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Nano-Structured Materials in Tissue Engineering Focus Group Meeting

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The NanoKTN supports the transfer of knowledge and experience between industry and research offering companies dealing in small-scale technology access to information on new processes, patents and funding as well as keeping up-to-date with industry regulation.

The Nano-Structured Materials in Tissue Engineering (NanoMITE) focus group aims to look at the advances in nano-structured materials for use in tissue engineering, with a view to ensuring the UK remains at the forefront of the technology area.

Nano-Structured Materials in Tissue Engineering

Focus Group Meeting

Tuesday 16th December 2008

Core Technology Facility, Manchester

This event is the first meeting of this focus group and will be a mixture of presentations and discussion to enable the NanoKTN to inform industry, academia and government about both opportunities and risks within the sector. The event will also develop a network across the UK of companies and academics working in this field.

We would welcome your attendance and input into this important area of bionanotechnology.

This event is being organised in partnership with Bionow – the cluster support group for the North West of England's biotechnology, pharmaceutical and healthcare industry, the North West Regional Development Agency and the University of Manchester Incubator Company which manages the facilities and business support associated with The University of Manchester's incubation activities.

Programme

- 12.30 Lunch & Networking
- 13.30 Welcome & Introduction
Dr Mike Fisher, Theme Manager
Bionano & Nanomedicine, NanoKTN
- 13.45 Overview of Nano-Structured Materials in Tissue Engineering
Prof. Brian Derby, Materials Engineering Group, UK Centre for Tissue Regeneration, University of Manchester
- 14.15 Case Study: BioCeramic Therapeutics Ltd
Prof. Molly Stevens, CSO & Professor of Biomedical Materials and Regenerative Medicine, Imperial College London
- 14.45 A Cell Therapy Company's Perspective: Intercytex plc
Dr Penny Johnson, Research Director
- 15.15 Standards and Regulation of Tissue Engineering Products
Speaker to be confirmed
- 15.45 Roundtable Discussion
- 16.30 Summary and Way Forward
- 17.00 Meeting Closed
Attendees invited to attend Bionow Network Evening, Hickman's Restaurant

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Signing Up

Membership of NanoMITE is free. To keep up to date with NanoMITE information and get privileged access to information on our website, contact:

Attendance for this workshop is free of charge but places are limited so registration is essential.

Registrations forms can be obtained from natasha.taylor@nanoktn.com or downloaded from the website at: www.nanoktn.com

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