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Presented by:



Date: Thursday May 30th, 2024

Location: Sunrise Event Center, Vacaville CA

Time: 7:30AM – 6:30PM

CONFERENCE AGENDA

7:30am	<i>Registration and Continental Breakfast</i>
8:30am – 8:50am	Welcome Remarks & Call to Order, Opening Remarks: <i>Mike Guerra, President & CEO, California Life Sciences</i>
8:50am – 9:20am	OPENING KEYNOTE ADDRESS: “State of Real Estate”
9:20am – 10:40am	SESSION 1: State of Incubators What are the “nice to have” and “must have” ingredients to an incubator strategy that supports biotech entrepreneurs and communities alike in regions where the biotech landscape is still young and growing?
10:45am – 12:00pm	SESSION 2: Operational Excellence & Management As the C suite focuses on reducing burn rate and cash conservation, operations budgets are frequently targets. There is often a struggle between FM and the C suite in communicating effectively to identify short- and long-term methods to meet financial strategies while delivering consistent, compliant, and quality services.
12:00pm – 1:30pm	LUNCHEON KEYNOTE: “The Genentech Biomanufacturing Diaspora”
1:30pm – 2:45pm	SESSION 3: Speed to Market - Biomanufacturing for Cell and Gene Therapies As hundreds of innovative therapies move through the development pipeline the overall economy remains a challenge, presenting a difficult thread-th e-needle scenario for companies needing to plan for commercial launch while also needing new tools in the build-buy-partner decision to successfully deliver those therapies. New business models in manufacturing continue to emerge to help companies navigate uncertainty.
2:50pm – 4:10pm	SESSION 4: Energy and Sustainability in Life Sciences Greening of the lab will not be enough to deliver net zero results in life sciences. This panel will take a comprehensive look at state of the art tools, practices, and building materials to take biotech to new heights of sustainability.
4:10pm – 4:30pm	Closing Comments
4:30pm – 6:30pm	<i>Networking Reception</i>