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Contact Swan's Pharma Business Development Manager, <u>Russell Culver</u> - Tel 07856 914 804

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Showcasing excellence and innovation at the 2024 Bionow Awards



The 2024 Bionow Awards dinner marked an exceptional evening of recognition and celebration, as 342 distinguished guests gathered at the Concorde Conference Centre on 6th March to honour those who have demonstrated outstanding ingenuity and dedication.

The Award Winners

This year, the judges were very impressed by the volume and quality of applications across all categories. With strong competition in every area, we extend our congratulations to all the shortlisted companies for their remarkable achievements.

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Empowering Women in Biotech Waters Corporation, Wilmslow

Thursday 3rd April

Hear from inspirational women in the sector!

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This Bionow event aims to bring together like-minded individuals working in the biotech and life science sector, and women looking to pursue a career in this industry. We will have talks from inspirational women in the industry on topics ranging from leadership and the visibility of women in biotech to investment opportunities available and ways to connect with each other.

This is an inclusive, FREE event and EVERYONE is welcome.

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21st Anglonordic Conference etc Venues, County Hall, London



Bionow is a proud media partner of BioPartner's Annual Anglonordic Life Science Conference, with opportunities to:

- MEET decision makers at leading and upcoming drug discovery and technology companies from the UK and Nordic regions, and investment firms throughout Europe.
- LEARN from major investment firms about the current status of European investment in life science technologies.
- GAIN insights from experienced life science operators within the Anglo-Nordic space.

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Bionow Yorkshire Bio-Partnering Cedar Court Hotel, Bradford

Tuesday 8th April



An opportunity to collaborate

Commercialisation of research from universities and companies of all sizes needs to increase in order to improve patient outcomes, help the NHS, create employment opportunities and improve business growth across the region. Connect and collaborate at Yorkshire Bio-Partnering with fellow professionals from across the Life Sciences sector to actualise your innovations.

Join businesses and scientists in this one-of-a-kind, inperson meeting showcasing the benefits of industryacademic collaboration and sharing of funding strategies from experts in the region.

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Biotech & Beers Leonardo Hotel, Middlesbrough

Tuesday 6th May

Join us for a special pre-conference Biotech & Beers!

Meet Bionow and industry colleagues for an agenda-free networking evening which provides opportunities for key people from companies working in or with the life sciences sector to network and socialise with their peers in an informal setting over a drink or two.

This Biotech & Beers event is taking place the evening before Bionow's Pharma Manufacturing Conference from 5.30pm onwards.

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Pharma Manufacturing Conference Riverside Stadium, Middlesbrough

Wednesday 7th May



The Northern Powerhouse plays a vital role in Pharma Manufacturing

The North of England is a key player in the life sciences sector, and investment is continuing to grow. Home to 21% of the UK's total life sciences workforce and with the Northeast producing 33% of UK GDP in pharmaceutical manufacturing and 31% of contract research organisations based in the Northwest, the North of England's life science sector is worth more than £13.6bn.

Bionow's Pharma Manufacturing conference will bring together industry, academic and regulatory experts to share their experiences and expertise through talks, panel discussions, exhibitions and networking to identify challenges and opportunities in the industry.

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Biotech & Beers The Churchill Tree, Alderley Park

Tuesday 13th May

Biotech & Beers returns to Alderley Park the evening before Bruntwood SciTech's Suppliers Fair Event

Biotech & Beers contribute to a community of like-minded leaders who are focused upon real company growth in life sciences and offer opportunities for peer group support (even if it's just a chance to let off some steam!). It is a great space for some social networking to meet new contacts, compare notes and catch up in a pleasant and relaxed setting.

Join us after the event and find out more about the Suppliers Fair <u>here</u>

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The Business of Science Conference 2025 The Spine, Liverpool

Thursday 15th May

Bionow is a proud partner of the annual Business of Science Conference which since 2016 has been bringing together the brightest minds from across the science and innovation ecosystem for a day of exchanging invaluable insights and building relationships.

The conference brings together industry professionals along with students of all ages to help nurture scientific and innovative ideas that could become the products and services of tomorrow.

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Bio A Summit 2025

Bionow BioAl Summit Alderley Park

Tuesday 20th May

The Bionow BioAl Summit: Bridging Life Sciences and Artificial Intelligence

Introducing the BioAl Summit, a **BRAND-NEW** Bionow event that explores the dynamic relationship between artificial intelligence and life sciences. As Al technologies continue to evolve, their integration into the life sciences

sector is paving the way for innovations that were once thought impossible. From accelerating drug discovery to revolutionizing diagnostics and transforming personalised medicine, AI is unlocking new frontiers in biotech and healthcare. The event brings together experts to explore how AI can be leveraged to solve complex biological challenges and drive the future of healthcare.

