

Discover Dutch-Swiss Synergies in Life Sciences

Swiss delegation visit:

Connecting the pharma R&D dots
for building a healthy future

December 10-12, 2024

Leiden – Utrecht, The Netherlands

Draft programme

Tuesday 10 December

Welcome diner, kick-off and networking, [National Museum Boerhaave](#)

Kick-off event with the Swiss delegation, Dutch key stakeholders and organising team at a unique location, containing 500 years of healthcare innovation history. In attendance of Ms. Corinne Cicéron Bühler, Ambassador and Permanent Representative, Embassy of Switzerland to The Netherlands and Ms. Carmen van Vilsteren, Chair of the Dutch Top Sector Life Sciences & Health.

Wednesday 11 December

Seminar Public Private Partnerships & Challenges of Upscaling, [National Museum Boerhaave](#)

How to develop an end-to-end and sustainable infrastructure to accelerate therapeutics development, translation and scaling up to patients. The value of public-private partnerships to enhance translational research ecosystems, to fill the research pipelines with new therapeutic options, to optimise clinical trials, de-risk and optimise development.

Visit [Leiden Bio Science Park](#)

Get ready for an exciting introduction to the Leiden Life Sciences & Health ecosystem. We'll be visiting two key locations to showcase cutting-edge developments in this thriving hub. Currently, we're considering visits to leading organisations like the LUMC iPSC&OoC Hotel facility and Galapagos (these visits are to be confirmed).

Visit [Utrecht Science Park](#)

Next, be inspired by an introduction of the Utrecht Science Park, a vibrant cluster of research and innovation. We're planning visits to the renowned organisations like the Hubrecht Institute and GenMab (these visits are to be confirmed).

Thursday 12 December

[Dutch Life Sciences Conference](#), [CORPUS Congress Centre](#)

Join and participate in the 20th edition of the Dutch Life Sciences Conference. This event is hosted by organisations and companies of the main life sciences clusters in the Netherlands whose mission is to help realising the further development and growth of the Dutch life sciences industry. The conference provides attendees with an excellent opportunity to network and share ideas with the aim of creating new partnerships and business opportunities. Trends and developments are being addressed by industry experts, entrepreneurs and venture capitalists.