

Reference Laboratory Services, Genomics services providing DNA sequencing and Next Generation Sequencing, Stability Storage solutions and Infectious Disease Testing. Source Bioscience would be pleased to support any Bionow members with their projects.

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2020 Bionow Digital Awards Shortlisted Nominees Announced

We are delighted that the Bionow Awards will take place via a digital ceremony on Thursday 4th February 2021 and excited to announce the shortlisted nominees. Getting together for this special event will recognise the outstanding success and achievements of those who have worked tirelessly this year and spotlight the incredible progress that has been made during this challenging period.

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Benefit from Bionow's Kickstart Scheme and Help Young People into Employment

Bionow has launched a new tiered support offer in partnership with the Growth Company to help more businesses access the Government's new £2 billion Kickstart scheme. Now more than ever, young people need opportunities to help them shape their future and you could play a key part in supporting them through this scheme.

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Get Ahead in HealthTec

Get Ahead in HealthTec is offering a tailored suite of training presentations, to enable SMEs to commercialise health-related products and services and fully realise their potential. Thanks to the support of STFC and our Delivery Partners we are able to offer the programme at no cost to participating companies, other than the time required to attend online.

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The Research and Innovation Health Accelerator

SMEs are invited to collaborate with Greater Manchester's research and innovation institutions to accelerate development and improve commercialisation of innovative healthcare products and services within life sciences. SMEs will be able to access expertise and support including information about navigating the health and care system, developing value propositions, ethics & regulatory advice and access to university-wide expertise.

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Digital Careers Fair brings together Talent and Industry

Inspiring and supporting the next generation of students into the life science sector is an incredibly important part of the work that Bionow focuses upon with our University Sponsors and Members. With the world turning digital this year we were keen to ensure that students still had access to companies to consider their career path and with this came the inception of the Bionow Digital Life Science Careers Fair.

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Bionow Digital Award Ceremony Thursday 4th February

What better way to kick start 2021 than to take our hats off to those dedicated companies and individuals. The online ceremony will bring the sector together, celebrate excellence and if you wish provides an opportunity to dust off your black tie or evening dress and pop open the champagne - we can mark the occasion in style!

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PRECISION MEDICINE

Precision Medicine Conference **Wednesday 3rd - Thursday 4th March**

Precision Medicine is putting the patient at the centre of healthcare and the Bionow Precision Medicine Conference will focus on the impact which this emerging field is having on patients and given the strengths in the North, how we are developing this approach in an efficient and sustainable way.

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Bionow Life Sciences Online Careers Fair **Wednesday 16th & Thursday 17th March**

The Bionow Online Careers Fair is designed to help inform Graduates from Bionow Member Universities about the vast array of career paths available in Life Sciences, with opportunities across the Biomedical and Pharmaceutical sectors and beyond, with companies large and small, spin outs and start ups.

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BioInfect

2021 BioInfect Conference **Wednesday 21st - Thursday 22nd April**

Antimicrobial resistance is one of the biggest public health challenges of our time and fighting this serious threat is a priority that requires a collaborative approach across all sectors. BioInfect will look at the critical issues relating to the development of new anti-infectives, the endemic problem of resistance and the considerations for creating a truly global and effective response to antimicrobial resistance.

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Datatrial to handle Data Collection to Enhance the Monitoring and Management of Patients with COVID-19

Datatrial are thrilled to announce they will be contributing to the fight against COVID-19 and in transforming the shape of clinical trial monitoring in the future. Working alongside Aptus Clinical Ltd, Datatrial will provide a compliant environment for data collection as well as the Nucleus platform to facilitate the integration and sharing of those data.

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UK Innovators Target Nanoparticles at Inoperable Cancers

Active Needle Technology, Xerion Healthcare and Medicines Discovery Catapult win funding to begin ground-breaking project. At a point of critical clinical need for improved treatments for pancreatic and head and neck cancers, the partnership will set out to revolutionise radiotherapy for inoperable, and the most difficult to treat tumours.

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Athenex Announces FDA Approval of Klisyri® for the Treatment of Actinic Keratosis on the Face or Scalp



Athenex announced that the U.S. Food and Drug Administration has approved Klisyri® (tirbanibulin) for the topical treatment of actinic keratosis on the face or scalp. Klisyri is the first FDA approved branded proprietary product for Athenex and will be launched in partnership with Almirall in the U.S. during the first quarter of 2021.

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Liverpool Invests in Immunology Cancer Research



The University of Liverpool and local NHS partners are investing in a major new programme of immunology cancer research to help translate new discoveries into novel treatments for patients as quickly as possible.