PLUS: Stick around after the event for a very special Life Science Mixer, hosted by Bruntwood SciTech, featuring a BBQ, drinks and a live band by the lake!

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Biotech & Beers The Town Wall, Newcastle

Tuesday 10th June

Biotech & Beers returns to Newcastle! Join us the night before BioFocus for special networking session

This is a great opportunity for out-of-town attendees to connect with locals from Newcastle and the wider Northeast, and get those all-important conversations going ahead of the conference the next day.

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE: If you would like to sponsor Biotech and Beers Newcastle please contact Mollie Nolan at <u>mollie.nolan@bionow.co.uk</u> or download the form <u>here</u>.

Join us from 5.30pm onwards

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BioFocus Conference The Catalyst, Newcastle Helix

Wednesday 11th June



BioFocus is a one-day conference that brings together industry, academia, and experts in life sciences

BioFocus will inspire your business to connect, engage, benefit and grow. Comprising conference, exhibition, and significant networking sessions, this event will provide a unique opportunity to hear about the latest technologies, innovations, key sector initiatives, and funding opportunities.

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Pharma Industry Awards UK 2025 Park Plaza London Riverbank

Wednesday 10th September

Bionow is a proud supporter of the Pharma Industry Awards UK 2025, which celebrates the achievements of the entire pharmaceutical ecosystem – from researchers to CROs, engineers to marketing teams. This is your chance to stand out, to network with the industry's elite, and to be celebrated for your contribution to healthcare.

Key Dates:

Entries Close: 23rd May Finalists Announced: 9th July Awards Gala: 10th September

Check out the award categories

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Citylabs 4.0 officially opens, further strengthening Manchester's life sciences ecosystem

Citylabs 4.0, the newest phase of Manchester's worldleading health innovation campus, has officially opened its doors, further strengthening the city's reputation as a major centre for life sciences, precision medicine and health innovation.

Bruntwood SciTech, a joint venture between Bruntwood, Legal & General and Greater Manchester Pension Fund, continues to drive investment into Manchester's science and technology ecosystem, with the state-of-the-art workspace and opportunities available for businesses at Citylabs 4.0 playing a key part of this strategy. Developed by Bruntwood SciTech – the UK's largest property provider dedicated to the growth of the nation's science, tech and innovation sectors – in a joint venture with Manchester University NHS Foundation Trust (MFT), the UK's largest NHS Trust – the £42 million, 125,000 sq ft facility is set to drive forward life sciences and healthcare innovation across Greater Manchester.

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Addressing treatment gaps in rare cancers

Patients with rare cancers often face limited treatment options due to the rarity of their condition, which makes it

difficult to conduct large-scale trials and secure regulatory approval for new treatments. Although each rare cancer type is uncommon, collectively they account for approximately 20% of all cancers diagnosed worldwide each year - a larger share than any single type of cancer, including lung, breast, or colorectal cancer.

To address this, Dr. Matthew Krebs from The University of Manchester is leading the DETERMINE trial, the UK's first precision medicine study focused on rare cancers.

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Proteintech unveils next-gen 3D Epitope Mapping to accelerate life science research

Proteintech, a global leader in antibodies and life science solutions, is excited to announce additional product characterization for primary antibody targets on its website (**ptglab.com**). The advanced validation data, 3D Epitope Mapping, is designed to enhance the efficiency and accuracy of antibody-related selection, empowering scientists with the data they need to advance their work, from basic research to the design of novel therapeutics.

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Regional Talent Engines 2025

Have an idea but don't know how to turn it into a business? Regional Talent Engines from the Royal Academy of Engineering Enterprise Hub gives mid-career engineers and innovators £20,000 equity-free funding, mentorship, and a powerful network to help you succeed.

Join the next cohort and take your innovation off the ground.

Regional Talent Engines is a six-month pre-accelerator programme for early-stage founders in Northern England, Northern Ireland and Wales to transform great ideas into new engineering startups. The programme includes training held in central locations in Belfast,

Swansea, Leeds, Liverpool and Newcastle. The programme is designed to provide you with the practical support you need to help refine your innovation and bring your vision to life.

