## MEDTECH INNOVATION EVENT

# Networking **Event Series**

### **4TH SEPTEMBER 2023**

### AT SWITZERLAND INNOVATION PARK BIEL/BIENNE



We invite you to play an active role at the Medtech Innovation Event on September 4, 2023. How can you get involved?

### FOR STARTUPS OR INDUSTRIAL INNOVATORS:

Are you working on the next revolution? Apply for a 6 minute pitch!

### FOR TABLETOP EXHIBITORS:

Is your company looking for more attention? Present your products and solutions at the exhibition! We have a limited amount of tabletops - first come - first served.

### **FOR ATTENDEES:**

Be part of the Medtech Innovation Event! Our online matchmaking tool allows you to request and arrange 1-to-1 meetings with other conference attendees.

### **PROGRAM**

11.00	Welcome and introduction
	Dr. Heiko Visarius, VISARTIS Healthcare GmbH
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	Update be-advanced AG
11.15	Keynote by Dr. Nicolas Guggenheim, Heraeus
	Holding GmbH
11.45	Relevant Horizon Europe funding opportunities

- Sasha Hugentobler, PhD Euresearch 12.00
- Challenges for export/import of medical devices? Dr. Daniel Delfosse Swiss Medtech
- 12.15
- 13.30 Panel discussion "AI in medical technology" Kick-off speech and discussion experts: PD Dr. med. Christian Federau Christoph Anderegg, ISS AG
- 6 pitches by startups and industrial innovators 14.00
- 15.00 Break
- 15.30 Lessons from a startup entrepreneur Cyrill Gyger, QUMEA AG
- 16.00 Break
- 16.15 1-to-1 meetings
- 17.30 End of conference - Apéro Beer & Pretzel

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## MAIN ATTRACTIONS

#### **KEYNOTE BY**

### Dr. Nicoals Guggenheim, Heraeus Holding GmbH

Nicolas Guggenheim was born in Geneva, Switzerland. He holds a degree in materials physics, a PhD in biophysics (cardiology and physics) and a Master's degree in business administration. After his studies, he worked for Synthes-Stratec in Basel, a leader in implants for trauma surgery, managing several Product Development and Marketing departments. Within the group, he founded and led a start-up that became the European number one in orthopaedic surgical navigation. Nicolas Guggenheim joined the German Heraeus Group in 2003 to build Medevio, a world leader in medical device supply. The company grew from 100 to 2000 employees through world-wide acquisitions and organic development. In 2020, he became President of the Heraeus MedTech Business Area with a focus on acquisitions. In addition to his other responsibilities, Nicolas Guggenheim serves as the CEO of Engineered Tissue Solutions (ETS), a US-based company that specializes in the development and marketing of innovative products for wound care and surgery.

### AI IN MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY: PANEL DISCUSSION WITH TWO EXPERTS

Kick-off speech: PD Dr. med. Christian Federau, CEO Al Medical Christoph Anderegg, Head Digital MedTech, ISS AG

### LESSONS FROM A STARTUP ENTREPRENEUR Cyrill Gyger, CEO of QUMEA

Cyrill Gyger is CEO of QUMEA®, a Swiss digital health company that developed an intelligent early warning system for hospitals and care institutions. QUMEA's system seamlessly integrates with the patient's room and communicates with caregivers, allowing them to stay informed about the patient's condition and intervene early if necessary. The contactless and anonymous system supports and relieves caregivers, helps to prevent falls, and helps hospitals save costs.

Cyrill is a seasoned engineer and passionate entrepreneur. After his studies in medical image processing, he has honed his skills in sensor technology and leadership working in both, corporate and startup environments. Prior to co-founding QUMEA in 2019, he contributed significantly in building the successful sensor technology startup Xovis. In the rare moments between QUMEA and family commitments, Cyrill is a passionate paragliding pilot.

### PITCHES BY STARTUPS AND INDUSTRIAL INNOVATORS

Seven startup companies and industrial innovators present in six minute pitches.

#### 1-to-1 MEETINGS

Our matchmaking software allows you to meet potential cooperation partners at the Medtech Innovation Event. People meet and greet at high speed. Register online and submit your own cooperation profile in order to browse through the participant list and find your match.

### **REGISTRATION**

Standard rate: CHF 250.- (excl. VAT)
Tabletop exhibition: CHF 700.- (excl. VAT)

The number of participants is limited. So we encourage you to register now:

https://medtech-innovation-event-2023.b2match.io/



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