

**CONFERENCE ON
“BIOTECHNOLOGY FOR TURKEY”**

Thursday 8 November, at Grand Cevahir Hotel, Şişli, Istanbul

Sponsored by
PHARMACEUTICAL and CHEMICAL R&D FOUNDATION (İKEV)

Scientific Organizers
**Dr Selçuk Özceada & Assoc. Prof. Talat Çiftçi
(BOSFOR BIOSCIENCE PARTNERS)**

Final Program

- 08:00** **Registration**
- 08:45 - 08:50** **Welcome Address (and Moderator): Kaya Turgut (IKEV)**
- 08:50 – 09:00** **Opening Address: Reha Denemeç MP**
- 09:00 – 09:30** **An International Scan of Biotech Strategies**
Dr Yali Friedman (New Economy Strategies - USA)
- 09:30 – 10:00** **Biotechnology Strategic and Financial Overview**
Dr Frances Cloud (Nomura Code - UK)
- 10:00 – 10:20** **Technology Transfer, Academic and Industry Cooperations**
Dr Jake Micallef (ValirX - UK)
- 10:20 – 10:40** **Biotechnological Approaches to the Diagnosis and Treatment of Rare Genetic Disorders**
Assoc. Prof. Hans Flodh (Shire Human Genetic Therapies - Sweden)
- 10:40 – 11:00** **Biotechnology in Korea**
Dr. Jongsei Park (Korea Bio-Venture Association “KOBIOVEN” – Korea)
- 11:00 – 11:15** *Coffee*
- 11:15 – 13:00** **Presentations by Companies Working in the Area of Biotechnology**
Moderator: Assoc. Prof. Talat Çiftçi (Bosfor Bioscience Partners)
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| Genkord | Dr Nezih Hekim |
| Iontek | Dr Onur Bilenoğlu |
| ITT | Dr Serdar Savaş |
| Metis | Dr Serdar Tuncer |
| Pakmaya | Assoc. Prof. Mustafa Turker |
| Salubris | Prof. Dr Tanıl Kocagöz |
| Vaxgen | Mr Cüneyt Unutmaz (Korea) |
- 13:00 – 14:00** *Lunch*

14:00 – 15:10

Presentations by Turkish Researchers Working in the Area of Biotechnology - Session I

Moderator: Prof. Asuman Bozkır (Ankara University)

9 Eylül University	Prof. Fikret Kargı
Ankara University	Prof. Cengiz Sancak
Bilkent University	Assist. Prof. İhsan Gürsel
Boğaziçi University	Prof. Betül Kırdar
Ege University	Prof. Fazilet Vardar Sukan
Hacettepe University	Prof. Erhan Pişkin
Ist. Tech. University	Assoc. Prof. Candan Tamerler

15:10 – 15:25

Coffee

15:25 – 16:35

Presentations by Turkish Researchers Working in the Area of Biotechnology - Session II

Moderator: Prof Atilla Hıncal

Istanbul University	Prof Ayşegül Topal Sarıkaya
Koç University	Assoc. Prof. Metin Türkay
Marmara University	Prof. Beyazıt Çırakoğlu
ODTÜ	Prof. Gülay Özcengiz
Sabancı University	Prof. Hüveyda Başağa
TÜBİTAK-MAM	Dr Kemal Baysal
Yeditepe University	Assoc. Prof. Serdar Alpan

16:45- 18:00

Panel Discussion

Moderator: Dr Selçuk Özceada (Bosfor Bioscience Partners)

Panelists:

Dr Frances Cloud	Nomura (UK)
Assoc. Prof. Hans Flodh	Shire Human Genetic Therapies (Sweden)
Dr Yali Friedman	New Economy Strategies (USA)
Dr Jake Micallef	ValirX (UK)
Dr Jongsei Park	KOBIOVEN (Korea)
Mr Simon Tripp	Battelle / Impact Economics (USA)

18:30 –

Cocktails & Dinner

- *Simultaneous Turkish – English translations will be provided*