

Tentative Programme  
**EUM-BIO INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE**  
 24 October 2007, MATRADE Exhibition and Convention Centre, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

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| 8.00 am  | Registration of Delegates   |
| 8.45 am  | Delegates and Guests to be Seated   |
| 9.00 am  | Welcoming Remarks<br><b>Datuk Dr. Ahmed Tasir bin Lope Pihie</b><br><i>President/Chief Executive Officer, Malaysian Industry-Government Group For High Technology (MiGHT)</i>   |
| 9.10 am  | Special Address<br><b>HE Thierry Rommel</b><br><i>Ambassador and Head of The European Commission Delegation to Malaysia</i>   |
| 9:30 am  | Opening Speech<br><b>YB Datuk Prof. Dr. Mohd Ruddin Ab. Ghani*</b><br><i>Parliamentary Secretary, Ministry of Science, Technology and Innovation (MOSTI)</i>  |
| 9.50 am  | Souvenir Presentation   |
| 10.00 am   | Tea Break   |
| 10.30 am   | <u>Investing in Malaysia's Biotechnology Sector</u><br><b>Dato' Iskandar Mizal Mahmood</b><br><i>Chief Executive Officer, Malaysian Biotech Corporation (BiotechCorp)</i>   |
| 11.00 am   | <u>Intellectual Property Laws in the Context of Biotechnology Industry in Malaysia</u><br><b>Associate Prof. Rohazar Wati Zuallocobey</b><br><i>Deputy Director General (Industrial Property), Intellectual Property Corporation Malaysia (MyIPO)</i>   |
| 11.30 am   | <u>Venture Capitalist's Perspective for supporting and co-financing Biotechnology Investment Projects in Malaysia</u><br><b>Prof. Dr. Mohd Azmi Mohd Lila</b><br><i>Director of Investment, Malaysian Technology Development Corporation (MTDC)</i>   |
| 12.00 am   | <u>The European Union Biotech Industry Perspective : Market Trend &amp; Opportunities</u><br><b>Dr. Johan Vanhemelrijck</b><br><i>Secretary General, European Association for Bioindustries (EuropaBio), Belgium</i>  |
| 12.30 pm   | Questions & Answers Session   |
| 1.00 pm  | Lunch   |
| 2.00 pm  | Sectorial Presentation on Biotech Collaborative Opportunities between EU and Asia – Business, Technology, Research (Parallel Session)   |
| <b>Session 1: Bio Agriculture</b>                        |   |
| 2.00 pm  | <u>Chairperson</u><br><b>Dato' Dr. Abdul Latiff Mohamad</b><br><i>Professor of Botany, Faculty of Science and Technology, The National University of Malaysia (UKM)</i>   |
| 2.05 pm  | <u>Exploring the Megabiodiversity of Malaysia: Opportunities for Research Collaboration</u><br><b>Dato' Haji Abd Karim Bin Hj Hassan*</b><br><i>Chief Executive Officer, Johor Biotechnology &amp; Biodiversity Corporation</i>   |
| 2.35 pm  | <u>ABCAR-DIC Process &amp; LMTAI (Laboratory Mastering of Technologies for Agro-Industry) – La Rochelle University (France)</u><br><b>Prof. Abdul Karim Salim Allaf</b><br><i>University La Rochelle, France</i>  |
| 3.05 pm  | <u>Prospects of Collaboration via Agrobiotechnology from the Technology Licensing Perspective</u><br><b>Dr. Umi Kalsom Abu Bakar</b><br><i>Director, Biotechnology Research Centre, Malaysian Agricultural Research and Development Institute (MARDI)</i>   |
| 3.35 pm  | Tea Break   |
| 3.50 pm  | <u>Europe-Asia Research Cooperation in New Biological Active Plant Compounds</u><br><b>Dr. Dirk Wilken</b><br><i>Head of R&amp;D Department, BioPlanta GmbH, Germany</i>  |
| 4.20 pm  | <u>Introducing NIZO Food Research as a Partner for Contract Research in Food and Biotechnology</u><br><b>Dr. MC Meike te Giffel</b><br><i>Business Manager Asia Pacific;</i><br><b>Prof Dr M (Michiel) Kleerebezem</b><br><i>Principal Scientist 'Microbe Mediated Health' NIZO Food Researchers, The Netherlands</i> |
| <b>Session 2: Bio Manufacturing /White Biotechnology</b> |   |
