

AGENDA

4-5 October 2023 The Hotel Brussels, Boulevard de Waterloo 38 1000 BRUSSELS

TUESDAY 3 OCTOBER		
INTERNAL MEETINGS		
14:00 - 18:00	ETHICS Annual Summit	
18:00 - 19:30	Networking cocktail	

WEDNESDAY 4 OCTOBER		
INTERNAL MEETINGS		
10:00 - 12:30	Parallel Session 1: ETHICS Annual Summit	
10:00 - 12:30	Parallel Session 2: CVS/e4ethics roundtable	
12:30 - 14:00	Networking lunch	
14:00 - 17:00	Parallel Session 1: MedTech Europe Ethics & Compliance Committee Members ONLY	
14:00 - 17:00	Parallel Session 2: EFPIA Ethics & Compliance Committee Members ONLY	

HETHICO PROGRAMME		
14:00 - 17:00	Parallel Session 3: Training session on internal audits Description: This comprehensive program is tailored for beginners who are responsible for ensuring compliance with anti-bribery rules and regulations. Join us to gain valuable insights into the intricacies of internal auditing, risk assessment, and effective control systems within the healthcare ethics & compliance landscape. Through engaging sessions, case studies, and practical exercises, you will learn the fundamental principles of internal auditing, including risk-based approached and data analysis techniques. We will explore best practices for conducting audits, identifying compliance gaps, and implementing robust control measures to prevent bribery and corruption risks within life science companies. Sponsor: TBC	
14:00 - 17:00	Parallel Session 4: Training session on internal investigations Description: This dynamic program is designed for beginners in healthcare ethics & compliance, legal, and risk management roles, enabling them to effectively conduct investigations related to anti-bribery rules and regulations. Throughout this training, you will gain a comprehensive understanding of the unique challenges and regulatory frameworks governing anti-bribery rules in healthcare. Through interactive sessions, case studies and practical exercises, you will learn the methodologies and techniques required to conduct thorough investigations, gather evidence, and structure and organise interviews of the relevant parties. Sponsor: TBC	
18:00 - 22:00	Welcome networking cocktail & dinner Sponsor: TBC	

THURSDAY 5 OCTOBER HETHICO PROGRAMME		
08:30 - 09:00	Opening keynote	
09:00 - 10:00	Cross-functional panel "What does the future hold for ethics & compliance?" Description: This session aims at discussing with different experts, the upcoming trends and also key legislations that will probably affect the ethics & compliance departments in healthcare companies, in particular in the field of AI and ESG.	
10:30 - 11:15	Panel discussion "Ethics & compliance programs: Adapting to a new world" Speakers: Juan Ignasio Canosa - Compliance Officer, AstraZeneca (confirmed) Description: This session aims at discussing these trends and upcoming new rules and consider best practices in terms of adapting companies' compliance programs. An interactive survey may be setup in order to allow to take the pulse of the audience.	
11:15 - 12:00	Panel discussion "New ways of partnering (e.g. patients, public-private partnership, collaborative research" Speakers: Nicole Wicki - Program Director, The Synergist (confirmed) Description: This session will deep dive in some of areas where new ways of partnering have been developed by life science companies, in particular with patients, public authorities (e.g. PPP) and research organisations (e.g. Collaborative Research) and identify specific risks and opportunities arising from these different setups and what this means for compliance teams within the companies.	



12:00 - 13:30	Networking lunch
13:30 - 15:00	Ask the experts session
	Description: The "Ask the Experts" session will be set up in roundtable discussions designed for smaller groups of active participants. The time allocated will allow them to get to the heart of key issues. The setup allows attendees to ask any questions they may have of the given subject matter to the expert(s) at the table. Attendance is limited to 10-12 persons per table. After 40 minutes, the participants are invited to switch tables. Topics & Table leads:
	Al and new technologies in healthcare
	Metrics and digital tools
	Third-party risk management
	Middle East
	Build a career as an Ethics & Compliance professional
	CVS & e4ethics: Myriam Invidia and Dhana Ong (Ethical MedTech)
	Promotion and advertising in the digital world
	Ethics, compliance and sustainability
15:05 - 15:25	Closing remarks