

BioSynEurope

Biotherapies & Biomanufacturing: From France's National Initiatives to European Synergies

November 25 and 26, 2026

Grand Auditorium, BnF
Quai François Mauriac, Paris

Wednesday, November 25th

- 8:30 am **Welcome coffee**
- 9:00 am **Institutional opening**
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EUROPEAN PERSPECTIVES AND BEYOND

Structuring of the sector in France, Europe and Canada

- 9:20 am **Building bridges: Structuring the Biotherapeutics sector across Europe and Canada**
FRANCE : Speaker TBA (Health Innovation Agency) - Laurent Lafferrère (France Biolead)
GERMANY : Christopher Baum (Berlin Institute of Health)
THE NETHERLANDS : Bernard Mulder (RegMedXB)
- 10:15 am **Coffee break**
- 10:45 am
SPAIN - Speaker TBA (Biocat)
UNITED KINGDOM - Matthew Durdy (Catapult)
CANADA - speaker TBA
- 11:35 am **Coffee break**
- 12:10 pm **Round Table 1: Structuring and attractiveness of the Biotherapies and Bioproduction sector in Europe**
Thomas Van Cangh (European Commission)
Speaker TBA (Health Innovation Agency)
Christopher Baum (Berlin Institute of Health)
Speaker TBA (Biocat)
Bernard Mulder (RegMedXB)
- 1:05 pm **Lunch break**
- 2:35 pm **Round Table 2: Translating research discoveries into Biotherapeutic**
Paul Baduel (Sanofi)
Matthew Durdy (Catapult)
Pierre Launay (CRI)
Adrien Clavairoly (AdBio)
- 3:10 pm **Round Table 3: Biotherapeutic Biomanufacturing: mind the steps**
Jérôme Bédier
Alexandra Patriksson (Testa Center)
Amel Hadri (INITS)
- 3:45 pm **Coffee break**

EUROPEAN PERSPECTIVES

Regulatory and health sovereignty

- 4:15 pm **From innovation to regulation: the European framework through the lens of therapeutic antibodies**
Speaker TBA
- 4:45 pm **Navigating the evolving European regulatory framework: EMA support tools for biotherapeutics development**
Oriane Blanquie (European Medical Agency)
- 5:15 pm **Regulatory challenges for Biopharmaceuticals in Europe**
Christopher Conrad (Berlin Institute of Health)
- 5:45 pm **Closing of the day**

6:00 pm

NETWORKING COCKTAIL

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BIOPHARMACEUTICALS JOURNEY

From design to market launch: Lessons learned

9:05 am **Antibody development: lessons learned from discovery to clinical stage**
Paul Martres (LFB)

10:05 am **Keys lessons in rare disease and gene therapy development: insights from sickle cell disease**
Speaker TBA

11:05 am **Coffee break**

11:35 am **From autologous to allogeneic and in vivo CAR-T: navigating the evolution of cell therapy development**
Jean-Roch Fabreguettes (MEARY)
Speaker TBA

12:35 pm **Lunch break**

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2:35 pm **A European framework for Biotechnology: ambitions and impacts of the Biotech Act**
Speaker TBA

3:10 pm **Round Table 4: Biotech Act: towards a European regulatory harmonisation for innovative therapies**
Christopher Conrad (Berlin Institute of Health)
Aurélie Mahalatchimy (CNRS - UMR DICE)
Magda Chlebus (EFPIA)

4:00 pm **Closing remarks**

4:20 pm **End of the meeting**



This program is designed in collaboration with the organization committee composed of members of the Integrator Network, PEPR Biotherapies, France Biolead, COMBIO and CMA (BIOT2@Normandie, Bio'Occ, IBES, Train4Bioprod).