| 2.00 pm  | <u>Chairperson</u><br><b>Dr. Mohamad Sanusi Jangi</b><br><i>Chief Scientific Officer, Inno Biologics Sdn Bhd</i>  |
| 2.05 pm  | <u>Strategies &amp; Case Studies for Trans-national co-operation in the White Biotechnology</u><br><b>Ms. Sophie Walton</b><br><i>Business Manager, The Centre for Process Innovation (CPI), UK</i>   |
| 2.35 pm  | <u>Collaboration – Biogen Idec's Priorities</u><br><b>Dr. Paul Coleman</b><br><i>Vice President, Government Affairs - International, Biogen IDEC, Denmark</i>   |
| 3.05 pm  | <u>Biotech and Biopharm Opportunities in The Czech Republic</u><br><b>Mr. Jiri Vanecek MD, PhD</b><br><i>Project Manager, Technology Centre, the Academy of Science, The Czech Republic</i>   |
| 3.35 pm  | Tea Break   |
| 3.50 pm  | <u>Creating the Pipeline of Innovative Palm Based Products: From the Perspective of Technology Transfer</u><br><b>Dato' Dr. Choo Yuen May</b><br><i>Deputy Director General, Malaysian Palm Oil Board(MPOB)</i>   |
| 4.20 pm  | <u>Partnership Opportunities with Ingrepro in Industrial Algae Production</u><br><b>Ir. Carel Callenbach</b><br><i>Director, Ingrepro BV, The Netherlands</i>   |
| 4.50 pm  | <u>Opportunities in the Production of PLA, a Bio-based Polymer from Renewable Resources</u><br><b>Mr. Haiko Zuidhoff</b><br><i>Managing Director, PURAC Asia Pacific Pte Ltd</i>  |
| 5.20 pm  | Questions & Answers Session   |
| 5.40 pm  | End of Programme  |

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| 4.50 pm                                 | <u>Agro-Biotech Business Opportunities in the State of Perak for European Biotech Companies</u><br><b>Mr. Massimo Giannelli</b><br><i>Managing Partner, Giannelli &amp; Partners, Italy</i>  |                                   |  |
| 5.20 pm                                 | Questions & Answers Session  |                                   |  |
| 5.40 pm                                 | End of Programme   |                                   |  |
| <b>Session 3: Bio Healthcare</b>        |  | <b>Session 4: Bio Informatics</b> |  |
| 2.00 pm                                 | <u>Chairperson</u><br><b>Dato' Dr. Nor Shahidah Khairullah</b><br><i>Chief Executive Officer, Ninebio Sdn Bhd</i>  | 2.00 pm                           | <u>Chairperson</u><br><b>Prof. Dr. Nor Muhammad Mahadi*</b><br><i>Director, Malaysia Genome Institute</i>  |
| 2.05 pm                                 | <u>BioPharmaceutical Opportunities in the Netherlands – Business and Technology Cooperation</u><br><b>Ir. Johan G. Hanstede</b><br><i>Chairman, BioFarMind, The Netherlands</i>  | 2.05 pm                           | <u>Agent-based Distributed Decision Support System for Brain Tumour Diagnosis and Prognosis</u><br><b>Mr. Magi Lluch-Ariet</b><br><i>Chief Executive Officer, MicroArt, Spain</i>  |
| 2.35 pm                                 | <u>Clinical Research Laws in Central Europe: Compliance Issues &amp; Opportunities for Asia Biotech Companies</u><br><b>Dr. Sándor Németh</b><br><i>Szecska – Attorneys at Law, Hungary</i>  | 2.35 pm                           | <u>Opportunities for European Bioinformatics Outsourcing Markets</u><br><b>Mr. Nitin Naik</b><br><i>Director, Asia Pacific, Frost &amp; Sullivan</i>   |
| 3.05 pm                                 | <u>Synthesis of Nanobiotechnology &amp; Pharmaceuticals in Drug Discovery: The Technology Transfer Perspective for Spin-off Companies</u><br><b>Dr. Nandan Erathodiyil</b><br><i>Senior Research Scientist, Institute of Bioengineering &amp; Nanotechnology Singapore</i> | 3.05 pm                           | <u>Collaborative Software Development Opportunities with Asia in Bioinformatics</u><br><b>Prof. Joost N. Kok</b><br><i>Head of the Research Clusters Algorithms &amp; Foundation of Software Technology of Leiden Institute of Advanced Computer Science, The Netherlands</i>  |
