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2nd half-year 2024



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- › Pre-scheduled one-to-one partnering meetings
- › General Assembly of the Swiss Biotech Association

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# New event season

**EUROBIOFAIRS COMPASS** Each manager, scientist, and business developer has their own specific network – so, their must-attend events vary. Where to meet potential new partners can be quite difficult to determine. Euro Biofair's Compass will help you navigate the European meeting jungle in H2/2024.



With 60,000 attendants and 2,500 exhibitors expected, this year the **CPHI Milan 2024** (8–10 October 2024) is set to become the largest ever pharma meeting in the history of the event. At CPHI Milan, decision makers along the whole (bio)pharma value chain will meet, including pharma and biopharma developers, API providers, contract manufactureres and many other specialists. To be able to make the most of the event, there is an online partnering

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tool along a full programme reflecting all relevant topics in pharmaceutical development and commercialisation (page 48).

Shortly before the global climate tipping points are reached, the venue for the **Global Bioeconomy Summit 2024** (p. 50) could not have been better chosen: from 23 to 24 October, the event will take place in Nairobi, East Africa. Around 400 delegates from politics, science, civil society and the business sector will be on

site, thousands will be connected via live stream, to present and discuss solutions in plenary sessions and interactive workshops for the preservation of everyone's livelihood, which is increasingly jeopardised by resource-consuming growth. The African continent has become an important partner in solving the global energy problem, especially with biotechnological solutions such as oil-producing algae. It will be interesting to see whether the biotechnology-supported high-value-output bioeconomy will make the leap from talk to implementation after the USA's entry. The summit organised by the IACGB and BioInnovate Africa can provide an impetus here.

## 30<sup>th</sup> jubilee

Another partnering must-attend, particularly suited to the needs of bio-pharma and pharma biotech executives, will come to the Nobel prize city of Stockholm: From 4–6 November, **BIO Europe 2024** (see p. 52) will celebrate its 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary in Sweden. Three days of high-level networking through partnering meetings enabled by EBD Group's partneringOne software will be embedded in a programme including strategic panel discussions, and world-class workshops in the centre of the vibrant Nordic biotech network. ■

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**DRESDEN, GERMANY 2024**

**OCT 20-24**

**23<sup>rd</sup> HUMAN PROTEOME ORGANIZATION WORLD CONGRESS**

**ABSTRACT DEADLINE: MAY 31, 2024**

Find more information on **2024.hupo.org**



8 – 10 October, 2024  
Fiera Milano,  
Italy

# CPHI Milan 2024!

**CPHI** Step into the future of pharma at CPHI Milan 2024 – the largest event for global pharma professionals to meet and grow their business at Fiera Milano 8<sup>th</sup> -10<sup>th</sup> October 2024.

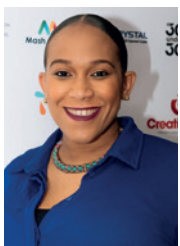
Join us at CPHI Milan 2024, the ultimate platform for pharma professionals to connect, innovate, and thrive. Celebrating 35 years of excellence, this year's event promises unparalleled opportunities for growth and networking. Don't miss out on being part of the global pharma community at the heart of advancing human health!

At CPHI Milan 2024, we're excited to bring together the world's largest pharma community for three days of inspiration and collaboration. With over 62,000 attendees expected, this year's event is

set to be our biggest yet. From insightful seminars to cutting-edge exhibitions, CPHI Milan offers a comprehensive experience for industry professionals looking to stay ahead of the curve.