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Prime Minister announces £20m to Grow Medicines Manufacturing in the UK



GOV.UK The UK's ability to respond to future pandemics will be strengthened thanks to a new £20 million fund to expand medicines manufacturing, Prime Minister Boris Johnson has announced. This will open up investment opportunities for medicines manufacturers in England, Scotland and Wales – improving domestic medicine supply chains and creating thousands of highly skilled jobs in the process.

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Liability on the Frontline - Part 3: The Great Telehealth Experiment



From fast-tracked clinical trials to emergency medical devices and telehealth innovations, the Life Sciences sector is providing solutions to Covid-19. This series of reports explores what risks organisations are entering into as they ride to the world's rescue and how they can protect themselves. Integrating new technology systems into large institutions is notoriously difficult even when it is carefully planned. So how has the rapid roll-out of telehealth during the pandemic altered the risk landscape?

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University Spin-Out Fund makes Half a Million Pound First Investments



North East university partnership Northern Accelerator has made over £500,000 worth of investments into innovative university spin-out businesses in the health and biotech sectors from its £1.7M Seed Investment Fund.

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Liverpool launches new Centre of Excellence for Long-acting Therapeutics



The University of Liverpool launched a new research centre for the development of revolutionary long-acting medicines that could transform the prevention and treatment of many diseases across the globe. Established as part of a £30.5 million international research consortium, primarily funded by Unitaid, the Centre of Excellence for Long-acting Therapeutics will be the first of its kind in the world.

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Testing Lab Data Reveals Spread of New Covid Variant Across the Country



Scientists at the Alderley Park Lighthouse Lab in Cheshire have revealed the speed and scale at which the new variant of the COVID virus is spreading through communities across the country. Its scientists have identified the new COVID variant in the lab's PCR test and have been able to use this new science to track the spread of the new COVID variant across England and Wales.

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Pre-Accelerator Virtual Workshop

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Date: Tuesday 2nd February
Digital Event

Not just for start-ups and spin-outs, the Pre-Accelerator Programme works with entrepreneurs at every stage from idea to exit. If you have a business idea you wish to develop and are interested in finding out how the Alderley Park Accelerator Programme can help, then this Workshop is the perfect place to start.

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Health Data Research - all matters data and all data matters



Date: Wednesday 3rd February
Digital Event

An introduction to three of the health data research hubs contribution to the health of the nation: DATA-NOW, DiscoverNOW and INSIGHT. Each of these data hubs brings expertise in differing areas including cancer, eye disease, real-world evidence, advanced analytics and artificial intelligence.

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Shaping the Life Sciences and Pharmaceuticals talent pool



Date: Wednesday 3rd February
Digital Event

Would you like to influence how University of Liverpool shape the skills and mindset of postdocs to benefit your organisation? Then join this interactive workshop to explore the key skills and mindsets needed to thrive in the Life Sciences and Pharmaceutical sector.

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Streamline the Design of Covalent Inhibitors



Date: Wednesday 17th February
Digital Event

Covalent inhibitors have become a popular approach within drug discovery in recent years. This webinar will focus on using Flare™, and Lead Finder™ to generate high-quality poses of covalent compounds, analyze the results to design new compounds and help prioritize synthetic effort.

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QP Module Biotechnology Issues



Innovative Solutions to Meet the Complex Pharmaceutical Supply Challenges



Date: Thursday 11th February
Digital Event

This webinar will explore how dosage form selection can shape future decisions and the project trajectory of product development, how working with a single integrated provider can streamline product development, reduce the risk of avoidable delays and shorten time to clinic.

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Early Phase Biologic Development: Upstream and Downstream Processes Considerations

Catalent

Date: Tuesday 23rd February
Digital Event

Biopharmaceutical products in development continue to increase in complexity. This webinar will discuss new cell line development methodologies, including new instrumentation, which are enabling complex programs to be performed more efficiently.

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Bio-Europe Spring Digital**BIO-EUROPE
SPRING® DIGITAL»»**
MARCH 22-25, 2021**Date: Thursday 4th March****Online Training**

The QP needs to understand the quality issues associated with the manufacture of biopharmaceuticals. This workshop has been designed to pull together the information in a way that provides participants with a good overview of the quality and regulatory issues surrounding the development and production of biopharmaceuticals for global use.

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The fifteenth annual BIO-Europe Spring® partnering conference will include on-demand early access to the company pitches, program sessions, and sponsor and showcase company content up to five weeks prior to the live event for the best possible networking and meeting decisions once partnering begins.

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