Enzymes for Industrial Applications

The flagship event for industry delegates and solution providers
From experts for experts

Enzymes are considered to be little miracle substances for innovation, process advantages and cost reductions. Ok, it’s not magic but “hard science” – nonetheless, the performance of enzymes in some applications is really breathtaking, especially compared to “conventional” chemical synthesis routes. Whether in the food industry, pharmaceutical industry, textiles, detergents, bio refineries, fine and specialty chemicals, paper and cosmetics, the application areas in which enzymes can be used sensibly and profitably are diverse and nowhere near exhausted.

As research and development advance and ever more processes make it into industrial applications, some trends emerge that might lead the way for the development of the industry.

The DECHEMA PRAXISforum “Enzymes for Industrial Applications” brings together top-class industry professionals, solution providers and key customers from over 65 companies in the field of industrial enzymes from all over the world. In this PRAXISforum they have the opportunity to exchange and network with colleagues from other companies and branches, with potential cooperation partners, and get informed about the latest trends, innovations and practices. At the same time participants can present their needs and future requirements in direct exchange with suppliers of technologies, services and products.

What the PRAXISforum is about

- **By industry, for industry** – the PRAXISforum reveals market opportunities and promotes the development of new enzymes, production processes and application areas.
- **Networking platform** – the PRAXISforum brings together international market leaders and high profile end-users and experts from all relevant industries.
- **High-level speakers** – best practices presentations and lessons learned from speakers at decision-maker level. Technological background is as much presented as end-user relevant information.
- **Relevance to applications** – the PRAXISforum provides visitors an overview on innovations for their highly specific requirements of everyday practice.

Topics of our next PRAXISforums

- Big Data Analytics in Process Industry, 24 - 25 Apr 2018
- Brandschutz in der chemischen Industrie, 29 - 30 Aug 2018
### Tuesday, 06 Feb 2018

