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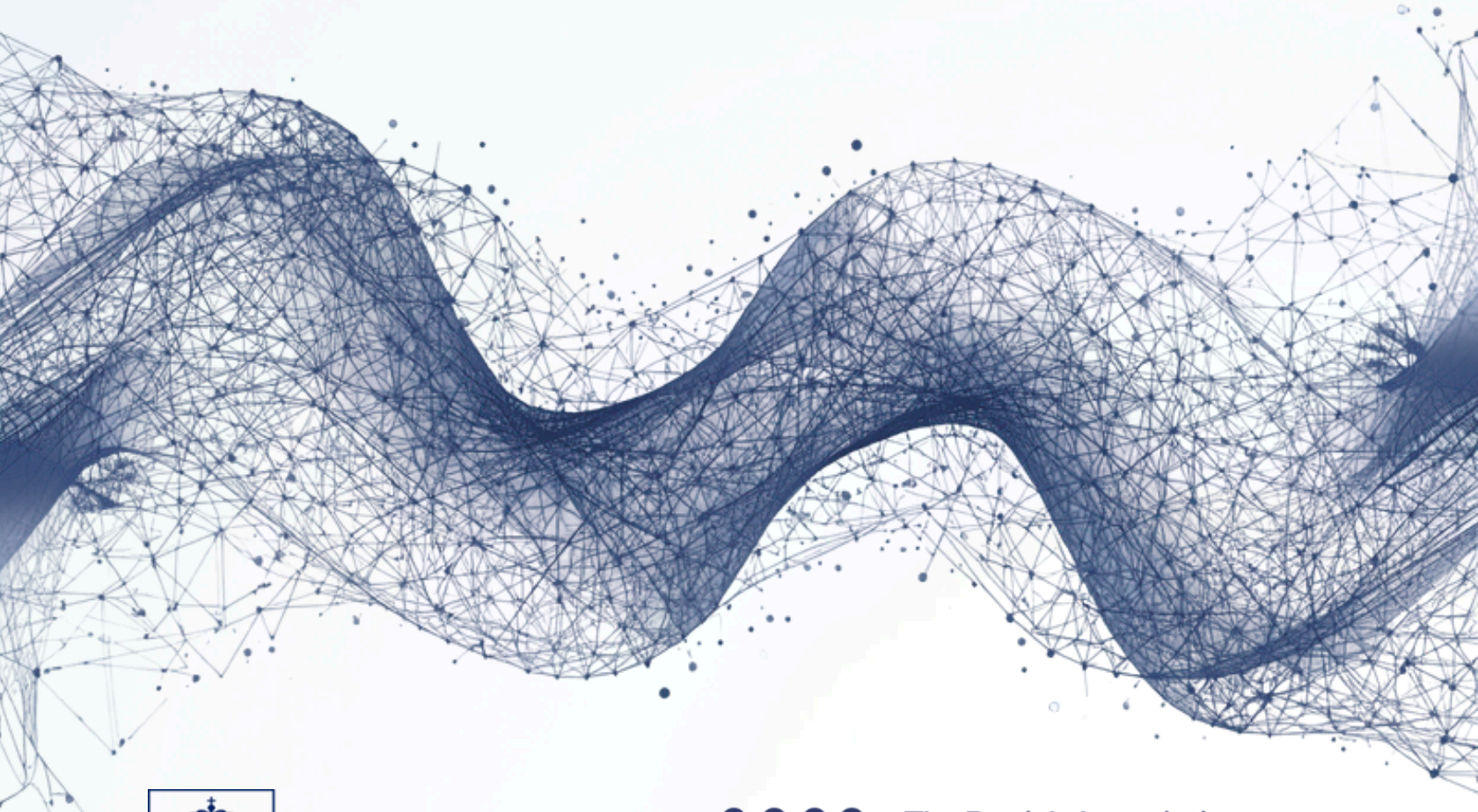
COMPUTATIONAL RESEARCH & DRUG DISCOVERY SYMPOSIUM

EXCLUSIVE ACCESS · PRIVATE 2-DAY PROGRAMME

FOR SELECTED INTERNATIONAL PHARMACEUTICAL AND BIOTECH DECISION MAKERS



MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF DENMARK
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The Danish Association of the Pharmaceutical Industry

AI, DATA AND COMPUTE FOR BETTER MEDICINES

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ACCESSING DENMARK'S COMPUTATIONAL LIFE SCIENCE ECOSYSTEM

Denmark offers a unique environment for next-generation computational research, combining linked health data, national research infrastructure, AI supercomputing, quantum capabilities and a highly collaborative life science ecosystem.

This invitation-only symposium brings together international pharmaceutical and biotech decision makers with leading Danish researchers, institutions and innovation partners to explore opportunities for deeper collaboration and future expansion in Denmark.

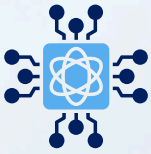
WHAT TO EXPECT

1. **Health Data Access**
   Linked registries, biobanks and clinical data through Denmark's emerging single point of entry.

2. **Research Excellence**
   Leading environments in computational drug discovery, metabolic research and translational data science.

3. **Strategic Partnerships**
   Direct connections with Danish researchers, institutions, innovation partners and life science decision makers.

