

# BIO HACK ATHON

June 21-26<sup>th</sup> 2016

A once in a lifetime opportunity to spend a week at the University of Cambridge learning and creating with synthetic biology. Make friends, learn new skills, change the world.

**May 30<sup>th</sup>** **APPLICATION DEADLINE**

Scholarships are available to those from outside Cambridge and London area for travel and accommodation.

**£1500 CASH PRIZE**

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	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Morning	Arrival	Mentor Session	Mentor Session	Pitch Practice	13th Annual Technology Ventures Conference <b>CIRCULAR ECONOMY</b> June 24-26th
Afternoon		Brainstorm	Prototyping		
Evening	Challenge Revealed			Report Prep	
Night	Pizza Meetup	Group Discussion and Dinner	Group Discussion and Dinner	Midnight Competition Ends	



**John Cumbers** the CEO of Synbiobeta and former NASA Scientist will present the challenges to teams.



**Bethan Wolfenden** and **Philipp Boeing** will mentor groups on how to use portable technologies for innovative biology experiments. Bento is a London based start-up building portable bio-labs. The raspberry pi of biology!



**Edoardo Gianni** will teach us how to do biology on a shoestring! The London Biohackspace is dedicated to providing resources for DIY bio scientists.

### Challenge

Revealed to our teams on Tuesday. The final day of the competition will be a pitch at our annual Technology Ventures Conference with over 300 investors, VCs, startups, academics and students.

### Location

Department of Plant sciences, University of Cambridge, CB2 3EA

### Entry

The cost of the competition is £400 which covers accommodation for 5 nights and attendance at the Technology ventures conference. Meals are not included. Scholarships are available and we encourage those without funding to apply.

Enter: [cutec.org](http://cutec.org) Deadline 30th May

### Scholarships

We encourage you to apply for funding from other sources and are happy to advise. We want EVERYONE to be able to attend this event. If you don't have other funding sources then please apply for a scholarship which will cover travel and accommodation.



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