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Cancer Research Horizons launches the Cancer Impact Club to raise £5m

Cancer Research Horizons, the innovation arm of Cancer Research UK, launches the Cancer Impact Club, a community of business builders whose philanthropy, expertise and networks will help shape the future of cancer treatment. The club has recruited 13 members already, raising £1.3m of its £5m target.

The Cancer Impact Club aims to bring together a maximum of 50 members – comprising entrepreneurs and leaders from private equity, venture capital, and associated companies – by the end of 2025 to raise \pounds 5m, to help double the Seed Fund's impact. Members commit to a donation of £100,000 over three years, with every £1 donated matched by £1 from the Seed Fund to be invested in high-potential cancer ventures.

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ApconiX Welcomes Dr Olga King

ApconiX is delighted to welcome Dr Olga King who is joining the Project Toxicology team and will be working with Dr Richard Knight.

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Industry-first education platform for Northern founders launched by Praetura Ventures and EHE Venture Studio

An industry-first online platform designed to help earlystage entrepreneurs in the North of England access scaling

skills and navigate the start-up ecosystem has been launched during UK Tech Week.

Coined as a 'library for founders in the North', the Founder Hub has been developed by venture capital firm, Praetura Ventures and venture building studio, EHE Venture Studio inspired by the need for better advice for founders and the gap in resources available to those building a high growth company.

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Seda Wins Bionow Investment Deal of the Year 2024

Seda Pharma Development Services has proudly received the prestigious Bionow Investment Deal of the Year 2024 award. This honour recognises the transformative impact of their £5.5 million Capital Growth funding from Santander NW Ltd, which has been crucial in developing their state-ofthe-art GMP manufacturing facility.

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ITS company announcement: Gareth Davies joins ITS as Non-Executive Director

ITS is delighted to announce the appointment of Gareth Davies as Non-Executive Director. This strategic addition strengthens the Board and aligns with ITS' vision.

CEO, Andrew Mills stated "We are thrilled to welcome Gareth to our Board during this exciting new chapter for ITS. His expertise and experience will be invaluable to ITS' development allowing the company to maximise the opportunity of Industry 4.0, enabling us to deliver on our strategic objectives and business plan. Gareth brings a wealth of experience in digital technologies, artificial intelligence and data analytics and the Board look forward to his contributions as we continue to drive value, success and transformation for our customers in regulated industries."



RoslinCT and Ayrmid Pharma Ltd. announce their intent to enter into a strategic partnership to manufacture FDA approved cell therapy Omisirge® (omidubicel-onlv)

Ayrmid Pharma Ltd., a cell therapy pioneer working to turn cells into powerful therapeutics and RoslinCT, a world leading cell and gene therapy contract development and manufacturing organisation (CDMO), announced their intent to enter into a strategic partnership for the production of Omisirge, a commercial product for the treatment of hematologic malignancies commercialised in the US by Gamida Cell Inc, a subsidiary of Ayrmid Pharma Ltd.

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The University of Manchester and Saraco Industries Limited celebrate knowledge transfer project at annual Bionow Awards

The University of Manchester and Saraco Industries Limited has won the Project of the Year Award at the prestigious annual Bionow Awards 2024.

A highlight of the life sciences calendar, the awards dinner was held at the Concorde Conference Centre on 6 March, with over 340 attendees gathering for an evening of celebration and achievement.

The University and Saraco Industries received the Project of the Year Award in recognition of taking a major step forward in the area of research, by demonstrating an innovative and novel approach for a collaborative project marking a breakthrough in sustainable healthcare products.

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British Science Week 2025: Celebrating change, adaptation, and diversity in science

From Friday 7th to Sunday 16th March, British Science Week 2025 is a chance to celebrate everything about science and the amazing contributions made by professionals within this field. At Manchester Metropolitan University, this year's theme, "Change and Adapt," encourages us to reflect on how humans, animals, and technology evolve to meet the challenges of a growing population and changing environment.

The event also highlights how the field of science and the role of scientists have evolved. Historically, what once was once largely a male-dominated field has become a space where individuals from all corners of the globe are represented.

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Additional Lyo bead automation ramps up manufacturing capacity

BIOFORTUNA Biofortuna Limited, the specialist contract development and manufacturing partner to the IVD and point of care testing sectors, has invested in an additional Lyo bead manufacturing line in response to increasing customer demand for lyophilized diagnostic tests.

The new, fully automated platform has been configured to deliver custom lyophilized reagent beads at commercial scale, for use in a wide range of innovative molecular biology applications, including RT-PCR, LAMP and CRISPR.