4. **Advanced Compute**
   AI supercomputing, quantum capabilities and national research infrastructure.



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PROGRAMME DAY 1

MONDAY 7TH

11:30 AM **Arrivals**

12:00-12:30 PM **Light lunch and networking**

12:30-1:00 PM **Welcome remarks by a Representative of the Danish Government**
The importance of the life sciences industry in Denmark and initiatives taken to foster its growth

1:00-2:00 PM **A home in Copenhagen: Copenhagen Innovation District**
Innovation District Copenhagen (IDC) is a leading life science and quantum computing hub. It is home to start-ups, scale-ups and well-established businesses taking advantage of access to state-of-the-art research facilities. Presented by D*avid Dreyer Lassen, Vice-Chancellor and Rasmus Møgelvang, CEO, Copenhagen University*

2:00-2:15 PM **Break**

2:15-3:15 PM **Living example of ground breaking research: NNF Center for Basic Metabolic Research**
CBMR at University of Copenhagen is a thriving example of the research that takes computational Drug Discovery and creates real world value in terms of innovation and development of new medicines. Presented by *Vice Executive Director, Professor Ruth Loos and Professor Simon Rasmussen*

Walk to BII

4:00-5.30 PM **Life Science Entrepreneurship: Visit to the Bio Innovation Institute**
Bio Innovation Institute (BII) is a Danish life science incubator and accelerator that supports researchers and start-ups in transforming innovative ideas into sustainable businesses within biotech, health tech, and deep tech. Presented by *Christian Rank, Chief Development Officer, BII*

6:00 – 8:00 pm **Dinner**
Speech by the *Thomas Senderovitz, CEO at Danish Association of the Pharmaceutical Industry*. Followed by networking participants and invited guests

PROGRAMME DAY 2

TUESDAY 8TH

8:30 - 9:00 AM

The Research Health Data Gateway to Danish Healthcare data
Accelerating health innovation through data - Denmark's new "single point of entry" offers secure access to world-class health registries, biobanks, and clinical data.
By The *Danish Health Data Authority*

9:00 - 10:30 AM

Panel discussion 1: Denmark - The place in Europe for early drug discovery

- Phase 1 trials in Denmark by *Marianne Pilgård, CEO, Trial Nation*
- Health registers and Biobanks in Denmark providing seamless linkage of clinical, genomic, and outcomes data by *Marc Stegger, Director, Sequencing and Bioinformatics Department, Statens Serum Institut*
- International early drug discovery in Denmark by *TBD*
- Talent availability by *Timothy Jenkins, Head of Center for Translational Protein Design and Data Science, Danish Technical University*

10:30 - 11:00 AM

Break

11:00 - 12.30 AM

Panel discussion 2: Access to world class research facilities and infrastructure

MAGNE by QuNorth, the world's most powerful commercial quantum computer to date. Pne of the very first Level 2 quantum systems globally. Delivered by Microsoft and Atom Computing and located in Innovation District Copenhagen.
By *Cathal Mahon, Chief Product Officer*

The Novo Nordisk Foundation Quantum Computing Programme (NQCP) is an interdisciplinary quantum computing research program.
By *Maria Hatzisavvas Damsgaard, Special Advisor*

Danish Centre for AI Innovation (DCAI) is a public/private partnership established to run and operate Gefion, Denmark's first AI supercomputer. Accelerating research and innovation across academia and industry.
By DCAI

12:30 - 1:00 PM

Wrap up & next steps

1:00 – 2:00 PM

Networking lunch

WHO YOU WILL MEET

INNOVATION DISTRICT COPENHAGEN
Europe's emerging hub for life sciences, AI and quantum technologies, connecting research, healthcare and industry in one ecosystem.

BIOINNOVATION INSTITUTE
BII is considered one of Europe's leading life science innovation and startup hubs, particularly for early-stage biotech commercialization and venture creation

THE DANISH HEALTH DATA AUTHORITY
Providing access to one of the world's most comprehensive healthcare data infrastructures, enabling secure linkage of clinical, registry and outcomes data to support drug development .

TRIAL NATION
Public-private partnership accelerating clinical trial execution and strengthening Denmark's position as a preferred trial destination.

STATENS SERUM INSTITUT
Home to internationally recognized expertise in genomics, sequencing and bioinformatics, supporting large-scale data generation that accelerate precision medicine

UNIVERSITY OF COPENHAGEN
Home to internationally leading research environments advancing computational biology, precision medicine and next-generation drug discovery.

DANISH TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY
DTU Compute, Technical University of Denmark is a leading European center for data science, AI, and scientific computing, with strong expertise in bioinformatics and computational approaches

CBMR
Internationally recognized research center pioneering computational approaches to metabolic disease and drug discovery.

QUNORTH
Driving Denmark's national quantum computing ambitions through the deployment of Magne, one of the world's first Level 2 quantum systems, creating new opportunities for computational research.

DCAI
Operating Gefion, Denmark's national AI supercomputer, providing researchers, startups and industry with access to state-of-the-art computing power for AI-driven innovation.

NQCP
World-class quantum computing research programme advancing scalable quantum technologies through interdisciplinary collaboration across physics, engineering and computer science.

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Maersk Tower, Copenhagen University
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Attendees are kindly requested to arrange and fund their own travel and accommodation.

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