

# Venture Leaders Life Sciences (Boston)



## Meet industry leaders and top Life Sciences investors

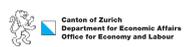
Win your place in the Swiss National Startup Team 2020

You want to explore the US market and plan to build a global startup? Join us to meet industry leaders and investors in Boston.

**Apply by March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020:**  
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«The Venture Leaders Life Sciences program is a MUST for every Biotech, Medtech or Pharma startup. I could not imagine to use only one week in Boston more efficiently than I did with Venture Leaders. Contacts with business angels, industry experts and advisors actually led to our seed financing round, and last but not least, I had lots of fun with the Venture Leaders team members.» *Martin Ostermaier, CEO InterAx Biotech*

«Venture Leaders has been a unique program to put my business development on the front burner. I returned with a ton of great contacts and a much clearer vision on how to run my company and understanding of the US market. A must have if your ambition is to build a winning business.»

*Jan Lichtenberg, Co-Founder and CEO, InSphero*



**Become a member of the Venture Leaders 2020 in Life Sciences - the Life Sciences Swiss National Startup Team. Only the top 10 selected startups will be given the unique opportunity to experience this intense 1-week business development program (value of CHF 10,000). A unique and exclusive opportunity to meet top notch investors and industry leaders in Boston and build an exceptional business network.**

You are ready to conquer global markets and want to meet with industry leaders from the US? You know that onboarding the right investors will be crucial for your entrepreneurial success and want to learn more about international fundraising opportunities? Then don't miss this chance.

Venture Leaders is organised by Venturelab. The program value of CHF 10,000 is offered free of charge to the winners thanks to the support of EPF Lausanne, ETH Zurich, Hansjörg Wyss, KellerhalsCarrard, Paul Scherrer Institute, Swissnex Boston, University of Zurich, Canton de Vaud, Ypsomed and Canton of Zurich.

**Those eligible to participate:**

- founding and managing members of Life Sciences based Swiss startups or members of Swiss universities;
- ready to grow the business in the US with international investors;
- building a global technology startup in Life Sciences (startups active in Nano/Micro tech or cleantech can also apply for the program). startup.

*«It is the greatest experience I had as a young entrepreneur, an amazing program bringing you to the next level!»*

*Madiha Derouazi, co-founder & CEO, Amal Therapeutics (exited to Boehringer Ingelheim for 425 Mio in 2019)*

**Admission Process**

**March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020 (Lausanne)**

Final date for submission of applications.

**March 30<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

Top 10 final selection: Pitch by the best 20 applicants in front of the jury

**Program for the 10 winners**

**April 21<sup>st</sup>, 2020**

Kick-off meeting in Basel and pitching session at the Swiss Biotech Day.

**June 21<sup>st</sup>, 2020**

- Arrival at Boston Logan Airport
- Check-in at the Irving House
- Welcome reception.

**Sunday, June 21<sup>st</sup> to Saturday, June 27<sup>th</sup>, 2020 (arrival in CH Sunday June 28<sup>th</sup>)**

Intense dive into the US entrepreneurial scene and personal development, thanks to a program comprising:

- Private pitching and feedback sessions with top Life Sciences investors.
- Public pitching and networking events with investors and industry leaders from the Greater Boston Area.
- Review and discussions with experts about US market penetration, financing strategies, internationalization, and more.
- Social networking events with US startups.

**Any questions?**

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