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'Mix and Match' Event

Our Premier Networking Event

Hosted by

AstraZeneca



September 17, 2008

6pm-8pm

AstraZeneca Atrium

1004 Middlegate Road

Mississauga, Ontario

AGENDA

6:00 pm – Networking & Refreshments

6:30 pm – Remarks

Hazel McCallion,

Mayor of Mississauga

John Wilkinson, (invited)

Minister of Research and
Innovation

Mark Jones,

President of AstraZeneca

Grant Tipler,

President of TBI

7-8 pm – Networking

Event Overview

This evening event will provide an opportunity for people from a variety of organizations and disciplines within the life sciences industry to informally connect and network. Another great example of the many ways attendance at TBI events increases understanding and awareness of activities in the life science sector.

Who Should Attend

Interested individuals from

- Biopharmaceutical, medical device, ag-biotech, bioenergy, diagnostic and pharmaceutical companies
- Research institutions in all life sciences
- Contract research, scientific research suppliers of materials, services and equipment
- Life science service providers in finance, law, insurance, environment, consulting, human resources, architecture, technology transfer and government

What Current Members Say About TBI

"TBI keeps me plugged into a critical network of biotechnology experts and business leaders. TBI membership offers an excellent opportunity to meet new contacts - as well as former colleagues - on an informal, high frequency basis that supports real-time information exchange. Through the TBI lens, I feel I gain invaluable insight regarding "what's next" on the horizon for life sciences in Ontario"

Nora Cutcliffe, BioPharma Consultant, Toronto

"TBI is greater than the sum of its parts. TBI creates an environment where people network and connect, exchanging and building on concepts and ideas; problems, big and small can be solved; serendipity happens."

Grant Tipler, President TBI and Head, Life Sciences & Health Services, RBC

"TBI has been a valuable association for me for several reasons. First, being a service provider, the TBI events give me a chance to stay up to date on issues and developments in the industry. Second, TBI events provide a great opportunity to network with others in similar situations to mine, as well as with individuals working directly within the biotech community. I continue to be surprised by how connected and intertwined the biotech community is and TBI is the best way I have come across to feel as though I can be a part of that community."

Liam Brown, Client Executive, Life Sciences and Healthcare, Marsh Canada

"Interacting with TBI members, drawn diversely from the Biotechnology sector and related medical industries, engages me in informative conversations about relevant technical advances and changing business economics. TBI is a superb forum to network with colleagues and exchange ideas based on either similar or varied expertise."

Barbara Lavers, Consultant, TechTrans Consulting

MEMBERS & GUESTS

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Dress: Business Casual

Refreshments and Hors d'oeuvres provided

