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Friday

LECTURE

House of BIOHEALTH
Conference Room

11.00-12.30pm

MEET & EAT*

Light lunch provided
Conference Room

12.30-1.30pm

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Introduction to local instruments supporting biomedical entrepreneurship

11:00-11:15am From being a researcher to deciding to be an entrepreneur: what matters?

This introduction presentation aims to highlight the different aspects behind entrepreneurship and what researchers who want to be entrepreneurs need to know to negotiate successfully such a profound transformation.



SPEAKER

Dr Françoise Liners

Director of Life Sciences & Health Technologies, DG7,
Ministry of the Economy, Luxembourg

11:15-11:30am Bringing research results to the market with FNR's funding programme JUMP

The FNR JUMP programme is a competitive funding programme, open to all research domains, that is designed to help bridge the technical and funding gap between research-driven discoveries and their commercialisation/utilisation.



SPEAKER

Dr Andreea Monnat

Head of Unit – Innovation Programmes, FNR,
Luxembourg

11:30-11:45am Start-up in Luxembourg

A (not comprehensive) overview of tailor-made advisory services for innovative projects & start-ups in Luxembourg.

How can translate your PoC into an entrepreneurial business?

Which (financial) State aid instruments can support you on your journey? How to structure your idea to business?



SPEAKER

Stefan Berend

Head of Start-up Support, Luxinnovation GIE,
Luxembourg

11:45-12:00pm Financial de-risking of entrepreneurial R&D projects from public research institutions

The University of Luxembourg and the National Research Fund have joined to develop a best-in-class technology transfer pad, Capsula, and its dedicated seed fund, LuxSeed, both to be incorporated in 2018. Capsula is geared towards identifying, selecting, supporting and “de-risking” entrepreneurial R&D projects to reduce their time to market. LuxSeed will address the notorious R&D funding gap, known as the “valley of death”.



SPEAKER

Prof Eric Tschirhart

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