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| 11:00  | Opening                                                                 | K. Rübberdt / Head of Biotechnology  
DEHEMA e.V. / Germany                                                                                       |
| 11:05  | Welcome Address                                                         | C. Ott / Head of Technology & Innovation  
Hessen Trade & Invest GmbH / Germany                                                                    |
| 11:15  | Impulse  
**FIS approach to industrial biocatalysis**                      | R. Motterle / Head Biotechnology Development  
F.I.S. - Fabbrica Italiana Sintetici S.p.A. / Italy                                              |
|        | • FIS and FIS R&D brief general presentation                            |                                                                                                   |
|        | • Why biocatalysis in industry                                         |                                                                                                   |
|        | • FIS research model for biocatalysis implementation                    |                                                                                                   |
|        | • Examples with different enzymes                                      |                                                                                                   |
| 11:55  | How to make very good enzymes even better  
– improving cheese coagulants by enzyme engineering      | C. Jäckel / Senior Research Scientist in Enzyme Innovation  
Chr. Hansen / Denmark                                                                               |
|        | • The challenge of developing superior enzymes for complex industrial applications |                                                                                                   |
|        | • Multiple parameter optimization of camel chymosin by DoE-based library design |                                                                                                   |
|        | • Combination of various enzyme engineering strategies                 |                                                                                                   |
| 12:25  | Lunch and networking at the exhibition floor,  
Interactive discussions @ „topic tables“ |                                                                                                   |
| 14:00  | Impulse  
**Enzymatic Processes for Industrial Applications**   | Y. Asano / Head of Enzyme Chemistry Laboratory  
Toyama Prefectural University, Biotechnology Research Center / Japan                                |
|        | The merit of the enzymes utilized in the reactions which enzymes do better than the chemical reactions will be introduced: |                                                                                                   |
|        | • Hydration and dehydration reactions                                 |                                                                                                   |
|        | (nitrile hydratase and aldoxime dehydratase)                          |                                                                                                   |
|        | • Regioselective reaction (acid phosphatase)                           |                                                                                                   |
|        | • Dynamic kinetic resolution (hydrolysis of nitrile)                  |                                                                                                   |
|        | • Deracemization of racemic amines (amine oxidase)                     |                                                                                                   |
|        | • Stereoselective lyase reaction (hydroxynitrile lyase)                |                                                                                                   |
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<td>F. Brühlmann / Group leader Biotechnology Department Firmenich / Switzerland</td>
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<td>• Diverse, exciting application areas for enzymes in F&amp;F</td>
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<td>• Different enzyme-based catalyst and reaction formats</td>
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<td>• Plug-in solutions for multi-step synthetic schemes (hybrid routes)</td>
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<td>• Engineering options help to address performance and cost issues</td>
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<td>• Partnering offers unique opportunities</td>
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<td><strong>Microbial transglutaminase enabling highly site-specific labeling of proteins</strong></td>
<td>W. Steffen / Project Leader Enzyme and Protein Technologies Roche Diagnostics / Germany</td>
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<td>• Identification and characterization of a microbial transglutaminase from the spore-forming bacterium Kutzneria albida</td>
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<td>• From a promiscuous to a specific enzyme – How digitally controlled high-density peptide arrays may predict the best substrates</td>
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<td>• Versatile enzyme enabling bio-orthogonal production of active diagnostic and pharmaceutical ingredients on the industrial scale</td>
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<td>M. F. Lucas / Co-founder &amp; CEO Zymvol Biomodelling / Spain</td>
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<td>• The importance of speeding up enzyme discovery &amp; development</td>
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<td>• Why we use computer simulations to design industrial enzymes</td>
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<td>• Case studies from Zymvol Biomodeling</td>
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<td>Navigating Functional Enzyme Sequence Space: A Holistic Bioinformatics Perspective</td>
<td>S. Benson / Co-founder &amp; CEO Candidum / Germany</td>
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<td>• Enzyme archetypes: Clustering sequence space by functional hotspot positions</td>
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<td>• Mutational hotspots: An accelerated molecular dynamics approach</td>
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<td>• Enzyme Optimization: Combinatorial library design by virtual prototyping</td>
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<td>Secure supply for commercial Enzymes – The Relevance of a reliable and experienced biotechnological manufacturer (CMO) for a plethora of markets</td>
<td>J. Ohl / Senior Business Development Manager Corden BioChem / Germany</td>
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<td>• White biotechnology is Corden BioChem’s business, your biotech hub in the heart of Europe</td>
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<td>• Corden BioChem is an industrial manufacturing partner supplying into food, feed as well as pharma and fine chemical market</td>
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<td>• Experienced team for industrialization and scale-up</td>
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<td>Location: Life-Style Bar @ Maritim Hotel, Theodor-Heuss-Allee 3, 60486 Frankfurt/Main (5 min walk from venue)</td>
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<td><strong>A few studies about lipases</strong></td>
<td>A. Robic / Scientific Manager Protéus / France</td>
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<td>• Strategy to optimize new biocatalysts</td>
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<td><strong>Best practices in the biocatalytic production of</strong></td>
<td>M. Schürmann / Principal Scientist Biocatalysis InnoSyn / The Netherlands</td>
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<td>hydroxy-functionalised chemicals: From lab to pilot to production using</td>
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<td>• Scale-up of hydratase and monooxygenase reaction</td>
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<td><strong>Südzucker activities with industrial enzymes</strong></td>
<td>M. Klingeberg / Senior Manager Microbiology Südzucker / Germany</td>
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<td>• General overview about the application of enzymes in the whole</td>
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<td>• Südzucker group (Inulin, Starch, Isomalt, Ethanol)</td>
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<td>• Focus will be enzymes in ethanol production</td>
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<td>• Details about the application of alpha-amylases, glucoamylases,</td>
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<td>• proteases, viscosity reducing enzymes, trehalases and phytases</td>
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<td>K. Baldenius / Head of Biocatalysis Research&lt;br&gt;BASF / Germany</td>
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<td>• Enzymes are incredibly powerful catalysts – opening new opportunities for the chemical industry&lt;br&gt;• First applications aimed at chiral intermediates for pharma&lt;br&gt;• The scope of enzyme catalysis can be extended to high volume petrochemicals</td>
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<td>From Discovery to Product – Development of an Enzymatic Solution for Chronic Wound Treatment</td>
<td>A. Pelzer / Platform Coordinator Tailor-made&lt;br&gt;Biocatalysts&lt;br&gt;BRAIN / Germany</td>
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<td>• Identification and characterization of a fibrin degrading protease from the larvae of Lucilia sericata&lt;br&gt;• Development of a scalable microbial production process for the new enzyme Aurase&lt;br&gt;• Development of a formulation that enables application of the enzyme product after long storage under unfavourable conditions in order to effectively treat potentially millions of patients worldwide that suffer from painful chronic wounds</td>
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<td>Viral contaminations: a common problem for microbial enzyme production</td>
<td>A. Dreusch / CEO&lt;br&gt;MicroMol / Germany</td>
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<td>• Phages – overview&lt;br&gt;• Phages as contaminants in enzyme production and fermentation processes&lt;br&gt;• Detection methods&lt;br&gt;• Corrective actions&lt;br&gt;• Outlook</td>
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Topic tables

At the topic tables you can discuss specific questions, developments, challenges and their solutions with our speakers. In every break you can find the experts from the prior session at an indicated topic table within the exhibition area. Are you just getting started with industrial enzymes? You want to discuss your question in a smaller group? You don’t agree with the statement given by the speaker? – Make your way to our topic tables!

