



# EuropaBio

**The European Association for Bioindustries**


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## *The European Association for Bio-Industries*



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- Creation in 1996
  - 70 member companies operating worldwide
  - 14 associate organisations
  - 5 regions
  - 24 national biotechnology associations

The voice of over 1800 small and medium-sized enterprises involved in research, development, testing, manufacturing and commercialisation of biotechnology applications.

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## *The European Association for Bio-Industries*

A wide range of activities

- ✓ human and animal health care
- ✓ diagnostics
- ✓ bio-informatics
- ✓ chemicals
- ✓ crop protection
- ✓ agriculture
- ✓ food and environmental products and services

EuropaBio also welcomes associate members such as international commercial, financial, asset management and other service-providing companies, regional biotechnology development organisations and scientific institutes.

*The common denominator among all our members is the use of biotechnology at any stage of research, development or manufacturing.*

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Our mission

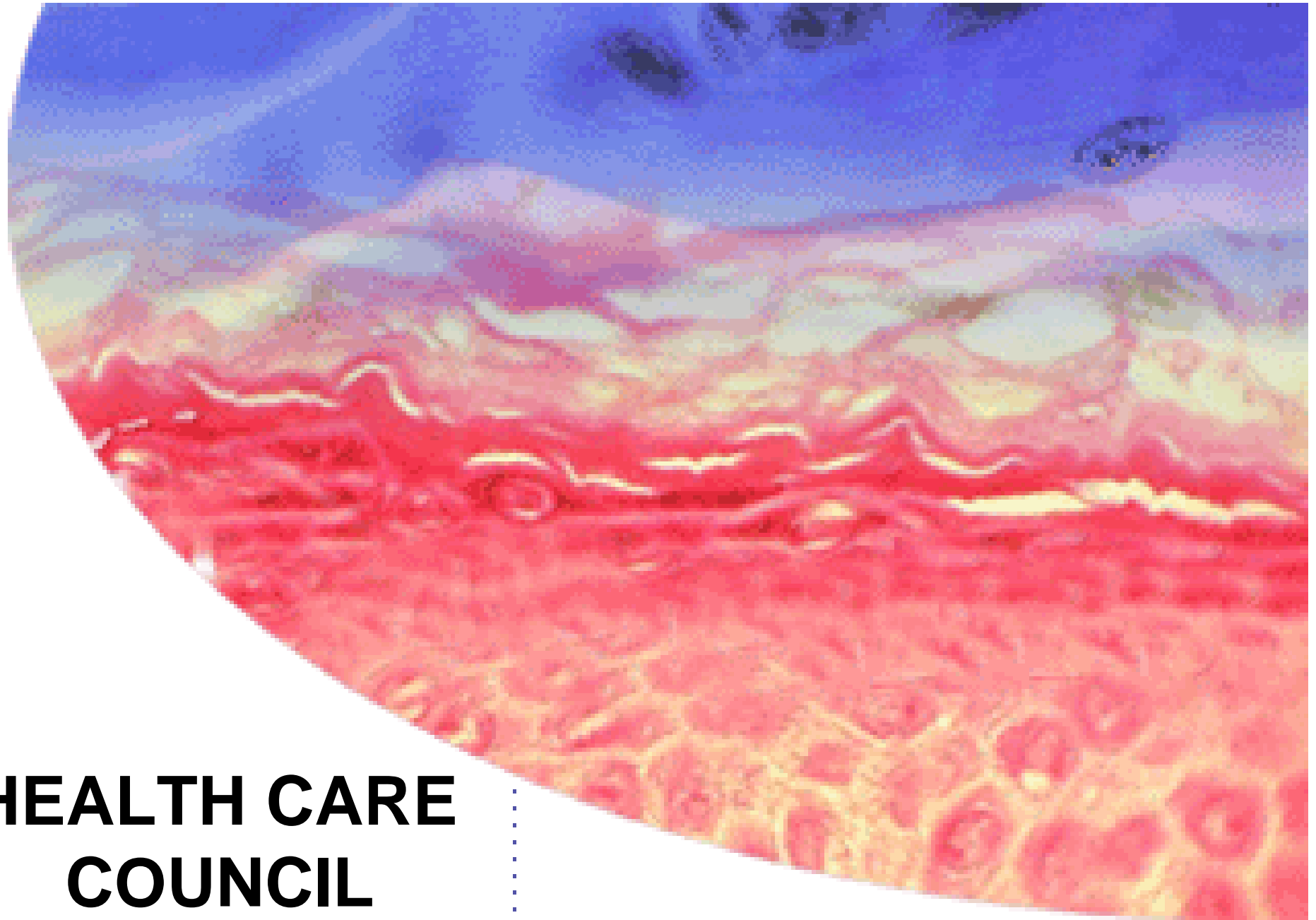
*To promote an innovative and dynamic  
biotechnology-based industry in Europe!*

## Realising our Mission

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- ✓ Advocate free and open markets and the removal of barriers to competitiveness with other areas of the world
  - ✓ Open, informed dialogue with all stakeholders
  - ✓ Responsible use of biotechnology
  - ✓ Pay particular importance to the interest of entrepreneurial members

## What we do

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- ✓ Primary focus is the European Union
  - ✓ Dialogue with the European institutions and contribute to the creation of a coherent legislation for bio industries
  - ✓ Foster a standing dialogue with policy makers and stakeholders at a national level and cooperate with Member State governments



