senior decisionmakers and innovators from the world of pharma descend on Paris for three days of networking, informative

conferencing and meetings that will help shape the industry over the next twelve months. Last year we welcomed over 34,000 attendees, making this by far the largest dedicated pharma industry show in the world. This year we are on course for another record-breaking show. If you have not yet booked exhibition space, I encourage you to do so quickly, as we are rapidly filling up. On behalf of UBM Live, I look forward to welcoming you to CPhI Worldwide 2014!

Rutger Oudejans
 Brand Director Pharma

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OPENING HOURS EXHIBITION

7 Oct.: 9:30 - 17:30

8 Oct.: 9:30 - 17:30

9 Oct.: 9:30 - 16:00

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BIOJAPAN

Partnering in Japan

BioJapan, the largest biotech event in Asia, is taking place for the 16th time from 15-17 October in Yokohama. This year it will cover nearly all of biotechnology's wide spectrum of fields, and is expected to attract over 12,000 visitors, as well as 700 exhibitors from more than 25 countries and regions. The organisers also expect participants to take part in over 5,000 one-to-one business partnering meetings.

BioJapan is Asia's premier event for the biotechnology industry. It plays an important role in facilitating interactions among international companies and organisations, and also in creating new business opportunities. Each year, people representing these companies and organisations from Japanese and global pharmaceutical and biotech companies gather in Yokohama to exchange information on the latest trends in the industry. And the event

continues to grow. This year over 700 exhibitors and 12,000 visitors are expected to participate in BioJapan, and a significant number of them will engage in partnering meetings (more than 5,000) that have been empowered by the organiser's matching system.

As in past years, the event will also feature more than 200 seminar sessions, including presentations by top researchers and business executives from Japan and



15 – 17 October 2014

Pacifico Japan

Yokohama / Japan

overseas. Among these seminars, over 20 sessions are organised by top global pharmaceutical companies, while others are sponsored by governmental and municipal institutions.

BioJapan covers almost every key aspect of the biotechnology and life sciences industry. Among this year's topics are "Environment and Energy", including the development of algae and plant biofuels; "Medicine, Pharmaceuticals and Healthcare", encompassing progress in cell and gene therapy as well as personalised medicine and medical devices; "Food, Agriculture and Fishery Industries", which looks at functional foods and new breeding technologies, and "Foundation of Biotechnology-Based Industry", which will feature the latest topics in regional bioclusters and bio-ventures. A Nobel Prize laureate, Professor Shinya Yamanaka (Director, Center for iPS Cell Research and Application) will also present an update of the latest progress in induced pluripotent stem cell research. ◀

GREETING

Welcome to BioJapan 2014



As one of the world's major biotech markets, Japan continues to be a key country for new business opportunities. BioJapan has helped market growth

with its combination of exhibitions and partnering, as well as with its top-notch seminars. This year we will be providing the same high-quality events, and are confident that participants will leave Japan with more business opportunities than ever before.

We very much look forward to greeting both new friends and old at BioJapan 2014.

Michio Oishi

Chairman

BioJapan Organizing Committee

QUICK FACTS

VISITOR'S AFFILIATION

34% Drug & Drug Discovery
16% University & Research Institutes
12% CRO/CMO

NETWORKING EVENTS

October 15: Evening Reception
October 16: Partnering Party

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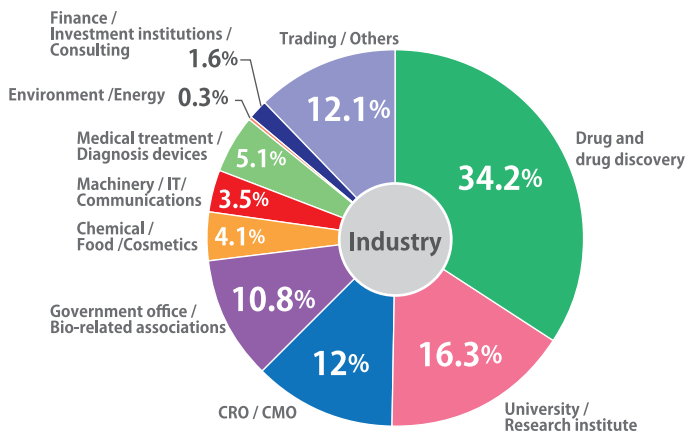
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- 4,500+ One-to-One Meetings



