

Microbiome Therapeutics US



September 5-6, 2018
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Boston, MA

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Key Speakers Include:



David Berry, PhD
Partner
Flagship Pioneering



Nikole Kimes, PhD
Founder/Vice President
Siolta Therapeutics



Mark Smith
CEO
Finch Therapeutics



Rodolphe Clerval
CEO
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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

- 8:00 *Registration*
- 8:50 **Chairman's Opening Remarks**
- 9:00 **Comparing and Contrasting the Microbiome and the Personalized Medicine Revolution – What lessons can be learned**
Keith F. Batchelder, CEO and Founder, Genomic Healthcare Strategies
- 9:30 **Emerging Microbial Therapeutics – Moving Beyond the Gut**
Nikole E. Kimes, Founder & Chief Scientific Officer, Siolta Therapeutics
- 10:00 **Standardizing Microbiomics: Collection, Purification and Analysis**
- 10:30 *Coffee and Networking Break*
- 11:00 **Moving towards consistent and comparable microbiome sequencing measurements – R & D and sequencing technologies**
Michalis Hadjith, Microbiome Lead, DNAnexus
- 11:30 **The Science, Business and Growth of the Microbiome Frontier**
- 12:00 **Case Study: Novel antimicrobials and microbiome-based therapeutics**
Akitunde Emiola, Postdoctoral Associate, Jackson Labs
- 12:30 *Lunch and Networking*
- 1:30 **Microbiome Inspired Therapeutics to Treat Neurological Diseases and Disorders**
David Donabedian, CEO and Co-Founder, Axial Biotherapeutics
- 2:00 **Mining the gut microbiome: a new source of targets and small molecules for treating chronic disorders**
Rodolphe Clerval, CBO, Enterome
- 2:30 **Chairman remarks**
- 2:45 **Biotech Week Boston Keynote Presentation: High-Impact Ideas and Use-Inspired Research – A Chat with MIT's Bob Langer on How to Create Innovations That Matter**
Dr. Robert Langer, Sc.D., David H. Koch Institute Professor, Koch Institute of Integrative Cancer Research, Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- 4:00 *Networking Drinks Reception*

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

- 8:00 *Registration*
- 8:45 **Chairman's Opening Remarks**
- 9:00 **Keynote: An Insider's Journey from Getting Funding to Navigating the Evolving Microbiome Landscape**
- 9:45 **Pre-launch Planning and Commercial Considerations**
JP Benya, VP, Commercial, Assembly Biosciences
- 10:15 **Designing Scale up and manufacturing processes: how to bring your product to market**
David Kyle, Evolve Biosystems
- 10:45 **Manufacturing Case Study**
- 11:15 *Coffee and Networking*
- 11:45 **Lessons learned from Microbiome Therapeutics in Clinical Discovery**
Zain Kassam, MD, Co-Founder and EVP, Finch Therapeutics
- 12:30 **The Regulatory Challenge for Approving Microbiome Products to meet the unmet medical needs of patients**
James Weston, Senior Vice President of Regulatory Affairs, Seres Therapeutics
- 1:00 **Microbiome Therapeutics- A Regulatory Perspective**
Kamal Velmurugan, PhD, Microbiologist/Primary Reviewer, Division of Vaccines and Related Products Applications, Center for Biologics Evaluation and Research, Food and Drug Administration
- 1:30 *Lunch & Networking*
- 2:30 **Microbiome Therapeutics and IP Protection**
Erik Spek, Vice President - Head of Intellectual Property, Vedanta Biosciences, Inc.
- 3:00 **VCs vs Pharma: following the changing landscape of funding models of Microbiome Therapeutics**
David Berry, Partner, Flagship Pioneering
- 3:30 **Best practices in strategic partnerships**
Mark Smith, CEO, Finch Therapeutics
- 4:00 *Clinical trial updates*
- 5:00 *Reception*

AN EVENING OF DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION

Tuesday, September 4 from 6pm-8pm • Hilton Back Bay Hotel

Speakers:

Edie Stringfellow, Director of Diversity and Inclusion at MassBio

Ramsey Johnson, Founder at OUTBio

Connect with leaders who are ready to accelerate a culture of diversity and inclusion in life sciences. View the full program at <https://lifesciences.knect365.com/diversity-inclusion/>.

Separate registration required to attend.



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Microbiome Therapeutics US is taking place alongside Biotech Week Boston to provide you with the perfect mix of a microbiome therapeutics specific meeting and network, along with the added opportunity to meet and mingle with the wider biotech community.

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Conference Venue:

Hynes Convention Center

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