



What is the future of life science in Sweden?

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AstraZeneca Gothenburg

A discussion on innovation and collaboration

moderated by journalist and television presenter

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Sweden is ranked highly in innovation indices in the EU and globally, but our future as a life science hub is by no means guaranteed. What are our greatest strengths and opportunities? What do we need to address in the immediate future to remove barriers to innovation and growth? We look forward to discussing these important questions at the 2019 AstraZeneca Exchange event on 14 May at 11:00am, hosted at our global R&D site in Gothenburg.

The Medici Method™ Workshop

Prior to the Exchange event, guests can also join an optional The Medici Method™ Workshop from 8:30am to 10:30am, hosted by [The Medici Group](#). Based on the principles of *The Medici Effect* (Harvard Business Press, 2004), The Medici Method™ Workshop is a powerful ideation process that can help unleash new ideas and insights for organisations.

Agenda:

- 8:30 Optional pre-event innovation workshop with The Medici Group at GoCo site
- 10:30 Registration at AstraZeneca Gothenburg site
- 11:00 Welcome and opening remarks
- 11:10 Artificial Intelligence: Applications and possibilities
- 12:00 *Lunch and networking time*
- 13:00 Delivering advanced medicines to patients
- 13:45 Partnering for innovation
- 14:45 *Coffee break and networking time*
- 15:15 The intersection of diversity and innovation
- 16:30 What is the future of life science in Sweden?
- 17:00 Closing remarks
- 17:10 *Dinner and networking time*
- 19:30 Event ends
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Speakers include:

- **Deborah DiSanzo**, Harvard University Advanced Leadership Fellow, previously General Manager for IBM Watson Health; AstraZeneca Board Member
- **Kristian Ribberström**, Chief Experience Officer at The Medici Group
- **Anders Broo**, Senior Principal Scientist, Head of Data Science and Modelling, Pharmaceutical Sciences, AstraZeneca
- **Johan Hyllner**, Senior Director, Head of Cell & Gene Therapy, CVRM, AstraZeneca
- **Jan Nilsson**, CEO Combigene

- **Fredrik Röök**, Transaction Director, Business Development Operations, AstraZeneca
 - **Carolina Haefliger**, VP Head CVRM Precision Medicine Unit, AstraZeneca
 - **Hitesh Sanganee**, Senior Director, Emerging Innovation, Scientific Partnering & Alliances, AstraZeneca
 - **Magnus Björsne**, CEO BioVentureHub
 - **Anna Sandström**, Science Policy and Relations Director Europe, AstraZeneca
 - **Lisa Lindström**, CEO, Doberman
 - **Matti Ahlqvist**, Site Director, AstraZeneca Gothenburg
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