



EU BIOTECH DAYS at BIOTECHNICA 2008

“Biotechnologies: Leading Technologies for Lead Markets of Tomorrow”

Conference from the EU Commission
on 8 October 2008 in Hannover/Germany (Convention Center/Room 1B)



Chairperson	Dr. Christian Patermann (conf.)	Former Director of Biotechnology (DG for Research)
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	Time	Speaker	Function/Direction General
Food, Feed, Fibre, Fuel: Just Competitors or Drivers of Innovation in Europe?	10.00-10.30h	Dr. Waldemar Kuett (conf.)	Deputy Head of Cabinet of Commissioner Janez Potocnik
	10.30-11.00h	Dr. Thomas Heinemeier (conf.)	Policy Officer for Innovation (DG for Enterprise & Industry)
	11.00-11.30h	Dr. Alfredo Aguilar (conf.)	Head of Unit Biotechnologies (DG for Research)
	11.30-12.00h	Dr. Christian Patermann (conf.)	Former Director of Biotechnology (DG for Research)
	12.00-14.00h	Meetings in the Exhibition Hall	
Health and Biotechnology: New Trends and Perspectives and the Role of International Cooperation	14.00-14.30h	Dr. Irene Sacristán Sánchez (conf.)	Deputy Head of Unit Pharmaceuticals (DG for Enterprise & Industry)
	14.30-15.00h	Dr. John Purves (conf.)	Head of Sector Quality of Medicines of European Medicines Agency (EMA)
	15.00-15.30h	Dr. Arnd Hoeveler (conf.)	Head of Unit Health Biotechnology (DG for Research)
	15.30-16.00h	Dr. Alessio Vassarotti (conf.)	Scientific Officer and Coordinator for Life Sciences (DG for Research)