| 3.35 pm                                 | Tea Break  | 3.35 pm                           | Tea Break  |
| 3.50 pm                                 | <u>Collaboration Opportunities in Drug Development and Biohealthcare Project Management</u><br><b>Dr. Kees Groen</b><br><i>General Manager, Kinesis Holding BV, The Netherlands</i>  | 3.50 pm                           | <u>Collaborations with Biopharmaceutical Companies &amp; Academic Organisation with Genseq's Technology Platform</u><br><b>Dr. Waqas A Awan</b><br><i>Bioinformatic Manager, Genseq, UK</i>  |
| 4.20 pm                                 | <u>Oxitec's Biotech Solution to Malaysia's Dengue Problem</u><br><b>Dr. S. S. Vasan</b><br><i>Head of Public Health, Oxitec Ltd., UK</i>   | 4.20 pm                           | <u>Creating Global Discovery &amp; Biomarkers Projects by BIO-IT</u><br><b>Mr. Marko Mäenpää</b><br><i>Chief Executive Officer, Genolyze Ltd, Finland</i>  |
| 4.50 pm                                 | <u>Maximising Malaysia's Role in the Global Biopharmaceutical Value Chain</u><br><b>Mr. Martyn Postle</b><br><i>Director, Cambridge Healthcare &amp; Biotech Ltd., UK</i>  | 4.50 pm                           | <u>Bioinformatics &amp; Genomics in France: High Flexibility in Setting up Academic-Industrial Collaborations</u><br><b>Prof. Jean-Michel Claverie</b><br><i>Head of Institute for Structural Biology &amp; Microbiology (IBSM); Professor of Medical Genomics &amp; Bioinformatics, University of Mediterranee CNRS, France</i> |
| 5.20 pm                                 | <u>Development &amp; Acquisition of Anticancer Agents from Marine Sources: Collaborations Opportunities with PharmaMar</u><br><b>Mr. Simon Munt D. Phil. (Oxon)</b><br><i>Medicinal Chemistry Manager, R&amp;D, Pharma Mar, S.A. Sociedad Unipersonal, Spain</i>           | 5.20 pm                           | Questions & Answers Session  |
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| 6.00 pm                                 | End of Programme   |                                   |  |
| <b>Session 5: Funding Opportunities</b> |  |                                   |  |
| 2.00 pm                                 | <u>Chairperson</u><br><b>Ms. Darawati Hussain</b><br><i>Chief Executive Officer, CAV Private Equity Management Sdn Bhd</i>   |                                   |  |
| 2.05 pm                                 | <u>Initial Public Offering (IPO) Opportunity for Life Science Companies in Alternative Investment Market (AIM). UK</u><br><b>Mr. Damian Adams</b><br><i>Associate, Watson, Farley &amp; Williams LLP, United Kingdom</i>   |                                   |  |
| 2.55 pm                                 | <u>Growth Capital Opportunities for Development-Stage Biotech Companies: Deal-Making with Venture Capitalists</u><br><b>Mr. Alberto Bautista</b><br><i>Sector Partner, 3i Investment plc, United Kingdom</i>   |                                   |  |
| 3.45 pm                                 | Tea Break  |                                   |  |
| 4.00 pm                                 | <u>Funding Opportunities from FP7 (7<sup>th</sup> Framework Programme) for Biotech Research Projects and Experience Sharing of Successful Application</u><br><b>Ms. Bodil Palmberg</b><br><i>Project Manager, Europa Media PSC, Hungary</i>                                |                                   |  |
| 4.50 pm                                 | Questions & Answers Session  |                                   |  |
| 5.20 pm                                 | End of Programme   |                                   |  |

\*Note: Proposed speakers are subject to confirmation