Seminar

- From Market Overview to R&D Trend, 200+ Organizer's Seminar and Exhibitors' Presentations

Exhibition

- 479 exhibitors, 12,487 visitors
- Exhibitors from 23 countries
 - Global Pharma
 - Biotech Ventures
 - Research Institutes, University Labs
 - Technology Licensing Organizations
 - CRO / CMO etc.



Regenerative Medicine/iPS Cells/
Gene and Cell Therapy / Personalized Medicine



Medical Devices



Bioenergy



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BIOINNOVATION INTERNATIONAL SUMMIT 2014

Hottest topics in biotech

The great ambition of the Bioinnovation International Summit has always been to connect scientific and business circles. Among the key topics at this year's international conference are the latest trends in biotech and the promotion of clinical trials.

As in previous years, the summit's stated goals are to facilitate the establishment of international cooperations spanning business and life sciences research and to support promising young scientists looking for investors and partners for their ideas. However, the event is also aimed at biotech and life science companies in general, as well as at anyone interested in news and trends involving biotechnology and innovations that lead to a healthier way of life.

Founder of thinkBiotech Yali Friedman – who is also the chief editor at the JOURNAL OF COMMERCIAL BIOTECHNOLOGY and publisher

of DRUGPATENTWATCH.COM and BIOLOGICPATENTWATCH.COM – will be a keynote speaker at the summit. His first book "Building Biotechnology" is already used as a standard text in dozens of biotechnology programmes throughout the world. Many other interesting speakers from the US and Europe will also take part, and the event includes workshops for young scientists and consulting services for biotech companies.

In order to maintain the event's high standards and the availability of the "hottest topics in biotech", representatives from the Synergy Innovation Fund have proposed a new coalition of organisers made up of the Gdansk Science & Technology Park, the University of Gdansk and PRO SCIENCE Poland Ltd. Strongly focused on promotion of innovative projects, the city itself is also a partner in the event. "Gdansk has been a host city for great international events, among them the UEFA Euro 2012 and FIVB MEN's World Championship 2014," says Mayor Paweł Adamowicz. "Still, we haven't forgotten our science and innovators. Gdansk is proud to cooperate with the organisers of the Bioinnovation International Summit".



20 – 21 October 2014
Gdansk Science & Technology Park
Gdansk / Poland

WELCOME

Bio-innovators are back in Gdansk

The organising committee of the Bioinnovation International Summit is privileged to invite you to this unique conference, which brings together technology trans-



fer experts from all over the world. The event will take place in the Gdansk Science & Technology Park on 20-21 October.

In the past, the summit has been very successful at helping to bridge the gap between science and business. This year's conference is dedicated to rapid scientific changes, grant opportunities and collaborations, biotechnology, life science and BioBusiness in Poland, Europe and US. And that's far from all! We have also organised a day-long panel dedicated to bringing scientific experiments into the realm of clinical trials. There are a number of interesting speakers from the US and Europe on the programme at the event, as well as interesting workshops for young scientists and opportunities for biotech companies to consult with outside experts. Registration is open until 30 September. We would be delighted to welcome you in Gdansk!

Andrzej Sieradzan
Pro-Science Poland Ltd.
Project Manager

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HIGHLIGHTS

- Connecting science and business environments
- Presenting trends in biotechnology and promoting clinical trials
- Workshops for young scientists
- Consultations for companies

