



Creating Communities of Innovation



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AURP BIO HEALTH CAUCUS

Connect while at BIO for AURP's BIO Health Caucus

Held in advance of the BIO International Convention, at AURP's BIO Health Caucus on June 2-3, we will explore trends in life science research, funding resources, the marriage of life science and engineering in global partnership opportunities. Discover the unique roles that biomedical innovation districts and research parks play in innovation ecosystems in the U.S. and around the globe. Translating discoveries from the laboratory to the market has never been more important. [Register Now!](#)

SPEAKER HIGHLIGHTS: If you are planning on attending the AURP BIO Networking Dinner the Sunday before BIO, look forward to **Katherine Merton**, Head of **JLABS NYC**, and **Stephen Susalka**, CEO of **AUTM**, will discuss the role of technology commercialization and entrepreneurship labs in building bio health communities of innovation.



Kate Merton Stephen Susalka Tami Howie Demian Costa

Tami Howie of **DLA Piper**, **Demian Costa** of **Weller Development** and AURP CEO, **Brian Darmody**, will discuss Opportunity Zones from BIO point of view and the regulations that come with bio health startup companies.

Connect with AURP at booth #3955 or One-on-One Partnering!

[Curious about the agenda? Click here to take a look!](#)

Host AURP in Your City - 2020 Host Proposal

Showcase your community, research park, or innovation district by hosting **AURP's 2020 International Conference**. As the host park, you will be recognized in the field and attract worldwide attention to the exciting progress and success of your region. [Click here to learn more.](#)

Host proposal submissions deadline extended: June 15th

AURP Salary Survey 2019

AURP is reaching out for your input on 2019 Salary Survey. The survey should take 3-5 minutes to complete. Your input is invaluable for all AURP members; gaining access to information on what their colleagues are receiving in the form of pay and benefits.

Participate in this year's Salary Survey **by Friday, June 15th** and then take advantage of the information we compile to assist you and your university research park or innovation district in determining equitable compensation for your leadership team.

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AURP: Same Great Team, New Location!

In addition to the AURP HQ2 offices in the DC region, in early March, the AURP headquarters moved to the UA Tech Park! The UA Tech Park, also located in Tucson, Arizona, is now home for our AURP team; ready to serve our AURP community.



In late 2018, the AURP Board of Directors approved a proposal presented by Tech Parks Arizona, to host the AURP headquarters in addition to special services, in exchange for recognition as a premier Diamond level AURP Annual Corporate Partner.

The AURP leadership and team thank Tech Parks Arizona for the support of our not-for-profit association, allowing us to streamline expenses while focusing on our members' needs. [Read more.](#)

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