

BioAsia 2009: The Global Biobusiness Forum

February 2 - 4, 2009, Hyderabad International Convention Centre (HICC), Hyderabad

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<u>TIME</u>	<u>SESSION ON</u>
February 01, 2009 (Pre-conference Session)	
09.30 - 13.00	BIOPARKS SESSION <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Visit to ICICI Knowledge Park and SP Biotech Park</i> • <i>Interactive Session on "Sustainability of Bioparks"</i> <p style="text-align: center;">SPONSORED BY ICICI KNOWLEDGE PARK & SP BIOTECH PARK, HYDERABAD</p>
13.00 - 14.00	Lunch at ICICI Knowledge Park
15.30	Return to Hyderabad City
15.30 Onwards	Registration at HICC
Inaugural Ceremony of BioAsia 2009: The Global Biobusiness Forum	
17:00 - 17:05	Arrival of Chief Guest, Dr. Y S Rajasekhara Reddy , Hon'ble Chief Minister, Government of Andhra Pradesh
17:05 - 17:10	Welcome Address by Prof. Seyed E Hasnain , Vice Chancellor, University of Hyderabad, Chairman, AP Biotech Advisory Council and BioAsia 2009 Advisory Board
17:10 - 17:15	Address by Prof. Tissa Vitarana , Hon'ble Minister for Science & Technology, Govt. of Sri Lanka
17:15 - 17:20	Address by Dr. Abbas S Lofti , Hon'ble Dy. Minister of Science & Technology, Govt. of Iran
17:20 - 17:25	Address by Dr. Manel Balcells , Hon'ble President, BioRegion of Catalonia and Former Minister of Research and Innovation, Govt. of Catalonia
17:25 - 17:30	Address by Address by His Excellency, Sir Richard Stagg , British High Commissioner
17:30 - 17:40	Presidential Address by Dr. J. Geeta Reddy , Hon'ble Minister of Tourism, Sugar, Major Industries, Commerce & Export Promotion, Government of AP
17:40 - 17:45	Launching of AP Student Wing of All India Biotech Association by the Chief Guest
17:45 - 17:50	Presentation of Genome Valley Excellence Award by the Chief Guest to Prof. Marc Van Montagu , Founder and Chairman, Institute of Plant Biotechnology for Developing Countries, Belgium and Dr. Martin Mackay , President (Global Research & Development), Pfizer, USA
17:50 - 17:55	Acceptance Speech by Prof. Marc Van Montagu
17:55 - 18:00	Acceptance Speech by Dr. Martin Mackay
18:00 - 18:15	Inaugural Address by Dr. Y S Rajasekhara Reddy , Hon'ble Chief Minister, Government of Andhra Pradesh
18:15 - 18:20	Presentation of Mementos to the Chief Guest and Guests of Honour
18:20 - 18:25	Vote of Thanks by Dr. B. S. Bajaj , Convener, BioAsia 2009, Chairman, AIBA-SC and Secretary General, FABA, Hyderabad
18.25 - 18.45	High Tea
Inaugural Plenary	
18.45 - 19.15	Dr. Martin Mackay, President (Global Research & Development), Pfizer, USA
19.15 - 19.45	Mr. Stefan Borgas, CEO, Lonza, Switzerland
19.30 – 21.00	BIO-BANQUET DINNER HOSTED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

February 02, 2009 – Day 1				
08:00 Onwards Registration at HICC (Continues)				
	Track I	Speakers	Track II (Agri Biotech)	Speakers
