



Programme

- 09.00 - 10.00 hrs Registration & Coffee
- 10.00 – 10.10 hrs Welcome by Dr Colja Laane, Director Netherlands Genomics Initiative
- 10.10 – 10.30 hrs Turning good science into socio-economic value
- Keynote presentation by Dr Rudy Dekeyser, Managing Director of the Flanders Institute for Biotechnology (VIB), Chairman NGI Valorisation Advisory Board
- 10.30 – 11.30 hrs Panel discussion with life sciences experts
on valorisation in the medical, industrial and agro-food sector.
- Dr Rudy Dekeyser - NGI Valorisation Advisory Board
 - Prof.Dr Arjen van Tunen - KeyGene N.V.
 - Hans van den Berg - Organon
 - Oscar Goddijn - DSM
 - Chair: Pol van den Bergen
- 11.30 – 12.00 hrs NGI Venture Challenge 2008
- Winner announcement by Alie Tigchelhoff
Holland Biotechnology, NGI Venture Challenge jury
Chair: Dr Chrétien Herben - Manager Valorisation, NGI
- 12.00 – 13.30 hrs Lunch break and networking at Genomics Plaza and Exhibition
- 13.30 – 15.05 hrs Breakout sessions: Research highlights and valorisation showcases
- Organised by NGI Genomics Centres, Horizon Programme and IOP Genomics Programme
- 15.05 – 15.20 hrs Short tea & coffee break



- 15.20 – 15.40 hrs Presentation by Dr Colja Laane, Director NGI
- 15.40 – 16.05 hrs The Life Science Industry Sector: how much momentum does it have and what is its future?
- Keynote presentations by Prof. Joyce Tait
Director of the ESRC's Innogen Centre, University of Edinburgh
- 16.05 – 16.35 hrs NGI Valorisation Award 2008
- Winner announcement by Ivo Opstelten
Chairman NGI Supervisory Board
- Chair: Dr Colja Laane, Director NGI
- 16.35 - 17.00 hrs Valorisation: Taking lessons from Systems Biology
- Keynote presentations by Angus Livingstone
Managing Director of the University-Industry Liaison Office,
The University of British Columbia
- 17.00 - 17.10 hrs Final closure by Dr Colja Laane - Director NGI
- 17.10 – 18.00 hrs Drinks & Bites at Genomics Plaza and Exhibition