

Innovation @ Boehringer Ingelheim

Championing New Ideas and New Science

Through Our 'Grass Roots' Partnering Initiatives



Supporting the next generation of life-science entrepreneurs

Boehringer Ingelheim is clear about its goals. We want to deliver a portfolio of breakthrough medicines that will improve the lives of patients around the world. That starts with innovation. So where better to begin than with the next generation of life-science entrepreneurs and innovators?

Our unique 'Grass Roots' programs connect us with bio-entrepreneurs and facilitate information sharing and an open dialog.

Office Hours

Office Hours offers small companies, entrepreneurs and academicians individual attention in an informal atmosphere. Designed as a consultative 'round table' meeting, this mentoring initiative provides access to expertise, a big pharma industry perspective and feedback to emerging life-sciences businesses.

Innovation Prize

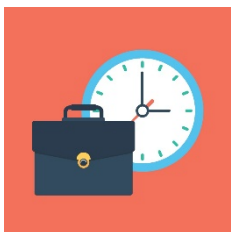
Our **Innovation Prize** recognizes the challenge and dedication it takes to start a new company by awarding valuable resources to life-science start-ups in order to enable new science.

Academy

Our **Academy** sessions are an informal opportunity for early-stage life-science companies to network with other bio-entrepreneurs. Boehringer Ingelheim business development, scientific and commercial leaders, together with some of our partners and key opinion leaders, discuss timely topics of interest in an interactive setting.

Partnering Day

Collaborations with external partners play an essential role in helping us deliver an innovation-led portfolio. We look forward to meeting you at our **Partnering Days** so we can learn from each other to develop the next generation of medicines.



Look for our Grass Roots initiatives in Boston, New York City and San Diego in the USA and in London, UK and Vienna, Austria. We are expanding our global presence to reach innovators around the world.

To see the most up-to-date locations and dates, and for more information visit:
www.boehringer-ingelheim.us/partnering