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**Next Generation BBS Seminar on**

***Building Bridges: Communication Across  
Academia,  
Industry, and Regulators***

**TUE, 9<sup>th</sup> September 2025, 14h - 18h**

**In-person only @ Biozentrum, Spitalstrasse 41, Basel (TBC)**



Effective communication is key for statisticians working across industry, academia, and regulatory bodies. With a focus on the needs of the NextGen community, this event will center on the topic of interactions with health authorities. We will explore how statisticians can increase their influence by stepping beyond technical discussions, building bridges with clinicians, and contributing meaningfully throughout the decision-making process.

This event is organized independently of the EFPSI Regulatory Workshop but is intentionally scheduled around the same time to encourage wider participation. We also aim to broaden our reach by engaging with individuals from different regions and European societies, exploring opportunities to expand the NextGen community beyond BBS.

The BBS Next Generation Committee organizes events focused on soft-skills, professional development, and networking. The in-person meetings are specifically dedicated to support the next generation of statisticians and quantitative scientists in the pharmaceutical industry to succeed in the future and to become influential.

Participation is free of charge.

Organizing committee: Antonella Mazzei (Bristol Myers Squibb), Burak Kuersad Guenhan (Merck), Hans Ulrich Burger (Roche), Joana Marques Barros (Idorsia), and Kristina Weber (Roche) on behalf of the [BBS Next Generation Committee](#).