09:30 - 11:00	<u>Session I</u> Business Drivers leading to Collaborations & Licensing Coordinator Ms. Deepanwita Chattopadhyay, CEO, ICICI KP SPONSORED BY MERCK & CO., USA	Chairman: Dr. Swaminathan Subramaniam, Director, Licensing & External Research, Merck & Co., Inc., India Dr. Reid Leonard, Director, Research and Licensing, Merck & Co., USA Prof. Abbas S. Lotfi, Director, NIGEB, Iran Prof. Brian F Clark, Vice President, European Federation of Biotechnology, Barcelona Dr Ravi Sodha, Senior Director, Business Development, Actelion Pharma, Switzerland	<u>Session II</u> Crop Biotechnology: Scope and Challenges Coordinator Prof. A. R. Reddy, VC, Yogi Vemana University, AP RELEASE OF ISAAA BRIEFS 38-2009 “THE DEVELOPMENT AND REGULATION OF BT BRINJAL IN INDIA (EGGPLANT/ AUBERGINE)” BY PROF MARC MONTAGU	Chairman: Prof. VL Chopra, Member, Planning Commission, Govt. of India, New Delhi Prof. Marc Van Montagu, Founder and Chairman, Institute of Plant Biotechnology for Developing Countries, Belgium Prof. Heinz Saedler, Director, Max-Planck Institute, Koln, Germany Dr. Robert Tuberosa, Professor, University of Bologna, Italy
11:00 - 11:30 Tea/ Coffee Break				
11:30 - 13:00	<u>Session III</u> Innovative solutions to Funding challenges Coordinator Dr. Aditya Kapil, Principal, APIDC Venture East, Hyderabad	Chairman: Mr. Sarath Naru, Managing Partner, APIDC Venture East, Hyderabad Moderator: Dr. Aditya Kapil, Principal, APIDC Venture East, Hyderabad Panelist Dr. Jasmin Patel, Managing Director, Fidelity India Capital, Mumbai Mr. Alex Charlton, Rodman & Renshaw, New York, USA Dr. Prasad Sunkara, Advisor, M&A Group, Rodman & Renshaw LLC, USA Dr. Chris Lowe, Director, Institute of Biotechnology, Cambridge University, UK	<u>Session IV</u> Food Technology: Human Health and safety Coordinator Prof. A. R. Reddy, VC, Yogi Vemana University, AP	Chairman: Dr. Sesikeran, Director, National Institute of Nutrition, Hyderabad Dr. G. Sarwar Gilani, Senior Research Scientist, Nutrition Research Division, Health Canada, Government of Canada Dr. Erik Boy, Nutrition coordinator, Global Research Program, HarvestPlus, USA
13:00 -15:00 Lunch & Visit to Exhibition (Short Presentation by some Industries in tradeshow area)				
15:00 - 16:30	<u>Session V</u> Partnerships in Drug Discovery in Asian Countries: Case Studies Coordinator Mr. Kali Prasad, Regional Head, E&Y, Hyderabad	Chairman: Dr. Krishna M. Ella, Chairman and Managing Director, Bharat Biotech Ltd., Hyderabad Moderator: Dr Swapan Bhattacharya, MD, TCG Life Sciences, Bangalore Panelists Dr Rashmi Barbhaiya, MD & CEO Advinus Therapeutics, Bangalore Dr Krishna Kanumudi, COO, Sai Advantium Dr. Hartmut Kühn, University Medicine Berlin Charité, Manhijoustr., Berlin, Germany Dr. Manni Kantipudi, GVK Bio, Hyderabad Dr. Ajit Mahadevan, E & Y, Hyderabad	<u>Session VI</u> Seed Technology: An important Industry in developing Countries Coordinator Dr. Kiran K. Sharma, Principal Scientist, ICRISAT	Chairman: Dr. P. Vidhyasagar, Chairman & Managing Director, Vibha Agrotech Ltd, Hyderabad Dr. Paresh Verma, Managing Director, Bioseed Research Pvt. Ltd. Hyderabad
16:30 Onwards Tea/ Coffee Break and Visit to Exhibition (Short Presentation by some Industries in tradeshow area)				
19:30 - 21.30	CEO's Conclave & Dinner (Only for CEO's & invitees) Theme: Taking Biotechnology Industry to the Next Level		Moderator: Dr. Ajit Mahadevan, E & Y, Hyderabad Panelists: Dr DS Brar (Chairman Davix Management Services) Dr Villoo Morawala Patel (Chairperson and MD Avesthagen) Mr. Stefan Borgas (CEO, Lonza) Prof. Marc Van Montagu (Chairman, IPBDC) Dr KV Subramaniam (CEO Reliance Life Sciences)	