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What will you learn in Transformative Oncology? Principles of Personalised Medicine The Challenges of Tumour Biology The Science of Radiotherapy Strategies for Early Detection

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Shape the future of cancer treatment with MSc Transformative Oncology

Make an impact in cancer research with an online, part-time MSc in Transformative Oncology from the University of Manchester. Learn from leading oncology experts and cover key topics in the cancer research field with a patient focused approach.

Explore more of the course units on university website.

Next enrolment: September 2025

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How to overcome the challenges of constructing a new cleanroom in an old facility

Constructing new cleanroom facilities in older buildings can be a smart and cost-effective solution for applications looking to optimise their existing spaces.

Rather than invest in completely new host buildings, it is often possible to intelligently and creatively adapt current facilities, saving both time and money. However, this approach comes with its own set of challenges.

Many older buildings have structural limitations that can impact load-bearing capacity, electrical systems, ceiling height and ventilation. Addressing these issues requires careful planning and a flexible design approach.

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Building your team doesn't have to be expensive and time consuming

Finding the right scientific or engineering talent can be time-consuming and costly. SRG Agile offers a smarter, more affordable way to attract and shortlist high-quality candidates - without the hefty placement fees.

As the UK's largest science recruitment specialist, powered by Impellam Group, we have the reach, expertise, and industry connections to generate the best candidate applications quickly and efficiently. Our market-leading response generation and handling service streamlines your hiring process, ensuring you receive a shortlist of top talent - at a fraction of the cost of traditional recruitment agencies.

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UK's Industrial Strategy: Life sciences sector needs better access to funding, talent and markets

Ahead of the long-awaited Industrial Strategy for life sciences, RSM UK calls on the government to address challenges around capital, talent and access to markets if the UK's life sciences sector is to become an industry leader on the global stage.



The top 10 challenges facing laboratories today

In the fast-paced world of lab operations, efficiency is paramount. Laboratories are critical in scientific research, quality control, and innovation across various industries. However, despite technological advancements, labs often encounter many challenges that hinder their productivity and effectiveness. These obstacles can impede progress and compromise outcomes from resource constraints to regulatory compliance.

So, what are the ten most common challenges facing laboratories today? Let's delve into each one...

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How automation increases lab productivity

The pressure on lab services continues to rise with increased regulation and the need to futureproof. Automation presents a compelling solution to streamlining many of the routine tasks faced by laboratories.

In a sector that is experiencing a lack of qualified staff, the ability to extend the working day is simply unfeasible for many laboratories with the resources they currently have. Automation can improve output and repeatability, and can help laboratories towards operating 24/7. Allowing lab automation robots to take the strain of simple and repetitive tasks reduces bottle necks and frees experienced personnel so that they are able to concentrate on more complex work. This is good business sense, and also enables a more enriching work environment for lab technicians.



Recruitment Process Outsourcing (RPO): The Hidden Advantage in High-Performance Hiring!

Finding and retaining top talent is tougher than ever. With skills shortages, shifting workforce demands, and rising competition, many organisations are turning to Recruitment Process Outsourcing (RPO) to stay ahead. But how do you choose the right partner?

Our expert guide walks you through the key factors to consider. It will help you engage an RPO provider that truly meets your needs and will deliver long-term return on investment.

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Unlocking Innovation: The Latest on the UK Patent Box Scheme

At Secerna, we understand the critical role intellectual property (IP) plays in fostering a robust innovation ecosystem. Government incentive programs like the Patent Box offer significant tax advantages specifically designed to encourage research and development (R&D) activities. This article provides a comprehensive overview of the latest developments in the Patent Box scheme and its potential benefits for your business, helping you unlock tax savings and fuel a culture of innovation.

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ApconiX's Ion Channel web page is available in French, Spanish and Catalan!

We are delighted to be able to translate our website's ion channel service pages into French, Spanish and Catalan. We would like to thank Magali-Anne Maizières, who is a member of our ion channel laboratory team and a French national, Dr Aina Mogas Barcons and is a native Spanish speaker and Dr Hannah Dixon for translating the pages for us (because the pages are very scientific, we wanted to be sure of the translations rather than rely on Google translate). Hannah grew up in Barcelona and Aina studied for her first degree there.

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Preprints and social media: balancing early publication with commercial IP protection

Universities are well aware of the strategic importance of commercialising innovation and a recent report shows that four UK universities are in the top ten in Europe for numbers of startups based on university patent applications¹.