**Topic table hours:**
06 Feb 2018:  12:25 – 14:00, 15:45 – 17:00 and 18:30 – 19:00
07 Feb 2018: 11:00 – 12:15 and 14:00 – 15:15

Networking Dinner

At the evening of the first PRAXISforum day we continue the discussions about trends, developments, new technologies and products in the field of industrial enzymes within a relaxed and informal networking dinner.

To set a new stimulus for interesting discussions and networking and to fresh up your minds we will change the location and move to the Life-Style bar at the Maritim hotel, close to one of Frankfurt’s famous landmark buildings, the MesseTurm. It’s a perfect place for relaxed networking.

See you at...

**Bar Life-Style @ Maritim Hotel**
Theodor-Heuss-Allee 3
60486 Frankfurt/Main
Germany
(max. 5 min walking distance from DEHEMA)
The Speakers

Yasuhisa Asano
Head of Enzyme Chemistry Laboratory,
Toyama Prefectural University, Biotechnology Research Center / Japan

“Active enzymes: Actively expressed enzymes in heterologous hosts are always necessary. Enzyme activity: Activity measurement is important in enzyme discovery. Enzyme molecule: Enzymes are improved by looking at protein structure in molecular level.”

- 1982 Ph.D. Kyoto University
- 1984 Research chemist at Sagami Chemical Research Center, Japan
- 1990 Associate Professor, and Professor (1995) of Toyama Prefectural University Japan
- 2011 “The Medal with Purple Ribbon”
- 2013 “Enzyme Engineering Award”
- 2014 “Biocat Award”

Kai Baldenius
Head of Biocatalysis Research, BASF / Germany

“We haven’t fully appreciated the potency of enzyme catalysis, let’s move out of the chiral niche and target chemical production more broadly”

Kai Baldenius is a chemist by formation. After receiving a PhD from Hamburg University, he spent a post-doc research year at The Scripps Research Institute before he joined BASF in 1993. In BASF Kai started his career in the central research doing process development work for vitamins and other fine chemicals. He took over responsibilities in production, marketing and sales, before he returned to research. Since 2009, Kai heads the BASF biocatalysis research group.
The Speakers

**Sven Benson**
Co-founder & CEO, Candidum / Germany

“One of the major bottlenecks to making biocatalysts economically viable is to find the right solutions for specific catalytic challenges within the vast diversity of enzyme blueprints. candidum sets out to drive innovation by making this process simple, budgetable, at competitive costs and with minimal risks.”

Sven Benson studied biotechnology at the University of Stuttgart, where he was awarded his PhD from the SimTech Cluster of Excellence with focus on molecular enzyme modeling. He stayed on as a research fellow to finish his work on parts of candidum’s core bioinformatics technologies. He co-founded candidum where he currently acts as CEO.

**Fredi Brühlmann**
Group leader Biotechnology Department, Firmenich / Switzerland

“Enzymes offer highly versatile chemistries under benign conditions enabling diverse applications. While an increasing range of engineering options helps addressing performance and cost issues among others, it is important that the regulatory environment and the public remain open to science and technology.”

- Since 1999: Group and project leader at Firmenich’s Biotechnology Department. Main activities on the technical side have mainly related to scouting of biosynthetic and chemo-enzymatic routes, exploration and development of biocatalytic systems prior to scale up, and protein engineering; often in collaboration with external partners
- 1995-1999: Postdoctoral research at the College of Engineering, and at the Department of Plant Pathology, UC Riverside
- Studies of Natural Sciences at the ETH-Zürich, and of Chemistry at the University of Applied Sciences, Zürich
The Speakers

Andrea Dreusch  
CEO, MicroMol / Germany

“Phages are much more than a redoubtable contamination. If you deal with a good risk management they might be friends. There are much more possibilities to talk about bacteriophages than only to execrate them”

Mrs. Dreusch studied Biology with focus in Microbiology to get a Dipl. Biol. and continued working in the field of Molecular Biology (PhD). In 1996 she founded the MicroMol Laboratory together with her husband and worked as Co-CEO developing her company in the main biotechnological fields. Well-known as an interface laboratory covering microbiology, molecular biology, cell biology and immunology MicroMol established the interesting core-competence of Bacteriophage works.

After a short stopover working as Director of BAV-Academy, Mrs. Dreusch returned to MicroMol when her husband suddenly died in 2017 to accept responsibility for MicroMol again.

