



### Medicon Valley Beacons – Future strongholds and Growth Engines – How can the MV Beacons create value and business opportunities?

Hilton, Copenhagen Airport

Moderator: Trine Grönlund, CEO at This Century

## Program

**12.30 – Registration, networking and sandwiches**

**13.15 – Welcome**

Stig Jørgensen, CEO at Medicon Valley Alliance

**13.30 – Political initiatives – Attracting talent and creating growth**

Morten Østergaard, Danish Minister for Science, Innovation and Higher Education

**14.00 – International insights from Japan and the US**

Peter Takizawa, Medicon Valley Alliance Ambassador in Japan

Thomas Mortensen, Medicon Valley Alliance Ambassador in San Diego/San Francisco

Torsten Jepsen, Medicon Valley Alliance Ambassador in Boston

**14.30 – World class research attracting talent to our region**

Morten Sommer, Professor at Technical University of Denmark

**14.55 – Coffee break**

**16.00**

### Beacon session I

**Structural biology**

Moderator: **Trine Grönlund**

**Structural biology: the crystal gold mine**

**Ulrik Gether**, Professor and Center Director at University of Copenhagen

**Panel discussion**

**Bjørn Walse**, CEO at SARomics Biostructures AB

**Esko Oksanen**, Instrument Scientist for Neutron Macromolecular Crystallography at ESS

**Lena Tagmose**, Head of Department, Computational Chemistry and Structural Biology at H. Lundbeck A/S

**Marjolein Thunnissen**, Associate Professor, Biochemistry and Structural Biology at Lund University & Scientific Coordinator for MX at MAX IV Laboratory

**Morten Dahl Sørensen**, Senior Scientist, Chemical Research at Leo Pharma A/S



STRUCTURAL  
BIOLOGY

**Systems biology**

Moderator: **Henrik Lawaetz**

**Using Danish healthcare data in the context of systems biology**

**Søren Brunak**, Professor of Bioinformatics and Disease Systems Biology at Technical University of Denmark & University of Copenhagen

**Panel discussion**

**Johan Bodegård**, Medical Evidence Scientific Leader at AstraZeneca

**Kristian Wachtell**, Associate Professor at University of Copenhagen

**Morten Sommer**, Professor at Technical University of Denmark

**Staffan Gestrelus**, Associate Professor, Medical Physiology, Founder and CEO at Capish International



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### Beacon session II

#### Independent living

Moderator: **Trine Grönlund**



INDEPENDENT  
LIVING

#### Independent living with EPITAL HEALTH

##### “Moving healthcare to your fingertips”

**Klaus Phanareth**, MD, PhD., Associate Professor / Chairman,  
The Danish Society for Clinical Telemedicine

#### Panel discussion

**Agneta Malmgren Fänge**, Associate Professor, Registered  
Occupational Therapist at Lund University

**Anna Chérouvrier Hansson**, Head of Business Development  
- Life Science at Invest in Skåne

**Bogdan Tudosoiu**, Technology and Business Strategist /  
CTO at Mobile Heights

**Susie Ruff**, Head of Innovation and Business Development /  
Technology Transfer at Centre for Innovation and Research  
- The Capital Region of Denmark

#### Drug delivery

Moderator: **Henrik Lawaetz**



DRUG  
DELIVERY

#### The state of innovation in drug delivery

**Tomas Landh**, Director, Strategy and Innovation Sourcing  
at Novo Nordisk A/S

#### Panel discussion

**Anders Axelsson**, Professor and Dean, Faculty of  
Engineering at Lund University

**Fredrik Tiberg**, President & CEO at Camurus AB

**René Holm**, Divisional Director at H. Lundbeck A/S

**Sven Frøkjær**, Vice-Dean, Faculty of Health and  
Medical Sciences at University of Copenhagen

### 18.00 – Summary and conclusions

Trine Grönlund, CEO at This Zentury & Henrik Lawaetz, Project Manager at Medicon Valley Alliance  
and Stig Jørgensen, CEO at Medicon Valley Alliance

### 18.15 – Networking, wine and tapas