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09:00 - 11:00	<p><u>Session VII</u> Oncology & Monoclonal Antibodies</p> <p>Coordinator Prof. Reddanna, School of Life Sciences, University of Hyderabad</p>	<p>Chairman: Dr. J Gowrishankar, Director, CDFD, Hyderabad</p> <p>Dr. Robert W. Naismith, Chairman & CEO, Roosevelt Capital Partners, LLC, PA, USA</p> <p>Dr. Vijay Ramakrishnan, Founder & CEO/ Dr. Janet McNicholas, PIKAMAB Inc, CA, USA</p> <p>Dr. Amitabha Chaudhuri, Scientist, Genentech, CA, USA</p> <p>Dr. Shireen Vali, Cellworks Group Inc., CA, USA</p> <p>Dr. Barry Furr, Former Chief Scientist, AstraZeneca, UK</p>	<p><u>Session VIII</u> Phytopharmaceuticals</p> <p>Coordinator Dr. G.B.K. Rao, Chairman and Managing Director, Pragati Green Meadows and Resorts Ltd, Hyderabad</p>	<p>Chairman: Dr. G.B.K. Rao, Chairman and Managing Director, Pragati Green Meadows and Resorts Ltd, Hyderabad</p> <p>Dr. J. L. N. Sastry, Director, Pragati Ayushman Pvt. Ltd. Co., Hyderabad</p> <p>Dr. Yamini Bhusan Tripathi, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi</p> <p>Dr. Abdul Manan, Haruan Research Group, Department of Biomedical Sciences, , University Putra, Malaysia</p>	
11:00 - 11:30 Tea/ Coffee Break					
11:30 - 12:00	<p><u>Session IX</u> Vaccines: India's Strength</p> <p>Coordinator Dr. K. I. Varaprasad Reddy, CEO, Shantha Biotechniques, Hyderabad</p> <p>SPONSORED BY SHANTHA BIOTECHNIQUES, HYDERABAD</p>	<p>Chairman: Dr. K. I. Varaprasad Reddy, CEO, Shantha Biotechniques, Hyderabad</p> <p>Dr. Albrecht Laufer, Corvay GmbH, Germany</p> <p>Dr. Alexander Von Gabain, Founder and CEO, Intercell, Austria</p> <p>Dr. Raman, Vice President, Scientific & Medical Affairs, Shantha Biotechnics Ltd</p> <p>Dr. Srinivasan Chandrasegaran, Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions, Baltimore, USA</p>	<p><u>Session X</u> Biofuels</p> <p>Coordinator Dr. Kiran K. Sharma, Principal Scientist, ICRISAT</p>	<p>Chairman: Dr. Shriram, Tata Chemicals Ltd., Hyderabad</p> <p>Dr. Taher Abbasi, Co-founder and CEO, Cellworks Group Inc., CA, USA</p> <p>Prof. Pogaku Ravindra, School of Engineering and Information Technology, University of Malaysia, Malaysia</p> <p>Dr. Belum V.S. Reddy, Principal Scientist (Sorghum Breeding), ICRISAT, Hyderabad</p>	
13:00 - 15:00 Lunch & Visit to Exhibition (Short Presentation by some Industries in tradeshow area)					
15:00 - 16:30	<p><u>Session XI</u> Service Sectors (CROs, CMOs & Outsourcing)</p>	<p>Chairman: Prof. C. Channa Reddy, Director Emeritus, Huck Institutes of the Life Sciences, Penn. State University, USA</p> <p>Ms. Jumana Barnagarwala, Principal Consultant, Healthcare, Datamonitor, India</p> <p>Dr. John M Hyde, Chairman & Founder, Hyde Engineering & Consulting, Inc., USA</p> <p>Dr. Nanda P.B.A. Kumar, Reed Smith LLP, USA</p>	<p><u>Session XII</u> Animal improvement and Genomics</p> <p>Coordinator Dr. Satish Kumar, Dy. Director, CCMB, Hyderabad</p>	<p>Chairman: Dr. Lalji Singh, Director, CCMB, Hyderabad</p> <p>Dr. Morris Agaba, International Livestock Research Institute, Kenya</p> <p>Dr. Giri, Genomics Biotech Ltd, Hyderabad</p> <p>Dr. Satish Kumar, Dy. Director, CCMB, Hyderabad</p>	
16:30 - 17:00 Tea/ Coffee Break					
