

## WOMEN DRIVING INNOVATION

March 8, 2024

9:00am - 9:30am

**Registration and Networking**

9:35am - 9:40am

**Welcome & Opening Remarks** (5 minutes)

- **Kathleen Otto**, CEO, BioNTX
- **Betsy Branch**, Partner, Ernst & Young

9:45am - 10:25am

**Lessons from Women Founders of Life Science & Healthcare Innovation Startups** (40 minutes)

Meet local Texas female founders who have launched successful companies - hear their journey of trials and tribulations to success. What drives them to give back and develop a welcoming ecosystem for women entrepreneurs in Texas.

- **Ayse McCracken, MBA**, Founder, Ignite Healthcare (moderator)
- **Elyse Dickerson, MBA**, CEO, Eosera
- **Lyndsey Harper, MD, FACOG, IF**, Founder & CEO, Rosy Wellness

10:30am - 10:35am

**Spotlight on Healthcare Businesswomen's Association (HBA)** (5 minutes)

- **Stephanie Collins**, DFW Chapter Program Volunteer, Healthcare Businesswomen's Association

10:40am - 10:50am

**Networking Break** (10 minutes)

10:55am - 11:35am

**Women Leading the Way in Manufacturing** (40 minutes)

Women are establishing themselves in historically male-dominated fields like BioPharma and Biomanufacturing. Explore their impactful contributions, cutting-edge initiatives, and inspiring journeys. Connect, learn, and experience these women's remarkable leadership.

- **Victoria Wilmore**, Director of Serialization and Change Control, Johnson & Johnson (moderator)
- **Jill Baker, MEd**, COO, Signature Biologics
- **Tammi Carter**, Former CEO, E4D Technologies
- **Yun Jeong Song, MD**, President, Matica Holdings

11:40am - 11:45am

**Spotlight on Black Women in Science and Engineering (BWISE)** (5 minutes)

- **Lauren Adegoke, MS**, Chief of Staff, Black Women in Science and Engineering

11:50am - 12:50pm

**Lunch & Networking Break** (1 hour)

12:55pm - 1:00pm

**Spotlight on Women In Science and Healthcare (WISH) Network**

- **Jovelyn Castellanos, MHA**, Director of WISH, Health Wildcatters

1:05pm - 1:45pm

**Women Investing in Women's Success** (40 minutes)

Meet women investing in the future of innovation and explore how they are shaping the success of women leaders in life sciences with critical financing and mentorship. From groundbreaking discoveries to impactful collaborations, uncover how these influential women are building the future of the industry.

- **Erin Glass**, M&A and Executive Liability Advisor, Lockton Companies (moderator)
- **Rebecca Allan, PhD**, Senior Analyst, BoxOne Ventures
- **Heather Antioquia**, Senior Director of Program Development, Xontogeny
- **Vicki Gaddy, SPHR**, VP, Portfolio Company Operations, HR & Talent Strategy, Deerfield Management
- **Tania Martin-Mercado, PhD, MS, MPH**, President & CEO, Phronetik

1:50pm - 1:55pm

**Spotlight on Women in Bio (WIB)** (5 minutes)

- **Gina Ford, MBA**, Executive Director, Women in Bio

1:55pm - 2:00pm

**Closing Remarks & Adjourn** (5 minutes)

- **Kathleen Otto**, CEO, BioNTX

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