

SMi Group Release Agenda for the 9th Annual Industry Gathering: Pre-Filled Syringes Europe 2017

Pre-Filled Syringes Europe returns to Central London with an agenda featuring a record breaking line-up of big pharma and industry speakers for 2017.

LONDON, ENGLAND, UNITED KINGDOM, September 6, 2016 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Building on the success of its sell-out global Pre-Filled-Syringes series of events and now firmly leading the path in presenting the industry with all the necessary updates on injectable devices, SMi Group returns to Central London on 18th & 19th January 2017 to proudly host Europe's leading 9th annual conference and exhibition: Pre-Filled Syringes Europe.

<u>Pre-Filled Syringes Europe 2017</u> will once again gather an audience of senior scientists, device manufacturers and PFS market professionals, providing a focal point to discuss the latest innovations and developments in pre-filled



syringes; as well as hone in on industry challenges and regulatory compliance.

Despite lucrative opportunities, a number of ongoing challenges still remain - from E&L to device design, through to needle safety and packaging solutions. Through a combination of keynote

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addresses, topical debate and informed guidance, the agenda for Pre-Filled Syringes Europe 2017 will continue to provide a comprehensive overview for market participants to overcome these challenges and benchmark against experts in the field.

Conference Chair, Alphons Fakler, Group Head of Risk Management at Novartis Pharm said:

"In a highly competitive industry like ours, where intellectual property and innovation disclosure is handled restrictively, let

us appreciate the unique opportunity offered by this event to share best practice and network with other experts in the field."

The impressive line-up of speakers include:

- Alphons Fakler, Group Head Risk Management, Novartis Pharma (Chairman)
- Vikas Jaitely, Deputy Manager and Senior Pharmaceutical Assessor Licensing Division, Medicines and Healthcare Products Regulatory Agency (MHRA)
- Serkan Oray, Senior Director, Device & Technology, UCB

- Paolo Mangiagalli, Senior Director- PFS Platform, Sanofi
- David Blakey, Device Development Manager, GSK
- Sachin Dubey, Head of Formulation, Glenmark Pharmaceuticals
- Andreas Kerschbaumer, Facilitator Compounding, Filling & Inspection, Sandoz
- Ed Cahill, Senior Director, Technical and Scientific Affairs Sterile Products, Teva
- Nick Stones, Fellow, Human Factors Engineering, Novartis Pharma
- Ignace Wallaert, Principal Scientist Packaging Development, Janssen Pharmaceuticals
- Markus Hemminger, Senior Engineer Pre-Filled Syringes, F. Hoffmann-La Roche
- Alexander Jung, Senior Manager Technology and Innovation, Drug Delivery & Devices, Boehringer Ingelheim

A full list of speakers and a detailed conference agenda is available at www.pre-filled-syringes.com For those looking to register, there is currently a £400 early bird saving available online which expires on 30th September.

Pre-Filled Syringes Europe 2017
9th Annual Conference: 18th & 19th Jan | Interactive Workshops: 17th Jan Copthorne Tara Hotel, Kensington, London UK
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