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Workshop Agenda

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Developing a toolkit to engineer viral vector manufacturing and next generation gene therapies

Final Agenda:

9.00-9.30 Registration and coffee

9.30-12.45 Session 1: Challenges and potential solutions for processing of viral vectors

9.30-10.00 Viral Vector workflow overview: From construct to USP to DSP

Anandita Seth, Head of Research and Technology, Viral Therapy, Lonza

10.00-10.30 Insights into adeno-associated virus processing

Hanna Lesch, Gene Therapy Unit Director, Kuopio Centre for Gene & Cell Therapy (KCT)

10.30-11.00 Scaling up lentiviral vector production from Cell Factories to disposable

bioreactor: development and optimization of upstream and downstream process steps

Luca Crippa, Downstream Vector Development Supervisor, MolMed

11.00-11.20 Coffee break

11.20-12.50 **Activity:** Assessing the impact of process related decisions on manufacturability of viral vectors

12.50-13.30 Lunch & Networking

13.30-16.50 Session 2: Next generation gene therapies: Continuous bioprocessing

13.30-14.00 Continuous bioprocessing for viral vectors -upstream processing

Sven Ansorge, Research Officer, National Research Council Canada

14.00-14.20 Technology Transfer of Cell and Gene Therapy Products into a new GMP

Facility: Success Factors and Key Challenges

LiYing Yang, Head of MSAT, Lonza

14.20-16.10 **Activity:** In groups join the discussion with your table lead. Table leads are:

- 1. Damian Marshall, Director of New and Enabling Technologies, CGT Catapult
- 2. Peter Jones, Head of Operational Strategy, Oxford Biomedica
- 3. David Pollard, Head of New Materials & Components, Sartorius Stedim
- 4. Sven Ansorge, Research Officer, National Research Council Canada
- 5. LiYing Yang, Head of MSAT, Lonza
- 6. Luca Crippa, Downstream Vector Development Supervisor, MolMed
- 7. Hanna Lesch, Gene Therapy Unit Director, Kuopio Centre for Gene and Cell Therapy (KCT)

16.10-16.50 Conclusions from the discussions

16.50-17.00 Wrap-up and closure

