11th SwAPP ExEx Meeting: 8 March, 2018 - Fribourg

CONSTRAINT-DRIVEN INNOVATION IN MEDICAL DEVICES
- Operated by the SwAPP Task Force Medical Device -

In the context of an increasing number of medical devices and their combination with medicinal products or biologicals, the complexity of device technology, as well as the implementation of a new EU regulation in Switzerland, the SwAPP has elaborated an Exchange Expertise event for drug and medical device professionals.

Programme

10:00 Visit of the Swiss Integrative Center for Human Health SA (SICHH, www.sichh.ch) - including lunch
13:00 Reception and Coffee break
13:15 Welcome
   Mirjam Eglin, President, SwAPP (Bern, CH); Jean-Marc Brunner, CEO, SICHH (Fribourg, CH)
13:30 Plenary Session
   - Latest Technologies in Medical and Drug Delivery Devices: Microrobotics and Nanomedicine
     Bradley Nelson, Professor of Robotics & Intelligent systems, Director of Multi-Scale Robotics Lab, ETHZ (Zurich, CH)
   - Development of Innovative and User-centric Drug-Device combination products: a Pharma Perspective
     Ulla Grauschopf, Head of Device Development Europe, F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd (Basel, CH)
   - The European Medical Device Regulation: Timelines and Impact
     Bassil Akra, Vice-President, TÜV SÜD Product Service GmbH (Munich, D)
13:30 Coffee break
16:00 Parallel Workshops

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<td>R&amp;D Project Leader, University of Fribourg (Fribourg, CH)</td>
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<td>Manager Clinical Services, AO Foundation (Zurich, CH)</td>
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17:00 Parallel Workshops (repetition)
17:55 Concluding remarks
   Michel Weber, Task Force Medical Device (TFMD), SwAPP (Bern, CH)
18:00 Closing Networking Apéro

Moderators: Marie Gaumet, R&D Project Manager, TRB Chemedica (Geneva, CH) & TFMD, SwAPP (Bern, CH) Plenary
   Dominique Pioletti, Professor, Laboratory of Biomechanical Orthopedics, EPFL (Lausanne, CH) W1
   Eckhart Wildi, Head of Medical & Regulatory Affairs, Merz Pharma AG (Allschwil, CH) W2
   Dorothee Heer, hc hconsult (Brugg, CH) & Managing Director, SwAPP (Bern, CH) W3

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**Registration**


Registration and payment are required prior to the meeting.

**Participation Fees**

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Groups, please contact us: swapp@swapp.ch, re: ExEx 2018 groups

**Venue**

SICHH, Swiss Integrative Center for Human Health SA  
Blue FACTORY - Halle Bleue, Passage du Cardinal 13 B, CH- 1700 Fribourg, near to main station

**Cancellation Policy**

You may cancel 10 business days before the meeting and receive a full refund minus the cancellation fee of CHF 50.-  
Cancellations less than 10 business days before the symposium date will not be refunded.

**Accreditation**

This event is accredited with 4.5 credits by SwAPP/ SGPM.

**Learning Objectives**

- To familiarize with the latest innovations in the field of medical devices  
- To understand why a highly regulated environment can be a motor of innovation  
- To learn how Pharma can successfully deal with innovative medical device products  
- To understand the phases of their development (versus drugs)  
- To become acquainted with some key regulatory requirements of the new EU Medical Device Regulation

**Target Audience**

Newcomers and experienced professionals in medical devices and combination products development, regulatory affairs, clinical affairs, market access and regulatory compliance (QP); working in the Industry, Contract Research Organisations, Competent authorities, Notified bodies, Ethics Committees or Academia.

**Patronages**

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