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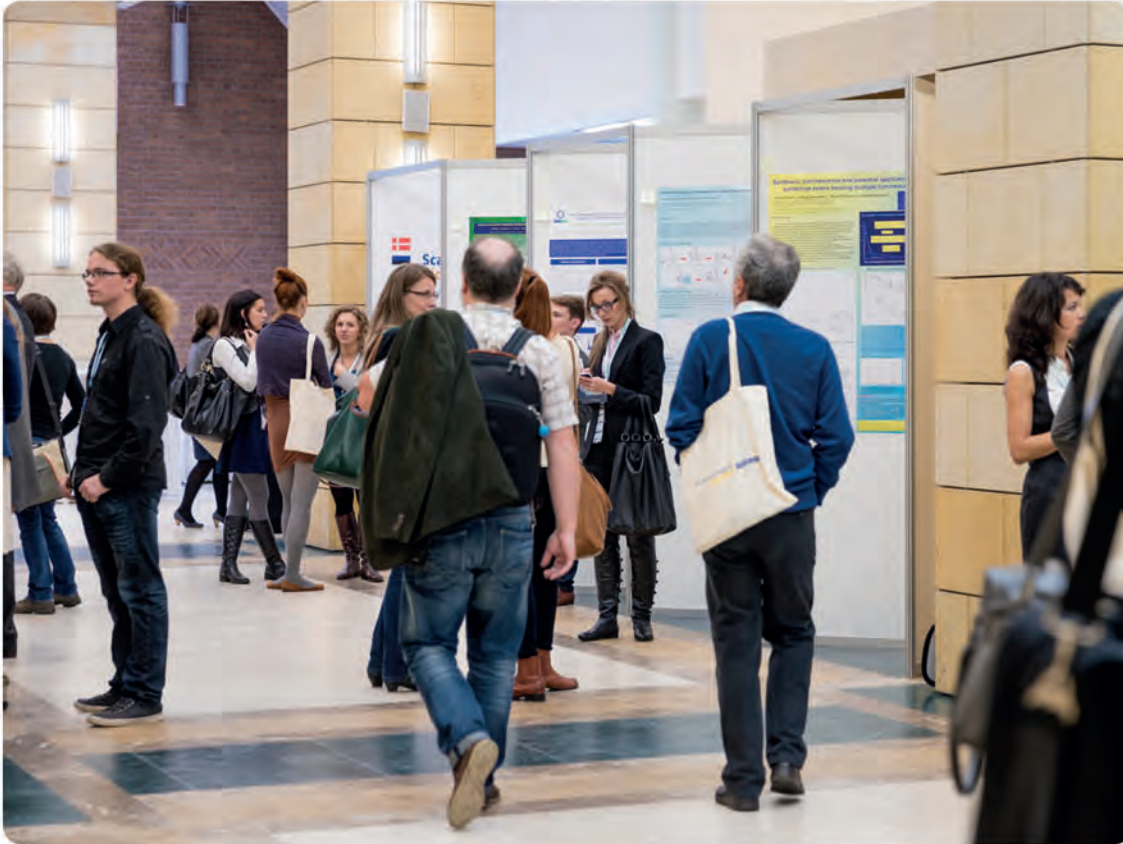
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BIO-EUROPE 2014

The 'who is who' is here

This November 3–5, the global life science community will meet up in Frankfurt am Main for BIO-Europe 2014, Europe's largest partnering conference serving the global biotech industry. BIO-Europe attracts the world's top dealmakers from biotech, pharma and finance, along with exciting emerging companies. The event is highly regarded by BD executives and dealmakers as an effective platform for meeting and presenting to numerous potential partners.

In the current economy, partnering remains at the core of Big Pharma and biotech drug development strategy, which is why dynamic platforms that facilitate industry partnering are in demand. BIOEurope provides one of the sector's largest partnering platforms, powered by the conference networking solution partneringONE®. Leading pharma companies that sponsor the event also send

out teams of scouts to engage with new and innovative products, ideas and companies that could enrich it, and every year the world's top pharma companies are in attendance and ready to partner.

"Frankfurt is an ideal location for BIO-Europe since it is easy to access, ensuring the quality and variety of attending companies will be very high," says Florian Schoenhammer, Group Managing Direc-

tor of EBD Group. "This means the maximum number of partnering opportunities. Every year, BIO-Europe is a catalyst for some of the biggest and highest-impact life science deals in the sector."

The 2014 conference collaborates with Hessen Trade & Invest GmbH, which works to strengthen Hessen as an economic and technology site internationally, as well as with Hessen Biotech, which represents the Hessen life science cluster under the direction of the Hessian Ministry of Economics.