She integrated the laboratory into the Tentamus group, which offers a global network of highly specialized laboratories, all of which are equipped to ensure the quality and safety of the tested goods.

Christian Jäckel  
Senior Research Scientist in Enzyme Innovation, Chr. Hansen / Denmark

“Quality over quantity: Smart library design strategies and screens close to application are key to successful discovery of superior industrial enzymes”

Christian Jäckel studied Biochemistry at University of Leipzig and received his PhD in Bioorganic Chemistry from Free University of Berlin in 2006 for studies about properties of non-natural amino acids in polypeptides. After a PostDoc with Donald Hilvert at ETH Zürich focusing on strategies and methodologies for protein design, he moved to Denmark in 2011 to start a career in biotech industry. Following three years as protein engineer in Novozymes, Christian took a position as scientist and project leader with Chr. Hansen in 2014, where he is developing enzyme products for dairy applications.
The Speakers

**Michael Klingeberg**
Senior Manager Microbiology, Südzucker / Germany

*“Challenges: Continuous improvement process in large scale application, is it possible to measure yield increases of 1 %?”*

- Studies of biology including diploma thesis at the universities of Cologne and Munich
- PhD thesis about thermophilic bacteria and thermostable enzymes at the Technical University
- Hamburg Harburg 1993 – 1997: Employee at Novo Nordisk (today Novozymes) in Kopenhagen, DK
- 1997 – today: Leader of the group Microbiology at Südzucker

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**Maria Fátima Lucas**
Co-founder & CEO, Zymvol Biomodeling / Spain

*“In silico industrial enzyme design is changing the way we work. You can now look into your enzyme and accurately predict improvements”*

Since May 2017: Co-founder and CEO of Zymvol Biomodeling SL
2014-16: Senior Research Scientist at Anaxomics SL
2013-16: Senior Research Scientist at Barcelona Supercomputing Center
2008-13: Postdoctoral Researcher at Barcelona Supercomputing Center
2007-08: Postdoctoral Researcher at University of Calabria
2003-07: PhD in Computational Chemistry at University of Oporto
Riccardo Motterle is Head Biotechnology Development at F.I.S. Fabbrica Italiana Sinteticici (Vicenza). He received is Laurea in Chemistry in 1995 at the University of Padova and joined F.I.S. in 1996. During the first ten years his research activity, as shown by some publications and patents, dealt with scouting, developing and scaling-up syntheses of API using 'standard' organic chemistry. From 2006 on he had the opportunity to investigate the potential of biocatalysis in API production starting a new field in FIS. His current studies focus on the re-design of API and intermediated synthesis to allow an extensive use of the biocatalysis. He is also involved in all the issues related to the use and stabilization of enzymes in industrial implementation. These works, developed in collaboration with University of Padova where dr. Motterle is responsible for a PhD and a PostDoc on Industrial Biotechnology, are object of some publications and patents and were presented at several scientific conferences.

Jörg Ohl
Senior Business Development Manager, Corden BioChem / Germany

“Contract Manufacturing becomes more and more important in biotechnology. For strategical as well as tactical outsourcing, a reliable and experienced partner delivering on-time and in the right quality is a must”

- 7+ years experience in manufacturing operations, FDA and GMP compliance, bulk manufacturing and production management
- Career Started 2010 at Sandoz as Plant Assistant, then increased responsibility with Lab Head, Plant Manager for Downstream and Purification of Enzymes
- 2014: Plant Manager for Fermentation and Downstream of Enzymes
- 2016: Business Development: Building up the BD from scratch for Corden BioChem after Change Process of the site from a monopurpose manufacturing site toward a biotech hub contract manufacturing organization
The Speakers

**Audrey Robic**  
Scientific Manager, Protéus / France

“To increase the chances of success in finding the best biocatalyst and process conditions for your applications, it is important to access panels of biocatalysts ready for screening and a streamlined methodology to assess rate-limiting process parameters.”

Audrey has a dual training in pharmacy and biochemistry. She is a Scientific Manager at Protéus. She manages R&D teams and projects. These projects concern biocatalyst screenings, biocatalyst optimizations from lab to industrial scale for pharmaceuticals and cosmetic ingredients. Before joining Protéus, Audrey has held several project manager positions in the biotechnology units of feed and food companies.

**Alexander Pelzer**  
Platform Coordinator Tailor-made Biocatalysts, BRAIN / Germany

“Enzyme product development is a multidisciplinary task that requires the combination of excellence in diverse fields like enzyme discovery and identification, microbial enzyme production and formulation of the enzyme in an application compatible formula with long storage stability.”

