



# BRAINS OF BRITAIN

**Tuesday 27 October | 10.00am – 5pm**  
**Melbourne Convention & Exhibition Centre**

**Host – Stuart Gill, British Consul-General, Melbourne**  
**Chair – Jon Mowles, Life Sciences Sector Champion**  
**UK Trade & Investment**

The UK government recognises that a close working relationship between research and business both at home and overseas is crucial to developing an already world-leading bioscience industry. That's why the UK has sent a combined contingent of academics and companies to Australia, on the hunt for opportunities to partner with Australian organisations in research, innovation and business.

Come along to meet the Brits and get a sneak preview of the latest developments in livestock vaccines, drug discovery and development, bioinformatics, antibodies, stem cells, bioprocessing and translational research - amongst many others.

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## Programme

***"The UK is one of the world's life science leaders and UK industries are spending AU\$15 million each day on R&D."***

- 09.30 Coffee and registration
- 10.00 Welcome, Stuart Gill, British Consul-General, Melbourne
- 10.10 Dr. David Rhodes, Director Business Development, The Health Protection Agency  
"Health protection, technology, and translational research".
- 10.30 Quentin Tannock, Chairman, Cambridge IP Ltd  
"Landing licensing and R&D partners: The importance of a fact-based IP strategy"
- 10.50 Ronnie Georghiou, Senior Business Development Manager, IP Pragmatics  
"Licensing and Collaborative Opportunities with InterAct"
- 11.10 Dr Richard Hill, Director Business Development, BioFocus,  
"Accelerated drug discovery"
- 11.30 Dr Fiona M. Greer Director, Biochemical Services, M-Scan  
"Questions of bio/pharmaceutical characterisation: why, what, when and how?"
- 11.50 Dr Mark Wass, Centre for Bioinformatics, Imperial College London  
"Protein Modelling - structure, function and interactions"
- 12.10 Dr Christopher Barnes, Theoretical Systems Biology Group, Imperial College London  
"Bayesian reverse engineering of biological networks"
- 12.30 Lunch
- 13.30 Dr Marilyn Robertson, Executive Director of the Scottish Stem Cell Network  
TBC
- 13.50 Prof. Chris Hewitt, Director of the Doctoral Training Centre in Regenerative Medicine  
"Bioprocessing - Scale-up, Scale-down or Scale-out"
- 14.10 Dr Erin Rayment, Centre for Biological Engineering, Loughborough University  
"Experiences in Automated Stem Cell Culture"
- 14.30 Kevin Johnson, Chief Executive Officer, PanGenetics Ltd  
"Outsourcing pre-clinical & clinical development of antibodies"
- 14.50 Dr Jan Knight, Managing Director, Knight Scientific  
"Antioxidants and free radicals quantified as never before"
- 15.10 Dr Richard Mole, Chief Operating Officer, Inocul8 Ltd  
"Turning world-leading research into high impact livestock vaccines"
- 15.30 Dr. Matthew Read, Director, PRN Clinical Services  
TBC
- 15.50 Wrap up, Jon Mowles, Life Sciences Sector Champion, UK Trade & Investment
- 16.00 Drinks and networking
- 17.00 Close and AusBiotech 2009 Welcome Reception