

State of the Union

Venue: Novo Holdings
Tuborg Havnevej 19
2900 Hellerup

Date: **6 February 2023**

We are happy to invite you to the 2023 edition of our State of the Union meeting, this time hosted by **Novo Holdings**.

Program

14.30 — **Registration and networking**

15:00 — **Welcome & introduction**

*Hans Schambye, Chairman - DANISH BIO - DANSK BIOTEK &
Søren Møller, Managing Partner - Novo Seeds*

15:05 — **State of the public market**

*Gil Bar-Nahum, PhD, Head of EMEA Biotechnology,
Managing Director - Global Healthcare Group, Jefferies International*

15:25 — **Fundraising and M&A trends in the Life Sciences sector**

*Nadine Maalouf, Executive Director, M&A Life Sciences - Kempen & Co.
Pieter van der Meijden, Director Life Sciences & Healthcare - Kempen & Co.*

15:45 — **News strategy in the new fund?**

*Erik Balck Sørensen, VP, Managing Partner, VF Investering, Direct Investments
- Vækstfonden*

16:10 — **VC Panel**

*Stephan Christgau, Founding Partner - Eir Ventures
Søren Lemonius, Managing General Partner - Sunstone Lifescience Ventures
Christian E. Elling, Managing Partner - Lundbeck Fonden BioCapital
Casper Breum, Managing Partner - Sound Bioventures
Søren Møller, Managing Partner - Novo Seeds*

17:10 — **Networking & snacks**

Novo Holdings and DANISH BIO - DANSK BIOTEK will be serving snacks and refreshments. The event is free of charge for members; however, non-members will be charged a fee of 500 DKK.

Please register [here](#)