**HEALTH CARE  
COUNCIL**

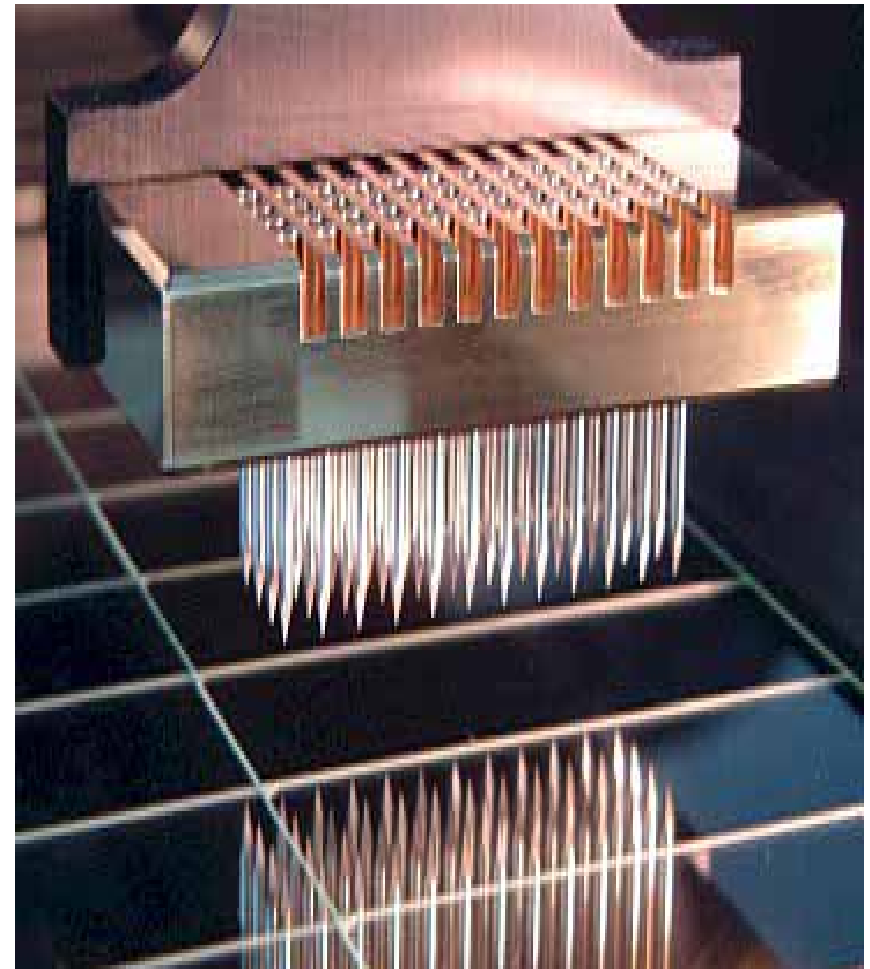


# HEALTH CARE COUNCIL

**The council's members are representatives of companies and national associations involved in health care applications of biotechnology.**

**They set and implement the healthcare related priorities of its members.**

**The Healthcare Council, oversees specific working groups on advanced therapies, orphan drug, biosimilars and other subject areas as appropriate.**



# **AGRIFOOD COUNCIL**

## **Biotechnology for Agricultural Applications**



# AGRIFOOD COUNCIL

The Agri-food Council

**The AC is made up of representatives of companies and national associations with an interest in agri-food biotech applications. It sets priorities for EuropaBio's working groups.**

**The AC follows the work of groups working on the Biosafety Protocol, Codex Alimentarius, Food Feed Traceability Labelling Regulation and Environmental Liability legislation.**

**The AC includes a number of companies that make up the Plant Biotechnology Unit (PBU) of EuropaBio, and there is very close co-operation between this Council and the PBU on all plant biotechnology issues.**



# INDUSTRIAL BIOTECHNOLOGY COUNCIL



## Biotechnology for Industrial Applications





## **INDUSTRIAL BIOTECHNOLOGY COUNCIL**

**The Industrial Biotechnology Council counts corporate members whose interest is focused on industrial and environmental applications of biotechnology.**

**The Council sets priorities on legislative matters and communication actions for white biotechnology to promote this new emerging area of application.**

**The Industrial Biotechnology Council is assisted by the Industrial Biotechnology working group.**



# EMERGING ENTERPRISE COUNCIL

*From Invention to Innovation to Market*



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*Improving the financial environment to increase the global competitiveness of European Biotech SMEs*

The members of this group are CEOs and executives of entrepreneurial biotechnology companies.

Its aim is to ensure that the priorities of SMEs in life sciences and biotechnology are addressed at EU and national level.

The Emerging Enterprises Council is working in close collaboration with the other sectoral councils, and in particular with the Healthcare Council.



**NATIONAL**

**ASSOCIATIONS**

**COUNCIL**

**Synapses are specialized junctions through which cells of the nervous system signal to one another and to non-neuronal cells such as muscles or glands.**

***The human brain contains from 100 to 500 trillion synapses.***

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## **NATIONAL ASSOCIATION COUNCIL**

The NAC is a platform that brings together all EuropaBio's National Associations and helps to ensure coordination of EuropaBio actions throughout Europe.

The NAC also gives a focus to developing Europe's biotech sector and strengthening its scope both in Europe and internationally.



*24 National Associations  
representing 1800 Small &  
Medium Size Enterprises*

# Board Decision

## Biodefense Task Force.

Meeting on the 28th of march

Mandate:

- To determine the interest of members and attract new members interested by the subject.
- To represent the Biotechnology industry on the issue of Biodefence.
- To develop the EuropaBio Biodefence Business plan
- To draft positions
- To identify opportunities for the Bio-industry.

# EU Life Science Strategy Mid-term review

✓ See attached slides

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**THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION**