



BIO 2019 Super Sessions Announced



Don't miss the most influential global leaders in biotechnology and pharma discussing innovation, vaccines, gene therapy, digital health, and the 2019 global forecast in this year's lineup of Super Sessions at [BIO 2019](#), June 3-6 in Philadelphia!

Explore the sessions below, and add the ones you want to see to your personalized [myBIO](#) agenda. Check back often as additional speakers are confirmed!

Super Sessions are open to Education Access, Convention Access, and Convention Access + Partnering registrants

Panels and Speakers

What's Next: The Landscape of Innovation in 2019 and Beyond featuring **Ben Thorner**, Senior Vice President & Head, MRL Business Development & Licensing, Merck & Co., Inc. and others

Biotech's Contribution to Innovation: Current and Future Drivers of Success with **Stacy Lindley**, Vice President and Head of Emerging Biopharma Alliance Management, IQVIA; **Murray Aitken**, Executive Director, IQVIA Institute for Human Data Science;

Art Pappas, Managing Partner, Pappas Capital, LLC;
and more

*Realizing the Promise of Gene Therapies for Patients
Around the Globe* featuring **Bob Smith**, Senior Vice
President, Global Gene Therapy Business, Rare Disease,
Global Innovation Pharma, Pfizer Inc. and others

*The State of the Vaccine Industry: Stimulating
Sustainable Growth* featuring **Roger Connor**,
President, GSK Vaccines, GlaxoSmithKline; **David
Hering**, Regional President, North America, Pfizer
Vaccines; and **Rajeev Venkayya**, President, Global
Vaccine Business Unit, Takeda Pharmaceutical Company
Limited

BIO One-on-One Partnering™ meeting scheduling
begins May 13. [Learn more and register today!](#)

The NC Biotechnology Center will be hosting the North
Carolina Reception at the Barnes Foundation from 6
p.m. to 9 p.m. on Tuesday. Let [NCBiotech](#) know if you'd
like to attend, and if there are business contacts that
you'd like to invite. Future advisories will include
additional information on North Carolina's involvement
in the BIO Convention.

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