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IOWABIO EVENTS

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2016 Golf Outing & Annual Board Meeting

Attend one or both events!

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2016 Golf Outing

IowaBio will be hosting its 2016 Annual Golf Outing on **Thursday, June 2nd at The Legacy Golf Club in Norwalk, Iowa**. The Outing is open to IowaBio members and contract vendors and will offer a great day of fun, prizes, and opportunities to network with our generous event sponsors! Contest winner announcements and raffle prize drawings will be done from 2:00-3:00pm. **Learn more and register at www.iowabio.org/golf.**

SCHEDULE

- 8:00am – Registration & Breakfast
- 8:15am – Putting Contest & Expo
- 9:20am – Welcome & Course Rules
- 9:30am – Shotgun Start
- 11:00am – Play-through Lunch
- 2:00pm – Contest Awards & Raffle

REGISTRATION

Cost

\$25 per person

Registration Deadline

May 20, 2016

SPONSORSHIP OPTIONS

Condor - \$2,500

Albatross - \$1,500

Eagle - \$750

Birdie - \$250

Cookie - \$200

Annual Board Meeting

Following the Golf Outing, IowaBio will hold its Annual Board Meeting and Dinner at The Legacy Golf Club. The Annual Meeting and Dinner is open exclusively to IowaBio members (Entrepreneur, Core, Support and Institution) and will be a great chance for you to learn about IowaBio's recent and upcoming efforts. The cost to attend is \$25 per person (board members are exempt) and you do not have to attend the Golf Outing to attend the Annual Meeting. The meeting will take place from 3:30-5:30pm and the dinner will be held from 6:00-7:00pm. If you would like to attend, **please register by May 20, 2016 at www.iowabio.org/annualmeeting.**

Animal Health *in the* Heartland

Biotech's Role in Emergency Preparedness

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Evening Kick-Off Reception

July 19, 2016

Brix at Midtown Crossing
Omaha, NE

Main Symposium

July 20, 2016

Sorrell Center
University of Nebraska Medical Center
Omaha, NE

Cost

\$125 per Person

Hosted By

 **bionebraska**
life sciences association

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Save The Date! The Iowa Biotechnology Association (IowaBio) and the Bio Nebraska Life Sciences Association (BioNebraska) are proud to announce the *inaugural Animal Health In the Heartland: Biotechnology's Role in Emergency Preparedness* symposium scheduled for Wednesday, July 20, 2016, at the Sorrell Center at the University of Nebraska Medical Center in Omaha.

Recent outbreaks of Avian Influenza (AIV) and Porcine Epidemic Diarrhea Virus (PEDV) have had serious consequences in our Heartland region, impacting animal health, human health, animal producers, the encompassing agriculture industry, and the overall economy both domestic and abroad. These were not the first diseases emerging in the region, and will certainly not be the last.

Biotechnology's Role in Emergency Preparedness symposium promises to offer key state and industry leaders the opportunity to discuss solutions for animal health preparedness. Our goal is to create an annual event where industry, academia and government sector leaders can interface to address the world's most foremost animal health issues, collaborate, and solve problems.

[View Agenda](#)

Registration information coming soon! Please contact [Joe Hrdlicka](#) and [Phil Kozera](#) with any immediate questions.

INDUSTRY NEWS

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News stories containing company logos indicate IowaBio members



Viewpoint Molecular Targeting Receives **Top Company Award** at IowaBio's Partnering for Growth **Biotech Innovation Showcase**



BIO Applauds **Iowa Senate** Passage of **Renewable Chemical Tax Credit**



IEDA Funding, Tax Breaks Spur Job Creation in Iowa



Aerotek Sponsors BEYA STEM Conference for 11th Consecutive Year



The **Ajinomoto Group** to begin production of **feed-grade tryptophan** in North America



Dairy embryos become new profit center



Iowa joins national cohort to **save babies' lives**



Proliant Biologicals Opens **New BSA Plant**



Caribou Biosciences and **Integrated DNA Technologies** Announce **Non-Exclusive License Agreement** for **CRISPR-Cas9 Reagents**

Integrated DNA Technologies Announces **Platinum Sponsorship** of International Genetically Engineered Machine (**iGEM**) **Competition**

Harlan celebrates all things **STEM**

Iowa Lakes hosts **Women & STEM** Conference

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Midwest Events

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Governor's 2016 Future Ready Iowa Summit

April 19, 2016 | Des Moines, IA

For every employer competing in the global economy, attracting and retaining top-notch talent is the most critical challenge they face. So how does Iowa create a workforce that's prepared to take on the world? How do we assure that more students and workers have the career opportunities they deserve? The Governor's 2016 Future Ready Iowa Summit will elevate the statewide conversation about how to build on the work underway to close the skills gap.

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Attaining and Sustaining Quality in Pharmaceutical Industry Development and Manufacturing

May 23-27, 2016 | Madison, WI (IowaBio members receive 10% off the registration cost)

This course covers advanced topics including: the evolution of quality; quality systems and elements; comparisons of the FDA six systems to ICH Q10, and GxP knowledge and regulatory framework in the international arena. The program will examine quality as part of the value chain using the SIPOC (Supplier, Input, Process, Output, and Customer) model.

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Regulatory Affairs Leadership Certificate Program

June 13-17, 2016 | Des Moines, IA

As a response to the industry changes, Drake University has developed a comprehensive leadership program specifically in the area of regulatory affairs. Drawing upon expertise from Drake's Intellectual Property Law Center, the Agricultural Law Center, College of Business and Public Administration, and the College of Arts & Sciences, the Regulatory Affairs Leadership Certificate from Drake University integrates history, innovation, strategy, and business acumen to instill individuals with the skills and expertise to navigate regulations in this vital, fluid industry.

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Global Events

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BIO World Congress on Industrial Biotechnology

*April 17-20, 2016
San Diego, CA*

STEM Cell Summit

*April 25-27, 2016
Boston, MA*

Transformational Food Manufacturing Workshop

*May 10-11, 2016
Washington, D.C.*

Infectious Diseases World Summit

*June 1-3, 2016
San Diego, CA*

BIO International Convention

*June 6-9, 2016
San Francisco, CA*

SUBSCRIBER INFORMATION

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This message was sent to you as a benefit of membership with IowaBio and/or a subscriber of our monthly newsletter. If you know of a company that would benefit from the Association's advocacy, financial savings and education/workforce focus, please have them contact the Association at 515-327-9156 or email info@iowabio.org. Membership details are also available at www.iowabio.org/membership.

If you would like more information on any topic or no longer wish to receive these messages, please email melissa@iowabio.org or call 515-494-9242.

Capitol Report

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IowaBio began issuing a Capitol Report in February 2015. It is a legislative update issued on a periodic basis and allows readers to learn more about our legislative activities and bills that may affect the biotechnology industry. If you would like to receive these reports by email, please visit www.iowabio.org/capitolreport - a link to subscribe and view archives is available on this page.

SPEAKER OPPORTUNITIES

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IowaBio staff members are available to give 15-60 minute speeches to interested groups, such as Rotary Clubs, trade associations, or civic groups. A broad range of topics could be discussed, included biotechnology, healthcare, food vs. fuel, legislative policy, investment and more. Contact Joe Hrdlicka at (515) 327-9156 or joe@iowabio.org.