



BioAlps Networking Day 2024 Programme

“Sustainability in Nutrition and Health”
21 November 2024 | Fribourg

**INTRODUCTION TO FRIBOURG’S LIFE SCIENCES
INNOVATION ECOSYSTEM**
@HEIA-FR | Gremaud Auditorium

9.00 am **BADGE COLLECTION**

9.30 am **Welcome address**

Prof Antoine Geissbuhler | President | BioAlps Association

Prof Jean-Nicolas Aebischer | Director of the School of Engineering and Architecture of Fribourg (HEIA-FR)

Prof Katharina Fromm | Rector of the University of Fribourg

9.45 am Presentations from the innovation ecosystem support organisms

Moderation by Mr Jerry Krattiger | Managing Director | Fribourg Development Agency

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Prof Katharina Fromm | Rector

[HEIA-FR – ChemTech Institute](#)

Prof Christophe Allemann | Director

[Biofactory Competence Center \(BCC\)](#)

Prof Carmen Jungo Rhême | Director

[FRI UP](#)

Mr Yann Steulet | Director

[Marly Innovation Center](#)

Mr Mathieu Piller | Co-Managing Director

10.35 am Presentation of the Fribourg Pharma industry Report

Mr Jerry Krattiger | Managing Director | Fribourg Development Agency

Dr. Mathieu Resbeut | Economist, Key Account Manager Romandie | BAK Economics AG

10.45 am Break

11.00 am Presentation from Fribourg startups

Mr Yann Steulet | Director | FRI UP (moderation)

Prof Curzio Rüegg | CEO | Xemperia

Mr Frederik Plourde | CEO | Neuria

Dr. Lukas Schertel | CEO and Co-Founder | Seprify

11.30 am Networking, Exhibition and ChemTech Institute visit

Sustainability in Nutrition and Health

@UNIFR | Joseph Deiss Auditorium

12.30 pm **BADGE COLLECTION | Networking lunch and exhibition**

1.30 pm **Welcome address**

Prof Antoine Geissbuhler | President | BioAlps

Mr Jerry Krattiger | Managing Director | Fribourg Development Agency

Dr. Valeria Mozzetti | Head of Knowledge and Technology Transfer
| University of Fribourg

1.45 pm **Keynote**

Dr. Amira Kassis | Founder & Co-CEO | The NEAT Science

Dr. Emma Jaquier | Co-CEO | The NEAT Science

2.15 pm **SESSION 1 | Sustainable Biotech and Pharma – process
innovation and governance.**

Prof Christophe Allemann | Director | Institut ChemTech | HEIA-FR
(moderation)

Prof Roger Marti | Full Professor HES Organic Chemistry & Process
Chemistry | HEIA-FR

Dr. Philip Scholten | Chief Innovation Officer | Bloom Biorenewables

Mr Fabrice Véricel | Head of Bulle Technical Operations | UCB Farchim

3.15 pm **NETWORKING BREAK**

4.00 pm **SESSION 2 | Startup pitch**

*Presentations from 4 startups showcasing innovations supporting a transition
towards a greener industry.*

Dr. Pierre Rocheteau | Founder and CEO | Olgram

4.20 pm **SESSION 3 | Food and nutrition – Sustainable manufacturing process innovation**

Dr. Nadine Lacroix Oggier | Senior Researcher | Food Research & Innovation Center – UNIFR

Mrs Géraldine Ortega | R&D Manager BU Dairy & Dairy alternatives | Elsa Group SA

Dr. Olga Dubey | Co-Founder and CEO | Agrosustain

5.20 pm **BioAlps Award Ceremony**

5.45 pm **NETWORKING AND DINNER COCKTAIL**