



Ministry of Foreign Affairs
and International Cooperation

Italy – United States of America: International Cooperation on Emerging Biotechnologies and Life Sciences

14th November 2023 - Piazzale Farnesina, 1 - ROME

9:30 - 10:10 Greetings

- **ANTONIO TAJANI**, Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation and Vice-President of the Italian Council of Ministers
- **JACK MARKELL**, US Ambassador to Italy and San Marino
- **ADOLFO URSO**, Minister of Enterprises and Made in Italy
- **ANNA MARIA BERNINI**, Minister of University and Research
- **ORAZIO SCHILLACI**, Minister of Health

10:10 - 10:30 Keynote Speeches

- **RENEE WEGRZYN**, Ph.D. Director of the **Advanced Research Projects Agency for Health (ARPA-H)**
- **JOSEPH BUCCINA**, Policy and Research Director of **US National Security Commission on Emerging Biotechnology (NSCEB)**

10:30 -12:00 International Strategies for Emerging Biotechnologies and Life Sciences

- **PIERLUIGI PARACCHI**, Member of **Federchimica-Assobiotec's** Executive Committee, Coordinator Start-up & SMEs' Area and CEO at **Genenta Science (Nasdaq: GNTA)**
- **STEPHEN M. HAHN**, M.D., CEO at **Harbinger Health**, CEO-Partner at **Flagship Pioneering**, Former **FDA Commissioner**

ROUND TABLE

- **MARCELLO CATTANI**, President of **Farmindustria**
- **LUIGI NALDINI**, Ph.D. M.D., Director of **San Raffaele Telethon Institute for Gene Therapy (SR-TIGET)**
- **FRANCESCO DE SANTIS**, Vice President with delegation for Research and Development of **Confindustria**
- **GIANMARIO VERONA**, President of **Human Technopole**
- **MATTEO ZOPPAS**, President of **Italian Trade and Investment Agency**

12:00 -13:30 Financing the Internationalization of Biotech and Life Sciences companies

- **MARIA CRISTINA PORTA**, General Manager of **ENEA Tech and Biomedical Foundation**
- **LAURA TADVALKAR**, Ph.D., Managing Director at **RA Capital**

ROUND TABLE

- **CHARLES ROBERTS**, Strategic Advisor at **ARK Invest**
- **FABRIZIO GRECO**, President of **Federchimica-Assobiotec**
- **CLAUDIA PINGUE**, Head of **Technology Transfer Fund, CDP Venture Capital**
- **LILIANA NORDBAKK**, Venture Partner Life Sciences at **Neva SGR**
- **ELISABETH ROBINSON**, Managing Partner at **Indaco SGR**
- **ROBERTO ZANCO**, Head of **Alternative Illiquid Investments at Kairos Partners SGR**

13.30-14.30 Light Lunch

Moderator **MASSIMO SIDERI**, Columnist and Correspondent at **Corriere della Sera**, Adjunct Professor at **Luiss Guido Carli University**

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