Information and real-time discussions with lead thinkers in the industry are available on the Life Science Partnering group on partnering360®, the network for dealmakers in the life sciences industry. The 2013 event boasted 17,874 scheduled one-to-one meetings with 3,599 licensing opportunities posted from among 1,841 attending companies. In addition, BIO-Europe offers high-level workshops, panels, company presentations and a lively exhibition. ◀

GREETING

The perfect place to strike a deal



With its focus on collaboration opportunities and dealmaking, BIO-Europe 2014 is key to business strategies for both global biotech/pharma players and investors.

Frankfurt am Main is the largest financial centre in Europe, as well as the largest city in Hessen. It's also a leading centre for biotech, making it an ideal location for BIO-Europe 2014. Some of the most important life science deals on the planet are struck at our event every year. So come to Frankfurt and join us to kick-off your strategic partnering activities for 2015!

Florian Schoenhammer
Group Managing Director
EBD Group

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WHEN?

Monday 3 – Wednesday 5
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Because of its business-only approach and the fact that it opens the doors exclusively to business development executives, euroPLX is more targeted than any other pharma and biotech partnering conference. There have now been 55 successful events since 1995, and euroPLX 56 Nice (France) – to be held on 17-18 November 2014 – will once again provide a smorgasbord of business opportunities.

Doing good business is satisfying. Doing it in the exclusive environment of a redesigned historical hotel on the seafront in Nice is even more so. Combine that with efficient organisation and one of the most innovative online partnering systems around, and the event and its outcome are extraordinary.

The Hyatt Regency Nice Palais de la Méditerranée, which opened in 2004, is a completely new and modern hotel built behind the magnificent art déco façade of

the original 1929 hotel and casino. Guests like Maurice Chevaliers, Jules Romain, Edith Piaf and Josephine Baker once entertained here. Facing the Riviera (see photo), it is just 10 minutes by taxi from Nice Airport, and a two-minute walk to the town centre.

In place since late 2013, the new euroPLX Online Partnering System is as closely aligned with real-world business development needs as possible. It combines



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Hyatt Regency Nice Palais de la Méditerranée, Nice, France

efficiency with flexibility through a unique and innovative two-phase design. The first allows the scheduling of unilaterally requested priority meetings, while the second facilitates bilaterally agreed meetings. The former is targeted and entirely importance-led, providing a high probability of being considered by the automatic scheduling system. The latter is interaction-led, and the scheduling of a requested meeting is determined by acceptance.

The system allows delegates to keep complete online control of matchmaking, scheduling and all pre-conference processes. And because euroPLX is user-account based, attendees also control all past and future euroPLX conferences that they have attended or will attend, with access to data like participation history, past conference documents, contacts, etc.

euroPLX also provides an average of up to 27 pre-scheduled one-on-one meetings for each attending company during the two-day conference, setting the benchmark for every other partnering event out there. ◀

GREETING

Meet the movers and shakers



"Results that would never have been achieved otherwise!" That recent praise comes from a Canadian VP of Business Development who has been a regular attendee

at euroPLX events for 12 years. Why? Because we focus more than other partnering events, have a passion for efficiency and an effective two-phase partnering and scheduling system – and because of our frequency. For many decisionmakers, euroPLX is an important year-round business development tool that makes a huge difference in their bottom line. Come experience this difference at euroPLX 56 Nice!

Dr. Norbert Rau
Owner and President
RauCon Business Development

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OPENING TIMES/CONTACT

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PHARMALAB

Compliance trends

The laboratory congress “PharmaLab” began in 2013 with the goal of bringing lab employees in the pharmaceutical industry up-to-date on science and technology relative to developments, applications and validation in analytics, bioanalytics and microbiology. In addition to its large exhibition, the congress is also aimed at facilitating exchange on GMP compliance in laboratories. This year, for the second time, PharmaLab will address issues from endotoxin masking to lab optimisation.