Our programme sessions will provide insights into the industry's current state and future trajectory and showcasing opportunities for start-ups and innovators. The content will engage in discussions on emerging trends, collective solutions to address challenges, and highlight best practices in sustainability, all with the aim of uniting the global pharma com-

## Come to Milan



pharmaceutical excellence and forge connections for a brighter future to-

**GREETING** Embark on a journey with the pharma industry's manufacturers, innovators, ingredient/product providers, and outsourcing partners as we delve into

*gether! Milan, the hub of Italy's pharma industry, anticipates a record-breaking event this October, with over 62,000 attendees. With a world-class conference boasting 200+ sessions, we eagerly await welcoming the entire pharmaceutical supply chain, driving growth and innovation in the industry.*

**Sherma Ellis Daal**  
Brand Director Pharma Informa Markets

munity to advance human health safely and effectively. Attendees can also leverage our online platform to connect with industry leaders year-round, maximising their experience at CPHI Milan. The awards night will be back with two new categories introduced this year – 'Woman of the year' and 'Future leader'.

Join us in-person at Fiera Milano, Italy, and immerse yourself in a dynamic environment where ideas flourish and partnerships thrive. Together, let's shape the future of pharma. Visit <https://www.cphi.com/europe/en/home.html> to learn more and register today! ■

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### 2024 Figures

Over 2,400 exhibitors expected at Milan with the largest event yet.

### Programme Highlights

CPHI offers unparalleled opportunities for business growth and meaningful connections at the 'heart of pharma'. This year, we celebrate 35 years of CPHI with a plethora of special programmes honouring our success in bringing the world's largest pharma community together. Join our global network of pharma professionals through our online platform and elevate your experience by attending CPHI Milan in person. Register here: [www.cphi.com/europe/en/home.html](http://www.cphi.com/europe/en/home.html)

# Don't Miss Out on Your Golden Ticket to the Global Pharma Market

Pharma's largest event is making an exciting return to Milan on 8-10 October 2024.

Grow your business and expand your network in one of Europe's leading countries in pharma.



62,000+  
Attendees



165+  
Countries



2,400+  
Exhibitors

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23-24 October 2024  
Nairobi,  
Kenya

# Global Bioeconomy

**GBS** More than 600 attendees already pre-registered for the Global Bioeconomy Summit. The Summit will take place in person (with online streaming) from October 23 to 24 in Nairobi, Kenya.

The GBS took place in Berlin in 2015 and 2018; it was held virtually in 2020. This year, this recognized Summit will take place outside of Germany for the first time, in Kenya, East Africa. The Summit brings together experts and representatives from politics, science, civil society and the business sector from all hemispheres and from diverse backgrounds to represent the interdisciplinary and diverse features of the bioeconomy.

The GBS is convened by the International Advisory Council on Global Bio-

economy (IACGB) in collaboration with East African partners. IACGB is a think tank with the mission to promote the Global Bioeconomy as a sustainable and future looking economic development model that benefits people and the planet (<https://www.iacgb.net>).

With five plenary sessions and up to 15 interactive workshops, the Summit covers a broad spectrum of discussions within the bioeconomy. Exhibition booths will showcase academic and industry projects as well as start-up initiatives. Special focus will be Bioeconomy Youth networks and indigenous community projects. Proposals for workshops are invited via GBS workshops, with June 17 as the deadline for receiving proposals.

The overall theme of GBS2024 will be "One Planet – Sustainable Bioeconomy Solutions for Global Challenges". Top-class speakers and panelists will discuss a sustainable bioeconomy as the key to decarbonisation and sustainable transition to less fossil fuel dependent, rural and urban green economies; while building resilient and sustainable food systems, revers-

ing biodiversity loss, meeting health challenges, and using innovation as a driver for new economic opportunities, especially jobs for the youth. ■

## Come to Nairobi

**GREETING** *The Global Bioeconomy Summit will be hosted for the first time outside of Germany.*



*East Africa is proud to be the host for this prestigious Summit. We invite bioeconomy thought leaders from all hemispheres to the vibrant bioeconomy hub of Nairobi, Kenya*

*to meet and discuss with more than 500 delegates. Together with IACGB, the International Centre of Insect Physiology and Ecology (icipe)/BioInnovate Africa and its co-hosting partners East African Science and Technology Commission of the East Africa Community and Stockholm Environment Institute are welcoming you to share your experiences and ideas in our forward looking plenaries and workshops.*



