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Editorial



Swiss Biotech Association looks back to a successful program in 2014. Together with partners from academia and industry we took part in more than 30 national and close to ten

international events promoting Switzerland as an attractive place for biotechnology. This steady communication and promotion of the location over the last years that means that Switzerland is now regarded as one of the top places for Biotechnology in the world. Such a positive perception needs to be constantly maintained and certainly supports the members of the SBA and the industry as a whole.

We won't rest but see additional opportunities to further optimize the conditions for biotechnology which will further strengthen Switzerland internationally. In 2015 the SBA in partnership with biotechnet will increase efforts to optimize to optimize the framework conditions for the industry.

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NTN partners:





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International Conferences 2015

Swiss Biotech™ presence in 2015 is increasing steadily. Meet us at the following events:

Conference	Date	Location
Bio-Europe Spring	9 11. March	Paris
BioTrinity	11 13. May	London
BIO International Conference	14 18. June	Philadelphia
Nordic Life Science Days	8 10. September	Stockholm
BioPharm America™	15 17. September	Boston
Biotechnica	16 18. October	
Bio-Europe	24. November	Munich

Traditionally, Swiss Biotech™ is present with a booth offering general information on Biotechnology and highlights companies attending the event.

National Events 2015

Conference	Date	Location
Swiss Biotech™ Day	14. April	Basel
Swiss Biotech™ Innovation Day	19. August	Zug
Swiss Biotech™ Fall Day	15. October	Monthey

Visit www.swissbiotech.org – event section for more information on events where Swiss Biotech™ is supporting and/or promoting.

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The Directory 2015/2016 is now in distribution. Beyond core biotechnology, the directory includes industry members involved on the supply ranging from technology providers, suppliers of equipment and services to contract research, bioinformatics, consulting and finance companies.

Companies Participating in 2015

AMVAC INNOVATIVE VACCINES	Amvac Baarerstrasse 22 CH-6300 Zug www.amvac.eu	AmVac AG is a highly innovative Swiss biotech company with the focus to develop and commercialize novel therapeutic and prophylactic vaccines.
Anergils	Anergis SA Route de la Corniche 9B CH-1066 Epalinges www.anergis.ch	Anergis is a clinical stage biopharmaceutical company developing unique ultra-fast allergy desensitization vaccines based on its proprietary technology platform of Contiguous Overlapping Peptides.
bioarK	BioArk Rte de L'Ile-au-Bois 1A CH-1870 Monthey www.bioark.ch	BioArk is a technology site specialising in life sciences. It supports start-ups and existing companies working in the fields of biotechnology and regenerative medicine.
biotechnet	Biotechnet Switzerland c/o Berner Fachhochschule Pestalozzistrasse 20 CH-3400 Burgdorf www.biotechnet.ch	The biotechnet is a partnership of the Swiss Universities of Applied Sciences and Empa active in the field of biotechnology. It was formed in 1998 as a national network of competence in research. Through participation in and competent execution of high-caliber R&D projects, the biotechnet rapidly gained recognition as specialized partner to complement R&D projects with state-of-the art as well as innovative technologies.
biblimann life science communication	Heike Bihlmann Erliweg 5 CH-4133 Pratteln www.blsc.ch	bihlmann life science communication - provide ,hands-on' experience - with pharmaceutical background - in the field of corporate communication, event management, business development, management of international projects and human resources.
BSYS	B'SYS Gmbh Benkenstrasse 254 CH-4108 Witterswil www.bsys.ch	As a contract research organization (CRO) B'SYS provides assistance to pharmaceutical settings in Ion Channel Discovery. The company focuses on the fast screening of new substances on ion channel drug targets. B'SYS' technological innovation serves electrophysiological tools for HTS Drug Discovery needs in lead identification and candidate selection.
INFLAMLPS	Inflamalps Route de l'Ile-au-Bois 1A CH-1870 Monthey www.inflamalps.com	Inflamalps is a start-up company which provides patients novel cost-effective molecules to treat chronic inflammatory conditions with high efficacy and low side effects. Technologies include; recepto biology, compound libraries , indications and biological assays & molecules.
Lonza	Lonza Münchensteinerstrasse 38 CH-4002 Basel www.lonza.com	As a worldwide leader supplying the pharmaceutical and biotechnology industries with biopharmaceuticals, Lonza furnishes different markets with state-of-the-art products, services, and research. Our customers range from professionals within the pharmaceutical, biotechnology, academic, and government research industries to manufacturers of consumer and health products, distributors, formulators, and service companies. (partially present)
L O R O C H communication & training in life sciences	Loroch La Mottaz-Vy CH-1186 Esertines-sur Rolle www.loroch.ch	Loroch Communication & Training in Life Sciences (Loroch CTLS) specializes in transdisciplinary scientific and healthcare communication and training. Our objective is to help professionals in any domain and the general public to become truly literate in life sciences, in particular in biology and biotechnology.
Microsunth THE SWISS DNA COMPANY	Microsynth AG Schützenstrasse 15 CH-9436 Balgach www.microsynth.ch	Microsynth, founded in 1989, is the first private DNA synthesis laboratory in Switzerland. The company is certified according to ISO 9001:2008 and accredited according to ISO 17025 (STS 429).
NBE therapeutic	NBE-Therpeutics LLC Hochbergerstrasse 60C - Technologie Park Basel CH-4057 Basel www.NBE-Therapeutics.com	NBE-Therapeutics puts focuses on the development and commercialization of innovative technologies and product opportunities for New Biological Entities (NBEs), with a focus on developing fully human therapeutic antibodies and site-specifically conjugated, "next-generation" antibody drug conjugates (ADCs) with the vision to create advanced and powerful therapies for human cancer diseases.
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precine biosystems your partner in drug validation	Preclin Biosystems AG Biopole Route de la Corniche 4 1066 Epalinges www.preclinbiosystems.com	Preclin Biosystems AG offers a comprehensive in vivo preclinical testing platform for the identification and validation of lead candidate therapeutics.
R regulanet	Dr. Regenold GmbH International Regulatory Affairs Am Berg 4 D-79410 Badenweiler www.regulanet.com	regulanet® is a network of regulatory affairs consultancies with members in over 90 countries throughout the world. Founded in 2001 and led by Dr Regenold GmbH, regulanet® offers services to a wide variety of national and international healthcare and pharmaceutical clients.
Swiss Biotech Association	Swiss Biotech Association Wengistrasse 7 CH-8004 Zurich www.swissbiotech.org	The Swiss Biotech Association represents the interests of the biotech sector, supports the entrepreneurship of biotech companies, and generates value for members and the industry.
SWITZERLAND GLOBAL ENTERPRISE enabling new business	Switzerland Global Enterprise Stampfenbachstrasse 85 CH-8006 Zurich www.s-ge.com	We work all over the world to support entrepreneurs and promote Switzerland as a business location. Our role as a center of excellence for internationalization is to foster exports, imports and investments, to help clients develop new potential for their international businesses and to strengthen Switzerland as an economic hub. We are a strong and trusted partner for our clients, the cantons and the Swiss government, with a global network of experienced advisers and experts.
SWITT swiss technology transfer association	swiTT P.O.Box CH-3000 Bern www.switt.ch	The Swiss Technology Transfer Association (swiTT) is the association of technology transfer professionals who are active in the transfer of technology from institutes of public research and education, university hospitals, and other not-for-profit research organizations to the private sector. Founded in October 2003 it includes a large number of members and support institutions.