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Introduction to the Workshop Christine HUTTIN

Industry Dynamics

Technology, Market, Structure and Intellectual Property Rights: Evidence from the Pharmaceutical Industry
Manuel FERNANDEZ-BÄGUES
Moderator: Aart Jan DE HEER

Technology and Strategic Change in the Finnish Pharmaceutical Industry: the Emergence of a Cluster

Malin BRANNBACK & Maija RENKO

Competition & Regulation in the Pharmaceutical Industry: An Experimental Analysis of the Impact of Regulation on Competition Between Generic and Branded Drugs Laura FERRARI BRAVO & Luigi LUINI

Moderator: Nicky SHAW

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Political approaches

Product Piracy: the Sale of Counterfeit Pharmaceuticals in Developing Countries

Kristina LYBECKER

Moderator: Christine HUTTIN

Convergence of Pharmaceutical Policies Through heterogeneous social welfare ideologies.

A Political Positive Approach

Natalie MARTIN CRUZ & Juan Manuel DE LA FUENTE SABATE

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Medicines in Europe: Scientific Convergence and Political Divergence. Virginie GODET & Sabine FERRAND-NAGEL

Presentation of Commission's Experts: Trade Policy Issues in Biopharmaceuticals

Distribution and Demand

Pharmacists & Governmental Medicine Policy Bhalchandra A.CHANSARKAR

Changes in the Pharmaceutical Marketing & Selling Direct to Consumer (DTC) or the New P's of Marketing

Fred HARMS, M. HEINRICH, S. ROHMANN, M. DRUENER & V. TROMMS-DORFF

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Round-table/Panel Discussion

Globalization in Biopharmaceuticals

Joan ROVIRA, Kristina LYBECKER – Christine HUTTIN

Payment and Demand

Demand for Pharmaceuticals under co-payment Schemes: Evidence from Catalonia Joan COSTA, Joan ROVIRA & Panos KANAVOS

BIOMED – Project on the impact of copayment on physician and patient decision making processes.

Christine HUTTIN

Acceptance of Biotechnology Products and Risk Perceptions in the European Union. Joan COSTA & Elias MOSSIALOS

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Company Orientated Papers

The Key Success Factors for M&A and Post Merger Integration Activities in the Biotechnological and Pharmaceutical Industry Lars SCHWEIZER

A Competing Edge for the Pharmaceutical Industry: Propagating Agile Processes Throughout the Supply Chain Nicky SHAW & T. BURGESS

The Dynamics of Global and Local - Organizational Dilemmas and Struggles in a Pharmaceutical Company.

Stefan SVENINGSSON

The Convergence of the Pharmaceutical & the Food Industry Through Functional Food: Strategic Change and Business Opportunity or an Illusion?

Malin BRANNBACK, Aart Jan DE HEER & Patricia WIKLUND

General Discussion and Closure of the Workshop