17:00 - 19.00	<p><u>Session XIII</u> Nanotechnology and CADD approaches for drug discovery</p> <p>Coordinator Prof. Reddanna, School of Life Sciences, University of Hyderabad</p>	<p>Chairman Prof. Reddanna, School of Life Sciences, University of Hyderabad</p> <p>Dr. Sundara Ramaprabhu, Nano-Functional Materials Technology Centre (NFMTC), IITM, Chennai</p> <p>Dr. D. Rambhau, Advisor-NDDD, Natco Pharma Limited, Hyderabad</p> <p>Dr. Rami Reddy Mutyala, Co-founder and Chairman, RR Labs Inc, SanDiego, USA</p> <p>Dr. Chandra U Singh, Trinity Laboratories Inc Texas, USA</p>	<p><u>Session XIV</u> Animal Biotechnology: Diagnostics and Vaccines</p> <p>Coordinator Dr. Satish Kumar, Dy. Director, CCMB, Hyderabad</p>	<p>Chairman: Prof. Rakesh Bhatnagar, School of Biotechnology, Jawaharlal Nehru University, Delhi</p> <p>Dr. S. N. Singh, MD, BioVet Pvt. Ltd, Bangalore</p> <p>Dr GS Reddy, CGM, IIL, Hyderabad</p> <p>Dr. D. K. Dey, General Manager (Biotechnology), Globion Ltd, Hyderabad</p> <p>Dr JC Hodgson, Principal Scientist, Bacteriology Division, Moredun Research Institute, UK</p> <p>Prof. Hongxuan He, National Research Center For Wildlife Born Diseases, China</p>	
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February 04, 2009 – Day 3				
	Track I	Speakers	Track II (Agri Biotech)	Speakers
09:00 - 10:30	<p>Session XV Stem Cell Research Scenario in India</p> <p>Coordinator Dr. Alka Sharma, Joint Director, DBT, India</p> <p>SPONSORED BY DBT, GOVT. OF INDIA</p>	<p>Chairman: Dr. D. Balasubramaniam, Director (Research), LVPEI, Hyderabad</p> <p>Dr. Alka Sharma, Joint Director / Scientist E, DBT, New Delhi</p> <p>Dr. Geeta K. Vemuganti, LVPEI, Hyderabad</p> <p>Dr. Sujata Mohanty, AIIMS, New Delhi</p> <p>Dr. Deepa Bhartiya, NIRRH, Mumbai</p>	<p>Session XVI Agri Biotech Platform: Products and Services</p> <p>Coordinator Dr. Kiran K. Sharma, Principal Scientist, Genetic Transformation Lab, ICRISAT</p>	<p>Chairman: Dr. Vivek Singhal, President, All India Biotech Association, New Delhi</p> <p>Dr. Peter Langridge, CEO, Australian Center for Plant Functional Genomics, University of Adelaide, Australia</p> <p>Dr. S. R. Rao, Scientist G, DBT, Govt. of India, New Delhi</p> <p>Dr. Kiran K. Sharma, Principal Scientist, Genetic Transformation Lab, ICRISAT</p>
10:30 - 11:00 Tea/ Coffee Break				
11:00 - 12:30	<p>Session XVII Manpower Challenges in Biotechnology</p> <p>Coordinator Mr. Suresh Narayanan, Chief Editor, Biospectrum, Bangalore</p>	<p>Chairman: Prof. V. S. Rao, Director, Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Hyderabad</p> <p>Co-Chairman: Prof. A. R. Reddy, Vice Chancellor, Yogi Vemana University, Kadappa, AP</p> <p>Moderator: Mr. Suresh Narayanan, Chief Editor, Biospectrum, Bangalore</p> <p>Panelists: Mr. Shrikumar Suryanarayan, DG, Association of Biotech Led Enterprises (ABLE), Bangalore</p> <p>Mr Ravi C Dasgupta, Group HR Head, Biocon, Bangalore</p> <p>Dr. S P Vasireddi, Chairman & Managing Director Vimta Labs Limited, Hyderabad</p> <p>Dr. Vijayaraghavan, Satguru Consultants, Hyderabad*</p>	To combine with Track I	
12:45 - 13:30	<p>Valedictory Session</p> <p>Chief Guest: Mr. Subodh Kant Sahai, Hon'ble Union Minister, Ministry of Food Processing Industries, Govt. of India, New Delhi</p> <p>Guest of Honour: Prof. M. K. Bhan, Secretary to the Govt. of India, Department of Biotechnology, New Delhi* Dr. William Dar, Director General, ICRISAT</p> <p>Presentation of BioAsia Innovation Award and the BioAsia Young Minds Award by the Chief Guest</p>			
12:30 - 14:30 Lunch & Visit to Exhibition (Short Presentation by some Industries in tradeshow area)				