

BioForum 2018 AGENDA

Day 1, May 23, 2018

09:30 - 09:45 Opening Ceremony

Main stage

09:45 - 10:15 Keynote Lecture:

Main stage

New Directions in the Biosciences and Bioethics. Rev. Tad Pacholczyk, Ph.D.

10:20 - 12:00

Main stage

Presidents session.

Chairwoman: Marta Gajęcka,
President's advisor on
innovation

10:20 - 10:35

Piotr Dardziński, Under-
Secretary of State, Ministry
of Science and Higher
Education: *Reform of science
and higher education as a
key factor for the
development of economy in
Poland*

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10:40 - 10:55

Zofia Szewczuk, Senior
Investment Manager, Polish
Development Fund: *PDF
activities for the development
of Polish biotechnology*

11:00 - 11:15

Marcin Czech, Under-
Secretary of State, Ministry
of Health: *The importance of
biotechnology drugs in health
care policy in Poland.*

11:20 - 11:35

Tomasz Pisula, President of
the Board, Polish Investment
and Trade Agency:
*Promotion of Pharma/Biotech
sector in 2018-2019.*

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**Sesion: Polish-American
Innovation Bridge, part I**

Marek Skulimowski,
President and Executive
Director: *The Kosciuszko
Foundation and its mission*

Marek Macyszyn, Vertex
Pharmaceuticals, Country
Manager, Poland and Czech

12:30 - 13:30

Seminar room

Students Workshops:

*Boost your CV and
recruitment skills*

	Republic: <i>Why we are starting doing business in Poland?</i>		
12:35 - 13:45 Main stage	Session: Biotech start-ups environment across the Central Europe, sponsored by Sartorius		
12:35 - 12:45	Introduction by Sartorius		
12:45 - 13:00	Czech Republic: Katerina Pychova, i&i Prague. <i>Life Sciences Start-up Community in Czech Republic</i>		
13:00 - 13:15	Ukraine: Sharyn Sergiy, Vasyl Stefanyk Precarpathian National University, Vice-Rector	13:50 - 14:30 Seminar room	Press briefing: Perspectives of Polish Biotechnology Sector Development. New facts.
13:15 - 13:30	Hungary		
13:30 - 14:30	Lunch break		
14:30 - 15:15 Main stage	Keynote Lecture: <i>Biotech Hub - the new way of supporting biotech companies. What we achieved in USA and what we are doing in Poland?</i> , Timothy Rowe, Cambridge Innovation Center		
15:30 - 15:45 Main stage	Speech: Jadwiga Emilewicz - Ministry of Entrepreneurship and Technology: <i>The importance of biotechnology in the development of innovative economy in Poland</i>	15:30 - 15:55 Seminar room	Workshop for Scientists: <i>How to create commercial value of biotechnology R&D projects</i> , Bio-Tech Consulting
15:45 - 16:30	Panel discussion: How to successfully accelerate biotech development in Poland, to be a member of a global player club Participants: Jadwiga Emilewicz – Ministry of Entrepreneurship and Technology, Artur Chabowski – CEO of Mabion SA, Robert Neymann – CEO of Bioton S.A., Tadeusz Pietrucha – CEO of Bio-Tech Consulting and Head of Department Medical Biotechnology at Medical University of Lodz, Walter Klomp, Founder, Chairman, CEO & President, Moleculin Biotech, Inc Moderator: Marta Gajęcka,	15:30 - 17:00 Sartorius room	Spotkanie członków Polskiego Związku Pracodawców Firm Biotechnologicznych
	B2B meetings	16:00 - 16:30 Seminar room	Session: Doing innovations in Lodz. Sponsored by Marshal Office of Lodzkie Region
		16:30 - 17:00 Seminar room	Closed Meeting CIC Poland with Lodz representatives

President's advisor on
innovation

16:45- 17:30 **Lecture:**
Main stage Maciek Wieczorek, CEO of
Celon Pharma: *Novel
approaches in drug discovery
and development process.*

Day 2, May 24, 2018

09:30 - 10:15 **Keynote Lecture:**
Main stage Kit Greenop, Associate Director of EU and UK Healthcare – RPP Healthcare: *How
European Public Affairs can drive your business.*

10:30 - 12:00 **Bioethics session**
Main stage

10:30 - 10:50 *Human genomic DNA
analysis – ethical questions
that have to be answered,*
Rev. Tad Pacholczyk, Ph.D.

10:55 - 11:15 *Ethical, legal and social
implications (ELSI) of genetic
intervention in human
reproduction,* Marta
Soniewicka

11:20 - 11:40 *Human genomic DNA
analysis – a Chance for
better diagnosis, treatment
and prevention of disease,*
Jennifer Castañeda

11:45 - 12:00 Panel discussion: *"Genetic
privacy" in post genomic era.*
Moderator: Błażej Kmiecik

12:00 - 13:00 *i&i Prague, a guide from Life
Science inventions to
investment.* Jiri Moos

*Tosoh Bioscience, The art of
Separation.* Hans Vuijst

*Aurigon company
presentation,* Tamás Kitka

10:30 - 11:30 **Students session:** The
Seminar room career paths for
biotechnology students

10:30 - 10:45 R&D lab, Maciej Spuś,
Polfarmex S.A.

10:45 - 11:00 University, Dawid Lewko,
Medical University of Lodz

11:00 - 11:30 ***Inventing Biomarkers,***
Seminar room **Ernst Plefka, Biocrates Life
Science AG**

11:30 - 12:00 **Students meeting with
Seminar room biotech companies;
job/students internships
application opportunities.**

12:00 - 13:00 **Workshop for Scientists**
Seminar room *How to prepare R&D project
presentation for business
partner sponsored by DM
Vestor*

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13:00 - 13:30
Main stage
**Sesion: Polish-American
Innovation Bridge, part II**
Walter Klemp, Founder,
Chairman, CEO & President,
Moleculin Biotech, Inc:
*Bringing validated
innovations from the USA to
Poland. Third Coast concept.*

13:30 - 14:30 **Lunch break**

14:30 - 15:15
Main stage
Keynote Lecture:
Efficient Partnership in R&D. Pfizer's Global and Local Perspective. Michał
Kurzelewski, Pfizer Polska

15:30 - 17:00
Main stage
**Session: IP management
and protection**

15:30 - 16:00 *National flavors of European
patent litigation – litigating
patents in Hungary and at
the Unified Patent Court.*
Eszter Szakács, Partner,
Attorney-at-law Sár and
Partners, Budapest

16:10 - 16:40 *Obtaining Patent Protection
for Biological Inventions In
Canada.* Lola Bartoszewicz,
B.Sc., M.Sc., Ph.D. Patent

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17:00 - 17:30
Main stage
Closing ceremony