It is also well appreciated that academic researchers are under significant pressure to disseminate their findings with both their peers and the general public. However, when their research has commercial potential, it may require filing a patent application prior to publication. If the invention is disclosed prior to filing a patent application, then this can be harmful or even fatal to protecting the invention and commercialising the research. This is becoming even more important with the increased use of online preprint servers and social media where publication takes place shortly (or immediately!) after upload.

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2025 Life Sciences Outlook: Building Preparedness to Mitigate Risks and Capture Human Capital Opportunities

2025 Life Sciences Outlook: Navigating Growth and Innovation

The life sciences industry is on the brink of a transformative year in 2025. After navigating a period of significant volatility, the sector is poised for substantial growth, driven by rapid

digital advancements, increasing investor confidence, and groundbreaking product development.

By embracing these strategies, the life sciences industry can navigate the dynamic landscape and achieve sustainable growth.

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New Resource: Testing Solutions for Lithium-Ion Batteries

As global demand for energy rises, so does the need to support sustainable growth in battery technologies. At the core of this energy transformation are lithium-ion batteries, essential for powering electric vehicles and storing renewable energy for a cleaner future. Discover Shimadzu Total Solution for optimising battery development. From the initial stages of development to final production, Shimadzu's advanced technologies deliver end-to-end workflows to enhance battery performance and safety.

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25 years of Guardtech: the past, present and future as told by their founder

25 years is a long time in business – especially for a business that's growing at a faster rate than at any point in its history.

Couple that with the fact the owner and founder of this business didn't even think he'd be doing this 25 years later, it certainly feels like a little celebration is in order.

"Did I think we'd still be doing this? Not at all!," says Ray Wheeler, owner and founder of Guardtech. "It was an additional product because we weren't getting enough new sales on cleanroom consumables."

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Omni Executive Search Solutions: Strategic Talent Solutions for the Life Sciences Sector

Struggling to Hire? Unlock Top Talent Faster with This BIONOW Exclusive

Finding and retaining the right talent is tough, especially in the competitive life sciences sector. As a BIONOW member, you now have exclusive access to Omni's expert hiring solutions, designed to help businesses find, attract, and retain top leaders and specialists faster and smarter. Whether you're scaling up, strengthening leadership, or refining your hiring strategy, our team—including former AstraZeneca and industry experts—delivers the results you need.

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Canada-UK Collaborative R&D

UK registered organisations can apply for a share of up to £3 million for collaboration with Canadian SMEs on joint R&D projects.

Innovate UK, part of UK Research and Innovation, will work with the National Research Council of Canada Industrial Research Assistance Program (NRC IRAP) to invest up to £3 million in innovation projects.

The aim of this competition is to stimulate the development and implementation of

innovative technologies across a range of sectors and technology areas.

Competition closes: Wednesday 16th April 2025 at 11am

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The Life Sciences Innovative Manufacturing Fund (LSIMF)

The Life Sciences Innovative Manufacturing Fund (LSIMF) is a capital grants fund which aims to build resilience for future health emergencies and capitalise on the UK's worldleading research and development capabilities. The fund will enhance and accelerate affordable access to mature, new and emerging Life Sciences products for both pandemic and non-pandemic scenarios.

LSIMF will provide up to £520 million in capital grants for investment in the manufacture of human medicines and medical technology (including diagnostics, and MedTech products).

Applications will undergo assessment in quarterly rounds until all the funding has been allocated:

- Round 1 is closed
- Round 2 is closed
- Round 3 will open on 01 May 2025 and close on 30 May 2025
- Round 4 will open on 01 August 2025 and close on 29 August 2025

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Events Upcoming Sector Events





Seeing Success Through Innovation and Collaboration



2nd April 2025 Etc. Venues Piccadilly, Manchester

Innovate UK are hosting an in person event 'Seeing Success Through Innovation and Collaboration', celebrating the Transforming Medicines Manufacturing programme and looking towards the future for what come next for the sector.

The event will bring together over 100 professionals from across the medicines manufacturing sector including Transforming Medicines Manufacturing competition winners, new innovators,

Al Superconnector Showcase: Cohort 2



3rd April 2025 The Guildhall, York

Following on from the success of the inaugural AI SuperConnector Showcase in Liverpool, join us for our second showcase event where our cohort of entrepreneurial researchers will present their innovative AI ventures to investors, industry leaders, and AI researchers.

