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Welcome!

The New Mexico Biotechnology and Biomedical Association (NMBio) is a catalyst for the growth of the state's bioscience industry. From Las Cruces to Los Alamos, the association is striving to develop a thriving biotechnology sector that can harness the state's workforce, research and intellectual property. We connect innovators to funding, infrastructure, research and talent. From promising young companies to established corporations and institutions, we provide opportunities for networking, education and professional development. We represent more than 100 member firms and community partners, including biotechnology, pharmaceutical, medical device, diagnostic, ag bio and digital health companies, research and academic institutions and service providers.

We welcome risk takers and pioneers and the businesses and consultants that will nurture these innovative companies that are essential to growing NM's economy. We are committed to working with other stakeholders to create an ecosystem where innovative ventures can thrive and generate high-quality jobs and successful long-standing enterprises for generations to come.

-Greg Byrnes, Executive Director

Speakers

8: 30 -9:15 a.m.

Buried Treasure: Public & Private Incentives For Startups
Fran Fernandez- **NM SBDC**, Judy Hendricks-**LANL & Sandia Labs NMSBA program**, Myrriah Tomar-**NM EDD**, Juan Torres- **NM EDD**, Edward Herrera

9:15 – 9:40 am

Deferring, Reducing and Avoiding Capital Gains Taxes through Opportunity Zone Investment
Deborah Burns-**investUS LLC Founder and Co-managing partner of investUS Opportunity Fund**

9:40 – 10:00 a.m.

Los Alamos Emerges as a Bioscience Hub
Patrick Sullivan, Executive Director
Los Alamos Commerce & Development Corp. (LACDC)

10:00-10:15 a.m.

BREAK

10:15-11:15 a.m.

Four Firms on the Verge of a Breakout Success (Part A)
Paul Laur-**Pebble Labs**, Michael Perrine-**Agilvax**, Matthew Ennis-**NTxBio**, Peter Anselmo-**Socorro Therapeutics**

11:15 to 11:45 a.m.

STC.UNM Commercialization: Going Beyond the License
Arlene Mirabal-**Director of Commercialization AFRL PIA Project Manager**

Speakers

11:45 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

NM Bioscience Authority Pursues \$100 Million Endowment for Life Science Firms
Ryan Cangliosi-**UNM Health Sciences. Director of Economic & Community Development**

12:00-12:20 p.m.

LUNCH

12:20 to 1:10 p.m.

KEYNOTE-Safeguarding Clinical Development-Strategic Considerations
Richard Prince, **Chief Executive Officer-NOW BIOPHARMA**

1:15 -1:30 p.m.

Presenting Vision Quest Biomedical Pitch
Simon Barriga-**Vision Quest Biomedical**

1:30-1:40 p.m. BREAK

1:40 PM-2:45 p.m.

Three Firms on the Verge of Breakout Success (Part B)
Tony Pino-**Sandia BioTech**, William Bruns-**NeXStep, Inc.**
Lisa-Jo Clarizia-**BioDirection**

2:45 -3:30 p.m.

The Next Five Years: Where Are NM's Hemp and Marijuana Industries Headed
Moderator Stuart Rose-**Founder of The NM Bioscience Center**, Paul Laur-**Pebble Labs**, Brad Lewis-**NMSU & Dept. of Agriculture**, Carlos Perea- **Serial Entrepreneur**

3:30

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