
EUROPEAN BIOTECH WEEK 2016

Portuguese commemorations program

(26th September to 2th October)

Sponsorship of the Portuguese Republic Presidency

1. Structure

- Week events in three different Portuguese Biotechnology work places, Lisbon (HealthCare City – Nova Medical School), Cantanhede (BIOCANT) and Braga (Minho University).

2. Program

LISBON (26th September)

Local: HealthCare City – Nova Medical School ½ day (morning) – “Professor Manuel Machado Macedo” auditorium

Open session

9:20 // Filipe Assoreira (P-BIO President)

9:30 // Manuel Caldeira Cabral – Portuguese Minister of Economy

Biotechnology framework

10:00 // “HealthCare City” incubation system – Nuno Carvalho (Healthcare City Executive Director)

10:15 // European framework of Biotechnology sector – Nathalie Moll (Secretary General of EuropaBio)

10:35 // Public presentation of the study "Portuguese Biotechnology sector characterization" – João Cerejeira (Professor at the School of Economics and Management, Minho University – responsible for the study)

11:15 – 11:30 // Coffee Break

11:30 – 12:30 // “Portuguese Biotechnology sector characterization” study debate

Moderation of the debate: Nuno Arantes de Oliveira (P-BIO Chairman)

Paulo Ferrão – “Foundation for Science and Technology” President

Stephan Morais – “Caixa Capital” Executive Director

Bruno Ferreira – “Biotrend” Chief Executive Office

Margarida Menezes Ferreira – INFARMED I.P. Senior Assessor and National Scientific Advice Coordinator

12:30 // Closing session and conclusions

CANTANHEDE (28th September)

Local: BIOCANT ½ day (Morning and lunch)

Open session

10:00 // João Moura (P-BIO Board and BIOCANT President)

Clinical Development

10:15 // Public presentation of the study "Clinical Development Road Map" – Francisco Batel Marques (AIBILI – "Technology Assessment Center for Health Research and Medicines" Director) – responsible for the study

11:00 – 11:15 // Coffee Break

11:15 – 12:30 // "Clinical Development Road Map" study debate

Moderation of the debate: Francisco Batel Marques (responsible for the study)

Sérgio Simões – Blueclinical and P-BIO board

Aleixo Dias – PFZIER Medical Director

João Pereira – Magnomics Chief Executive Office

Alexandre Lourenço – Portuguese Hospital Managers Association President

INFARMED I.P. "National Authority of Medicines and Health Products" board member to designate (tbc)

13:00 // Lunch – with prior registration

Side event // BIOCANT Junior Science Center

BRAGA (30th September)

Industrial Biotechnology: Innovation from the traditional sectors

Location: Institute of Bio-Sustainability – University of Minho ½ day (afternoon)

Open session

2:30pm // Opens session

Simão Soares (P-BIO Board and SilicoLife CEO)

Minho University Dean representative (tbc)

2:35pm // Industrial Biotechnology in Portugal and opportunities – Isabel Rocha (CEB / SilicoLife)

3:00pm // Panel 1 – Portuguese installed capacities

Moderation of the debate: Ligia Rodrigues (CEB)

Eugénio Ferreira – CEB

Bruno Ferreira – Biotrend

Simão Soares – SilicoLife

Lorenzo Pastrana – INL

Manuel Fernandes – CIPAN

4:00pm // Panel 2 – Big companies and new projects

Moderation of the debate: José Teixeira (BEC)

Carlos Martins Andrade – GALP

Sara Monteiro – CEV

Patrick Freire – Biomimetx

Nuno Borralho – Raiz/The Navigator company

5:00pm // “European Biotechnology Week 2016” in Portugal highlights – Simão Soares (P-BIO board and SilicoLife CEO)

5:15pm // Closing session – Eugénio Ferreira (CEB)

5:30pm // Network moment – Sponsorship “LETRA beer”

3. Organization and Sponsors

Organization

P-BIO – Portuguese Biotechnology Association

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Sponsors

EuropaBio – European Association for Bioindustries

HealthCare City – Nova Medical School

BIOCANT and Junior Science Center Cantanhede

Cantanhede City Council

Centre of Biological Engineering and Institute of Bio-Sustainability – University of Minho

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