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### › QUICK FACTS

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#### Content

- › More than 500 attendees
- › Online streaming
- › Five plenaries
- › 15 interactive workshops
- › Exhibition of products and projects



# GLOBAL BIOECONOMY SUMMIT 2024

*One Planet – Sustainable Bioeconomy Solutions  
for Global Challenges*

**23 – 24 October 2024,  
Nairobi, Kenya**



**Secure your spot at the Global Bioeconomy Summit, hosted for the first time in Africa.**

Inclusive discussions on global bioeconomy issues, while also profiling and recognising the importance of bioeconomy for Africa and other regions in advancing sustainable development.

- Over 500 participants from across the globe
- Top-class speakers and panelists
- Interactive workshops
- Exhibition
- Online streaming



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# BIO-EUROPE®

4–6 November, 2024  
Stockholm,  
Sweden

## BIO-Europe® 2024

**BIO-EUROPE** BIO-Europe celebrates 30 years of facilitating partnerships this Fall. In 1994, BIO-Europe launched with the mission to drive biotech innovation and dealmaking forward through one-to-one partnering. Today, it proudly holds the mantle as Europe's flagship partnering event.

Through the everchanging landscape of life science partnering, BIO-Europe remains committed to its overriding mission of convening the biopharma community to catalyse breakthroughs through meaningful partnerships. In true form, BIO-Europe will mark its 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary in Stockholm, Sweden, from November 4-6, 2024. The Nordic region prides itself on developing new

therapies, technologies, medicines and treatments through strong collaborations, making it the perfect setting for the discovery and dealmaking that takes place at the event.

Evolving from a manual process at its inception to today's sophisticated partnering process, BIO-Europe will host 30,000 one-to-one meetings between over 5,500 international delegates to

further global drug development. One-to-one meetings at BIO-Europe are powered by partneringONE™, the gold standard solution for partnering meetings. Its advanced search capabilities allow delegates to pinpoint their ideal partners with ease and efficiency.

Additionally, through three days of programme sessions, attendees will have the chance to learn about important trends and opportunities in life science from some of the brightest minds in the sector. The agenda has been built around the theme of Collaborative Innovation delivered in three tracks: the Business of Biotech, Therapeutic Insights, and Ecosystem Innovation.

2024 marks a momentous milestone for BIO-Europe, but just as importantly, it marks the beginning of another 30 years. Let's celebrate what brings us together: innovation and partnerships. ■

## Start planning



**GREETING** Whether you are a biotech innovator seeking the opportunity to showcase your breakthroughs or an investment or pharma representative in the relentless search for tomorrow's cutting-edge therapeutics, BIO-Europe will convene delegates spanning the global life science ecosystem.

Over the last 30 years, we, EBD Group, have explored new and innovative ways to

cater to the needs of the biopharma community and this year will be no exception. Through improvements to our partnering platform, highlighting diverse voices in the programme, building communities based on shared values and interests, and wellness activities that keep attendees in top form for partnering, BIO-Europe offers a unique experience with your needs in mind.

Networking opportunities aren't limited to chance encounters along the busy hallways of the convention centre. BIO-Europe features renowned networking receptions held in some of the most memorable venues in Stockholm.

Start your planning to join us in Stockholm, Sweden, where you can meet more potential partners over three days than you can all year.

**Claire Macht**  
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# BIO-EUROPE®

November 4-6, 2024 | Stockholm, Sweden

30  
YEARS

## 30 years of facilitating partnerships

BIO-Europe® is set to mark its 30th anniversary in Stockholm, Sweden, from November 4-6, 2024. Bringing together over 5,500 delegates to engage in 30,000+ one-to-one meetings, BIO-Europe is the premier platform connecting the global biopharma community. Additionally, the event offers numerous networking opportunities, a carefully curated program and wellness activities to keep attendees energized during the event.

Save €1,100 before July 26, 2024

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