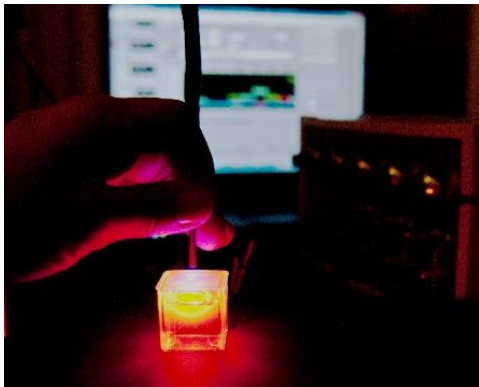


Photonics for Life Science and Regional Innovation Strategies

Register here: <https://dinkurs.se/WorkshopEPRISE>

Date and time: 17th of October 2017, 10 am to 3 pm.

Place: Kista, Electrum, KTH Sal C.



In the framework of a EU project called **ÉPRISE** (<https://eprise.eu/>), PhotonicSweden is organising a workshop on October 17 in Kista (Stockholm) just before the annual conference [“Optics&Photonics in Sweden”](#), October 18&19 at the same location.

The **main themes of this workshop** will be:

1. How do Swedish companies active in the field of photonics manage to enter Life Science markets (Medical, Pharma, Agriculture and Food)?
2. How do regional innovation strategies support these photonics companies and benefit from their growth?

The discussion of these themes at the Swedish level will be the basis (and a very useful input) for the [“European Photonics Roadshow”](#) which will start in 2018 and will consist of 7 major workshops in 7 countries (France, Germany, Italy, Spain, UK, the Netherlands and of course Sweden) around themes like Go-to-Market services and Life Science.

This workshop on October 17 will be an excellent occasion for the Swedish Optics and Photonics companies and all other players in the life science sectors to share their experience, to network and to establish useful contacts with potential partners both in Sweden and in Europe.

The workshop is **free of charge** but requires a registration by October 10.

Programme

- 10:00 Welcome and Introduction
- 10:10 “Strengthening Biophotonics in Europe - the EU Project ÉPRISE“
Pierre-Yves Fonjallaz, **PhotonicSweden**, Director.
- 10:30 “Smart Specialization and Photonics in the Stockholm Region”
Maria C. Lindqvist, Utvecklingsledare Innovation, Enheten för Näringslivsutveckling,
Stockholms Länsstyrelsen
- 10:45 “Life Science in Sweden - the Innovation Agency’s Perspective”
Jenni Nordborg, Head of the Health Department, **Vinnova**
- 11:00 "Single Technologies - from idea to the World's fastest single molecule sensitive 3D imaging system", Annika Bågenholm (Founder, Project Manager) and Raoul Stubbe (Founder)
Single Technologies AB, Stockholm
- 11:15 "Eureka!..But then? CLS Solution to Survive in the MedDev Maze"
Cristina Pantaleone, Technical Manager Product Development, **Clinical Laserthermia Systems AB**, Lund
- 11:30 “Creating sober workplaces and transports with state of the art technology”
Raimo Gester, CEO, **Höök Instruments AB (Senseair AB)**, Västerås
- 11:45 “Lasers and life science: seeing the future”
Håkan Karlsson, CEO / Elizabeth Illy, Dir. Marketing
Cobolt AB (a Hübner Group Company), Solna
- 12:00 Lunch
- 13:00 “How RISE Acreo Supports SMEs in the Life Science Sector”, Sara Bogren, Senior Scientist,
RISE Acreo, Gothenburg
- 13:15 "Medtech4Health -a catalyzer to get more medtech ideas to be implemented in healthcare"
Reidar Gårdebäck, Programme Director, SIO programme **MedTech4Health**.
- 13:30 “SpectraCure: from University Start-Up to Public Company”
Johannes Swartling, CTO, **SpectraCure AB**, Lund
- 13:45 “Non-destructive Raman analysis, seeing the future from scattered light”
Feng-I Tai, Application Specialist, **Kagaku Analys AB**, Gothenburg
- 14:00 “Being a David in a world of Goliaths - experiences of tackling the bioscience, pharma and medical world as a small engineering based company”
Alistair Gooch, Marketing and Sales Manager, **Inspectis Optical Systems AB**, Solna
- 14:15 Panel discussion
- 14:50 Conclusions
- 15:00 The End

Welcome!