Dr. Alexander Pelzer studied biology at Heinrich-Heine-Universität Düsseldorf. During his doctoral studies at the Institute of Molecular Enzyme Technology at Jülich Research Centre, he worked on the production of various enzymes derived from pseudomonads, as well as on their biochemical and physiological characterisation. Pelzer has been working at BRAIN as a research scientist and project manager in the Unit Enzyme Technologies since 2014. In 2017 Pelzer became leader of the technology platform Tailor-made Biocatalysts dealing with application directed enzyme identification and optimization.
Wojtek Steffen  
Project Leader Enzyme and Protein Technologies,  
Roche Diagnostics GmbH / Germany

“To conventional chemical strategies for protein conjugation are often lacking in site-specificity, linkage stability and reaction conditions. This effected the development of biocatalysts that confer regioselectivity for site-specific modification. Microbial Transglutaminases have long been known as promiscuously ‘protein-glueing’ enzymes in food technology, but are now emerging as highly specific, versatile and inexpensive tools for a broad range of industrial applications.”

Since 2016: Project and Development Lead for Roche’s industrial business platform CustomBiotech, offering fully customized solutions for industrial enzymes and test kits, as well as biotechnological raw materials and reagents for customers in Pharma, Academia and Diagnostics.

2013 - 2015: Postdoctoral research in Enzyme Structure/Function at the ‘Interfakultäres Institut für Mikrobiologie und Infektionsmedizin’, University of Tübingen, and at the Department of Enzyme and Protein Technologies, Roche Diagnostics GmbH

2009 - 2012: Dr. rer. nat. on the structure and biochemistry of respiratory enzyme complexes at the Institute of Microbiology, University of Hohenheim, Stuttgart

2002 - 2008: Studies of Chemistry and Biochemistry at the University of Zürich, Master of Science in Biochemistry

Martin Schürmann  
Principal Scientist Biocatalysis, InnoSyn /The Netherlands

“To compete with conventional chemistry we have to improve and speed up enzyme and reaction engineering to bring more biocatalysis processes from academic proof-of-principle to industrial application”

• Since May 2017 Principal Scientist Biocatalysis at InnoSyn BV (Geleen, The Netherlands)
• 2016-2017 Principal Scientist Biocatalysis at DSM Ahead R&D (Geleen, The Netherlands)
• 2004-2015 various R&D positions at DSM Research (Geleen, The Netherlands)
• 2002-2003 Marie-Curie Industrial Host Fellowship (Post-Doc) at DSM Research (Geleen, The Netherlands))
• 1998-2001 PhD thesis at Institute of Biotechnology, Research Center Jülich (Germany)
• 1992-1998 Biology studies at Ruhr-Universität Bochum (Germany)

The Speakers
Exhibition

The exhibition is an integral part of the PRAXISforum. It is a platform for the latest product and technology innovations and manufacturing processes. As a visitor, you are invited to take a really close look at every exhibit.

Please find more information about our exhibitors in their company profiles on the next pages.

The following companies are looking forward to your visit and will inform you about the latest trends and decisive advantages of their products and services to you and your customers.

List of exhibitors:

Booth #B08: AMICOGEN
Booth #B12: Biokal
Booth #B07: BlueSens
Booth #B03: EnginZyme

Booth #B06: Enzymical
Booth #B04: GENOFOCUS
Booth #B01: eppendorf
Booth #B09: GlycoSpot

Booth #B02: INOFEA
Booth #B05: SPINCHEM
Booth #B10: WILEY
Booth #B11: ZYMVOL

Booth #B13: PRAXISforum Partner:
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Exhibition floor

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- B03 - EnginZyme AB
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- B05 - Spinchem AB
- B06 - Enzymicals AG
- B07 - BlueSens gas sensor GmbH
- B08 - Amicogen
- B09 - GlycoSpot
- B10 - Wiley-VCH Verlag GmbH & Co. KGaA
- B11 - Zymvol Biomodeling SL
- B12 - BioKal
- B13 - VBU-Association of German Biotechnology Companies
Amicogen, Inc.

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  - Cefazolin acylase
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  - Cephalosporin C or 7-ACA esterase
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  - Ion Exchange Chromatography (IEX)
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  - Activated Resin

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Making biocatalysis your first choice

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From the parallel mini bioreactor system for early stage bioprocess development, the benchtop and parallel bioreactor systems for the laboratory scale to the sterilize-in-place solutions for production: Eppendorf offers users from industry and research extensive bioprocess solutions from a single source and meets the highest quality demands.

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Enzyme development, Expression System, Enzyme Production, Immobilization

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- TLL, CalB, CalA, CRL, RML, PCL, ANL

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