Up-to-date information from the pharmaceutical laboratory is on the agenda for PharmaLab 2014. When it comes to endotoxin and pyrogen testing, that means the latest developments in the European Pharmacopoeias – introduced by speakers from EDQM and PEI. To provide a direct comparison, a speaker from the US FDA will present that agency’s current thoughts on this issue. Low endotoxin recovery/masking is another

central topic in this area, and it will be discussed from different viewpoints. The conference will also cover the correct handling of microbiological deviations – an ongoing challenge for manufacturers, as no suitable guidelines are available.

Bioanalytical assays and necessary stability testing play major roles in biopharmaceuticals and biosimilars. Single-use equipment and new process materials are also gaining in im-

portance for classical analytical issues such as leachables and extractables testing. Find out more at PharmaLab!

Keeping up with current regulatory developments is essential for a pharmaceutical QC lab. Talks on cGMP Compliance Trends will introduce the present developments from the US – like the latest requirements on the stability of reagents, or the new FDA guideline on the validation of analytical methods.

Many guidelines (EU, USP, WHO) have also been developed in methods transfer. What those requirements are and how you can comply with the various provisions in the lab will be a central theme at the conference. Other important topics include the handling of out-of-trend (OOT) results, a new requirement in Chapter 6 of the EU GMP Guide, and the measures to ensure data integrity that are now required by the FDA and the UK’s MHRA. Finally, PharmaLab will provide delegates with other opportunities for comprehensive updates, and the chance to benefit from networking. ◀

GREETING

Where lab professionals meet



In laboratories, having qualified staff who are on top of current developments is as important as the use of qualified devices or validated processes and methods. That’s why

we started PharmaLab in 2013 – to bring the cutting edge to employees in the laboratory with a combination of conferences and an exhibition specifically for suppliers in the laboratory environment. After our successful launch in 2013, which brought a lot of positive feedback, we look forward to seeing you at PharmaLab 2014.



Axel H. Schroeder (left) & Dr. Günter Brendelberger, Operations Directors

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CONTACT & REGISTRATION

www.pharmalab-congress.com

HIGHLIGHTS

19 November Microbiological deviation – OOS on sterility testing // Case study: Handling of OOT results et al.
20 November Critical success factors of a biologics stability programme // Low endotoxin recovery, a worldwide challenge et al.

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It's getting personal

The 4th Munich Biomarker Conference focuses on connecting science and industry and providing interdisciplinary exchange in the field of personalised medicine. The conference programme is complemented by a poster session, one-to-one partnering and an exhibition with an emphasis on the latest biomarker technologies.

This event's interdisciplinary approach supports the mutual learning process and the identification of common strategies for biomarker-driven drug development. The latest developments in oncology, cardiovascular diseases, autoimmune diseases, psychiatric disorders and orphan diseases will be presented there, while general topics like biobanking and clinical study design will be discussed from multiple perspectives. The Biomarker Conference will also showcase today's extensive technology toolbox and recent breakthroughs. About 30 high-level posters will be on display to help encourage more in-depth discussion of research findings and concepts. An essential part of the event, the exhibition area will be integrated into the conference space, providing a lively meeting point. The one-2-one partnering system, which is free for all registered participants, enables the arrangement of personal meetings with potential collaborators, technology suppliers, licensing partners, etc. On the evening of the first day of the conference, the State of Bavaria will be holding a festive dinner reception in the historic Munich Residence.

Researchers from both science and industry are encouraged to submit a presentation or poster proposal to share their expertise in:

- Technologies for biomarker discovery
- Biomarker identification and validation
- Translation into the clinic
- Big Data management
- Companion diagnostics development
- Co-development business models
- Regulatory & reimbursement strategies
- Virtual clinical studies

GREETING

Your European networking event

Munich is one of Europe's most vibrant biotech locations with a strategic focus on the development of personalised medicine. Organised



by the networking agency Bio^M, the 4th Munich Biomarker Conference brings together figures from the international biotech and pharma industry with scientists and physicians. The event's programme covers all stages of biomarker development – from basic research to the individualised treatment of patients. I look forward to an exciting conference, and warmly invite you to come and experience Munich!

Horst Domdey

CEO, Bio^M Biotech Cluster Development GmbH

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