Through a foundation of mentorship, training, and guidance, the AI

RTOs, catapults, and academics working in this space and will celebrate the successes that have come from the TMM programme.

There will also be opportunities to network, foster new connections and discuss the innovation needs for the future of this sector.

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Lonza Webinar: End-to-End Regulatory CDMO Solutions: Development, Manufacturing, and Approval



8th April 2025 Online

In the complex process from development to commercial distribution, each phase poses its own challenges in terms of providing assurance of the safety, efficacy, and quality of the product being developed. Dossiers submitted to regulatory authorities need to include comprehensive data that meets the specific requirements of each authority, which is a complex task. This webinar will look at some of the requirements of the various health authorities. It will also describe how the Lonza Small Molecules team uses its extensive experience to assist in getting the filing right the first time, by compiling, writing and reviewing dossiers that meet all of the technical and quality requirements.

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SuperConnector programme supports founders who are translating cutting-edge Al research into commercial impact from four leading universities, Imperial College London, the University of Leeds, the University of Liverpool, and the University of York.

Our cohort will showcase their ventures, presenting the future of AI technology and innovation to investors, industry leaders and AI researchers. This is your chance to hear from the brightest minds in AI and discover the next wave of high-impact ventures.

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World Vaccine Congress West Coast

WORLDVACCINE CONGRESS WASHINGTON

22nd - 24th April 2025 Walter E. Washington Convention Center, Washington

Following a record attendance in 2024 of 4000+ attendees, the World Vaccine Congress Washington will be back in April 2025 bringing together the most senior and informed industry experts across the entire vaccine landscape.

From basic research to commercial manufacture, this one meeting covers the whole vaccine value chain where science, government and manufacturers all come together to create ground-breaking progress. If you are involved in vaccines or new to it because of the pandemic, this

is the most important meeting you will be part of in 2025.



NW University Fair @ Sci-Tech Daresbury



29th April 2025 The Innovation Centre, Sci-Tech Daresbury

This morning event is a great opportunity for science, technology and engineering companies to meet representatives from six NW universities (Lancaster, Liverpool, LJMU, Manchester, MMU and Salford), Innovate UK and STFC all in the same place (Innovation Centre) at one time to explore potential opportunities around:

- Accessing student and graduate talent through recruitment, internships and placement
- Collaborative Research & Development (CR&D) and access to funding
- Knowledge Transfer Partnerships (KTPs)
- Licensing Technology and Spin-outs
- · Workforce training and development
- Accessing technical facilities and equipment

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Spring Careers Fair



Bionow members can save 20% by requesting a discount code from BioPartner UK

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CDMO Live 2025



7th - 8th May 2025 Rotterdam World Trade Center, Rotterdam

CDMO Live is the ultimate partnering event for BioPharma outsourcing excellence

Discover the latest trends and best practices shaping Small Molecule, Biologics and Cell & Gene Therapy, and take part in the PartnerMatch meeting programme.

Bionow members receive a 15% discount by registering through BioPartner UK, contact them for a discount code.

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Centre for Advanced Diagnostic Development and Application (CADDA) 7th May 2025 The Octagon, University of Sheffield

The Spring Careers Fair is the ideal place to promote your opportunities to students from all years and subjects, whether it be graduate jobs, year-long placements, short-term or summer internships, or part-time and vacation work.

A stand at the fair will be chargeable at £395 + VAT. A limited number of free stands will be available for SMEs and not-for-profit organisations. Please contact us for further clarification.

For more information please contact <u>Cheryl Moss</u>.



The University of Manchester

8th May 2025 Manchester Institute of Biotechnology

We are pleased to invite you to the launch of the Centre for Advanced Diagnostic Development and Application (CADDA) — a national programme dedicated to advancing innovation in diagnostics led through a partnership between the University of Kent, The University of Manchester, and UCL Global Health.

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2025 Biomedical Science FYP (Final Year Project) Showcase and Networking Event



9th May 2025 Richmond Building, University of Bradford

The Showcase and Networking Event is the perfect opportunity to network with other businesses, gain an insight into the quality of knowledge coming out of the University of Bradford and speak with Final Year students and Lecturers/Tutors. As of last year, we are inviting a select group of employers to have a stand/stall at the Showcase & Networking Event. This will be an opportunity to 'showcase' your company, and for all our UG final year Biomedical students to have a chat with representatives of your company about specific graduate opportunities as well as offer any advice from your insight, career path and experience.

Please contact <u>Nawaz Khan</u> at the University for more information.

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