WORKSHOP

Driving Successful Drug Discovery: Turning Molecules Into Innovation

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10:30am - 4:00pm



10:30am | Registration & Welcome Coffee

11:00am | Welcoming

Vice-Dean for Research, NOVA Medical School, NOVA University of

Lisbon

11:05am | Compound Sourcing Model as an Opportunity to Identify New

Biological Activities of your Compounds

Victoria Mora, EU-OPENSCREEN

11:35am | PT-OPENSCREEN: The Portuguese Infrastructure for Early-stage Drug

Discovery

António Pombinho, i3S - Instituto de Investigação e Inovação em

Saúde

12:05pm | A Flavor of Synthetic Organic Chemistry Towards Biologically Active

Heterocyclic Compounds

Artur Silva, University of Aveiro

12:35pm | Lunch Break

1:35pm | Innovative Therapeutics and Drug Discovery: Bridging Science and

Industry

Vera Moura, Basinnov Life Sciences, FHC Group

2:05pm | From Molecules to Market: Why Intellectual Property Matters in

Universities

Anabela Carvalho, Qualified European Patent Attorney, Patentree

2:35pm | From Preclinical to Clinical: Pathways for Health Innovation

Rita Rocha, NOVA Medical School

3:00pm | Roundtable - Connecting Portuguese Knowledge Hubs: From

Chemistry and Biology to Health Innovations

Discussion moderated by João Conde, NOVA Medical School

3:35pm | Closing

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