

# LEARN & CONNECT

**Advancing Upstream Bioprocessing  
through Digitalization and Automation**

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BioPartner Center, Leiden



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# 4<sup>th</sup> Learn & Connect Seminar

This full-day seminar offers a valuable platform for professionals, researchers, and innovators to engage in open, science-driven discussions focused on the future of bioprocessing. With minimal commercial influence, the event encourages meaningful exchange of knowledge and ideas that drive progress in the field.

This year's seminar will spotlight the transformative role of digital technologies, advanced modeling, data analytics, automation, as well as analytical devices and Process Analytical Technology (PAT) solutions in modern upstream bioprocessing. Together, these tools are redefining how we approach process development, monitoring, and control. Attendees will explore how integrating these innovations can enhance real-time decision-making, optimize production workflows, and improve overall process efficiency and robustness.

Through a series of expert presentations, interactive discussions, and networking opportunities, participants will gain valuable insights into how these cutting-edge approaches are advancing biomanufacturing and paving the way for more agile, data-driven production systems. Whether you're deeply involved in bioprocessing or looking to stay ahead of the curve, this seminar offers the perfect setting to learn, connect, and innovate.

## PROGRAM

09:00	Welcome Coffee/Registration
09:30	<b>Dr. Marieke Klijn, TU Delft</b> Raman Spectroscopy as Process Analytical Technology in Upstream Bioprocessing
10:00	<b>Bianca Consorti Bussamra, J&amp;J Innovative Medicine</b> Bridging Lab and Manufacturing
10:30	Break
11:00	<b>Workshop and Tour at Biotech Training Facility (BTF)</b>
12:30	Lunch
13:30	<b>Christiaan Mooiman, TU Delft</b> Automating Bioprocess
14:00	<b>Dr. Jacopo Zini, Helsinki University</b> Innovative measurement approaches for UV-Visible spectroscopy in downstream process analysis
14:30	Break
15:00	<b>Company presentations (Sponsors)</b>
17:00	Networking, Snacks & Drinks
19:00	End

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