

PRESS RELEASE

Innovative companies developing converging tech solutions for health in digital health, healthtech and insurtech convene at DataForHealth 2017

Geneva, 17 May, 2017 – DataForHealth 2017, taking place on the 17-18 of May in Antwerp, Belgium, is showcasing **24 emerging companies** who develop **converging tech solutions** for health using digital data, healthtech and insurtech technologies.

The event falls under the umbrella of the European Venture Contest (EVC), one of 15 qualifying events in which presenting CEOs participate in reverse pitches and use case scenarios and then receive feedback from an expert jury of investors and industry experts in the 3 converging fields. CEOs will then present their companies to top European VCs and international corporate investors during the forum and the top 25% of CEOs will qualify to attend the European Venture Contest Final which regroups the top quartile of presenters from each EVC event at the end of 2017.

DataForHealth also welcomes the following confirmed panellists, speakers and use case challenges:

- *Opening speech* by Caroline Bastiaens (City of Antwerp)
- *Health Data: Landscape and Trends* panel discussion moderated by Marc Sluijs (DIGITALHEALTH.NETWORK) including Sebastian Judez (AXA Group), Katrin Geyskens (Capricorn Venture Partners NV), Axel Polack (Joint Polish Investment Fund), and Filip Vandanne (Volta Ventures)
- *Thought Leadership* speeches by David Dessers (Cresco), Peter Cuipers (IBM Switzerland), and Stefan Wijnen (Microsoft Research Lab)
- *Welcome address* by David Dessers (Cresco)
- *Speech* by Hilja Ilbert (miDIAGNOSTICS)
- *Closing speech* by the Flemish Minister of Welfare, Public Health and Family, Mr. Jo Vandeurzen
- *Use case challenge: Risk stratification of chronic disease patients using deep learning/machine learning* moderated by David Dessers (Cresco)
- *Use case challenge: How can technology make a meaningful difference to people living with epilepsy, Parkinson’s disease, immunology and bone?* Moderated by Pete Dedeken (UCB)

The event is a proven and tested format by Tech Tour that has been connecting innovative entrepreneurs with venture capital and corporate investors since 1998. DataForHealth 2017 is a unique opportunity for participants to meet a selection of the most exciting companies within the digital data, healthtech and insurtech sectors and will provide various networking opportunities including a networking dinner hosted by Cresco, One2One meetings and coaching sessions.

Selected Presenting Companies

aisens	PL	Healthbank Innovation	CH
Antelope Dx	BE	Lynxcare	BE
Apex Health	BE	Medicus	AT
Bingli	BE	Medintec	IL
Braincare	FI	Medrecord	NL
Cardiolyse	GB	Noscendo Gmbh	DE
Collibra	BE	Pridiktiv.Care	BE

Dnalytics	BE	Pryv	CH
Domosafety	CH	Q App	BE
Ectosense	BE	RIMASYS	DE
Elcies	BE	Vividactor	BE
Gogo Mobility Robots	ES	Yagram Health	BE

The Forum is proudly supported by the City of Antwerp, B-Hive, Blue Health Antwerp, UCB, Microsoft Innovation Center, Cresco, Volta Ventures, StartUp Health, and Cukierman & Co. Life Sciences.

Notes to Editors

About Tech Tour

Tech Tour was founded by VC Sven Lingjaerde (Endeavour Vision) in 1998, and acts as a platform to foster interactions through a range of pan-European regional & industry sector events. The scope of the events, the content and selection processes are driven by volunteer investors & IVC members. The event is focused and interactive, with networking sessions, panel discussions, company presentations and ample opportunity to network, share insights and learn more about emerging trends. This offers entrepreneurs direct access to a unique ecosystem of investors, corporate partners as well as peers, to facilitate fundraising and partnerships. Investors and Corporate participants gain direct access to the most promising investment, acquisition & partnership opportunities. For more information, please visit www.techtour.com

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